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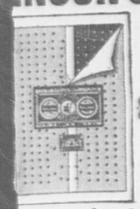

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

FOUNDERED.

Not Likely That Portland Struck Rocks.

Such Is the Opinion of Experienced Navigators.

Destruction of the Steamer Absolutely Complete.

Every Person Aboard the Ill-Fated Craft Met Death.

Ocean's Bed Will Be Last Resting Place of Most of the Victims.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 1.—No reports have been received from along the section of coast between Race point and Monomoy of the recovery of any bodies from the steamer Portland.

Many conflicting rumors reach here concerning the discovery of bodies, but investigation indicates that none came ashore during yesterday's storm.

The report about the finding of a boy's body proves to be incorrect, and the list stands at 16; 12 at Orleans, three at this place and one at Wellfleet.

A message from Eastham says three bodies came ashore there, but details are lacking.

The cause of the Portland's fate, aside from the force of the elements, is a mystery which can never be probed. Every mariner has a theory, and all agree that when buffeted by the oncoming storm off Cape Ann the big side-wheeler was disabled, and, before the blast, was driven over 40 miles to leeward, the waves slowly demolishing the upper structure until the hull alone remained, and this, finally, sank beneath the surface. The vessel disappeared some distance off shore, for the strong current is now carrying wreckage and bodies southward, and much of it may be found on Nantucket's shoals. Another fierce northeaster set in yesterday, again lashing the waves into a frenzy, and giving small hope to scores of broken-hearted relatives and friends of the victims that their bodies will be found on the shores.

The saddest scenes, which caused hardy sailors to break down, are being enacted in this town, and will for days to come. But 16 bodies have been taken from the water.

The exact number of persons who were carried away from Boston by the steamer Portland will probably never be known, as no list of passengers was retained on shore when the vessel left her moorings, bound to the Forest City, last Saturday. Many estimates of the number on board have been made, but the estimates have seldom agreed. C. F. Williams, Boston agent of the Portland Steamship company, who has arrived here, places the total number of persons on the steamer at 100, or possibly 105. This estimate, however, is generally regarded as rather small. It has been stated that the number was as high as 165, but Mr. Williams denies that so many sailed on the Portland. It is probable that 120, including passengers and crew, is near the correct number.

Nearly every sea captain and mariner on the cape, on being asked an opinion, stated that everyone on board was undoubtedly lost. One feature of the disaster is the absence of any fragments of a lifeboat or liferaft among the varied mass of wreckage from the Portland which has been washed ashore during the last three days. No one has reported finding any of the Portland's boats. Several pieces of white painted oars were picked up at various points. One theory is that the boats and liferafts were carried far out to sea and were not blown anywhere near this coast.

The place and exact manner in which the Portland was swept to destruction has furnished an unusually interesting topic of discussion in marine circles here. Old mariners say they cannot understand why the steamer, which was sighted about 9 o'clock Saturday night, just before the gale set in in its full force, between Thatcher's island and Eastern point, Cape Ann, by the schooner Maude S, did not put in to Gloucester harbor when it was apparent from the fall of the barometer that a violent northeaster was approaching. When the steamer was sighted off Cape Ann she was making good progress toward Portland, but the weather was fast becoming rough, and, as the captain of the Maude S said, it was plain to see that a serious storm was impending. Why the Portland ever left Boston at all Saturday night is what puzzles marine men on Cape Cod.

It was off Thatcher's island that the Portland was last reported before she went to her doom. There are many theories offered in explanation of how the vessel reached a point near the tip end of Cape Cod. Although the exact location of where she went to pieces will in all probability never be known, it is generally believed here that the wreck occurred at a point about 10 or probably 15 miles north of Peaked Hill bars, which would be from 45 to 50 miles from where she was sighted by the Maude S.

The tremendous seas which she must have encountered off Cape Ann undoubtedly damaged her, and when Captain Blanchard saw that he could proceed no further eastward it is thought by some that he resolved to make for the open sea to avoid the dangers along the coast. The time that the Portland was lost is placed at from 9 to 10 o'clock Sunday forenoon. The watches found on the bodies washed ashore had nearly all stopped between those hours. The wreck could not have occurred between those hours Saturday night, in the judgment of all competent authorities, as in that case the wreckage would have been washed ashore at points in Massachusetts bay. Furthermore, the force of the storm at 10 o'clock Saturday night was not sufficiently heavy to cause the vessel to founder.

When the wreck was first reported it was thought the boat had possibly struck on the terrible Peaked Hill bars, which are known among mariners everywhere as the graveyard of New England's coast. This theory was quickly put to flight, however, by a careful investigation. In the first place the patrol at the Peaked Hill bars life saving station were on the alert throughout the great storm, and the men on duty there saw or heard nothing to indicate that a steamer had been dashed to pieces on the famous shoals. The fierce gale caused such a tremendous tide that a vessel of the Portland's draught would have passed over the bars in safety and run ashore on the beach. In fact a large schooner in distress, drawing more water than the Portland, passed over the most shallow part of the bars and did not ground on the beach.

Another incident that tends to place the time of the wreck on Sunday morning was reported by the crew of the Race Point life saving station. Race Point forms the tip of Cape Cod. The life saving crew there, during the height of the driving snowstorm, heard four sharp whistles from a steamer, which were recognized as a danger signal. The signal was heard at about 7:45 o'clock, and the crew hastily manned the boats to give assistance if possible. A terrible tempest was raging, and it was so thick that it was impossible to see any distance off shore. The crew could locate no steamer and the blasts of a whistle were heard only once. The men are positive that they heard a steamer whistle, and are now of the opinion that it came from the Portland some time before she foundered, for it is generally believed she went to the bottom and was not wrecked by going on shore.

The opinion is also general here that the boat was gradually battered to pieces by the mountainous seas, the upper fittings being carried away until the water began to pour into her. The fact that her wheel was found with ropes attached, on the Orleans shore, is taken to indicate that the pilots were powerless to control the vessel's course in the bay, and that they were obliged to lash the wheel. When the hull went under, the upper deck and fittings, gingerbread work, etc., probably became loosened by the action of the seas. These parts of the ship, not including the furnishings, were practically the only ones of the vessel that were strewn along the outer coast of Cape Cod. The absence of any very large parts of the hull on the coast is accounted for by the theory that the hull itself went to the bottom. The largest piece of wreckage reported up to sunset was a piece about 30 feet long.

Before the ill-fated steamer took her final plunge the passengers and crew naturally adopted all means at their command to save their lives. This would account for the large number of life preservers and belts found among the first portions of the wreckage. What became of the lifeboats and rafts, if any were launched, is, of course, unknown, as none have been picked up, as before stated.

The first body from the wreck came ashore at High Head, which is a few miles further down the outer coast of the cape from the Peaked Hill station. It was found on Monday morning. The next bodies found were picked up at points further south on the same day, and the life preservers, woodwork, two or three pieces of baggage, lard, tobacco, paper and other portions of the cargo began to pile up on the shore south of High Head. Little wreckage was found north of that point. The swift undertow off shore carried an immense amount of debris and many bodies south as far as Monomoy beach and Nantucket sound. While the northern limit indicates the wreck was near High Head, and practically none of the wreckage went inside the cape, it is not known how far south it was swept. It is owing to these conditions that the chances for recovering many more bodies are considered not very favorable.

A number of Portland people, most of them relatives of some of those whose names were on the passenger list of the Portland when she left Boston last Saturday evening, have arrived here, for the purpose of identifying, if possible, some of the bodies washed ashore along the coast. Large numbers of volunteers are assisting the surfmen to patrol the beaches. From the tip end of Cape Cod to Monomoy there are 10 government life-saving stations, and all the crews have been on duty almost constantly since last Saturday evening, when the great blow set in. The recovery of the bodies which have been conveyed to this port, Orleans and other points, is largely due to the diligence of the life savers.

Several bodies not secured were sighted in the surf some distance from shore, but they disappeared from view in the strong current running southward, and it was impossible to get hold of them. The fact that so few bodies have been recovered from the sea is due to the strong undertow, which, it is thought, carried the great majority down to the coast toward Monomoy and Nantucket sound. This was proved by the finding of the greater number of bodies in the vicinity of Orleans, and as far down as Chatham. Those found nearest to where the steamer is thought to have foundered were those first taken from the water.

A severe gale from the east and northeast probably carried many of the drowned further southward, and many old mariners predict that a large number of bodies will never be recovered.

One of the first bodies to be identified was that of E. Dudley Freeman of Yarmouth, Me., a prominent Republican leader in the Pine Tree state, and a member of Governor Power's council. His body was found on the Nauset beach near Orleans by Daniel Gould.

The big wheel of the Portland, with steering gear attached, was found on the shores off Orleans. The wheel had about 20 fathoms of wire attached, part of the electrical steering equipment. Part of the flooring near the base of the wheel in the pilot house was attached, and a rope fastened to the wheel itself indicated that it had been lashed.

Among the wreckage that is strewn along the beach are quite a number of stateroom doors. Most of them have the enamel numbers on, and on many of the doors the lock bolt projected, showing that some of the staterooms had been locked at the time of the disaster. Wreckage of almost every description is strewn for miles along the outside beach, but most of the articles of any value were taken by the watchers and memento seekers.

Sad Message From the Deep.

Plymouth, Mass., Dec. 1.—A bit of bamboo, which was picked up in the surf here, brought a story of death and the loss of the schooner White Wings of Gloucester in the recent storm. The fragment was found tossing about in the waves, and it contained a letter. The message was as follows: "We will be lost—13 of us—in the fishing schooner White Wings from Gloucester. Have no bottle to put it in. Everything is gone. We are about to go on a raft. Henry Wilder and Frank Haskins are dead. If I could only see my wife and darling child again. Albert Simmons." The paper has been sent to Gloucester.

The King Philip Wrecked.

Provincetown, Dec. 1.—Schooner King Philip of Fall River was totally wrecked on the cape, as wreckage from her has come ashore. The crew probably numbered 10 men, all of whom have been lost. The schooner was 1224 tons gross register.

A Little Brighter.

Boston, Dec. 1.—The news from the various districts of New England which suffered the most severely in Sunday's storm, received late yesterday, was quite encouraging, although a quick recovery is not expected, and in fact seemed remote earlier in the day. Hopeful news came from many ports that energetic means were being taken to save craft which had gone ashore in easy berths. At Gloucester several schooners were floated, while in Boston harbor much was accomplished, the chief work being the hauling off of the liner Ohio from shoal water at Spectacle island.

News of additional wrecks, chiefly among the fishing fleets, is coming in

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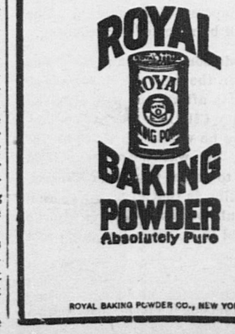

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Tuesday	33	45	43	46
Wednesday	34	47	32	38
Thursday	43	42	35	31
Friday	—	43	35	26
Saturday	—	36	35	23

New Advertisements Today.

Harness lost.
Organ recital.
J. F. Sheppard—Coal and wood.
A. A. Linscott—Holiday goods.
Blacksmith shop to let.

Good Afternoon.

The chairman of Ward Three Republican Committee is hustling today trying to get the word "Republican" after the name of Miss Adams on Ward Three ballots for election day. The printers would be pleased to accommodate, but they take orders only from the City Clerk, and that official is governed by the law, which says in Section 145: "Certificates of nomination for city offices shall be filed on or before the second Wednesday (this year Nov. 23), and nomination papers on or before the second Friday, preceding the day of election."

The Republican nomination of Miss Adams has never been filed and therefore it is too late to go on the ballot.

The chairman had an idea that he could himself get out another set of ballots but he forgets that only official ballots will be received. He says any way that there is considerable red tape in the law, and everybody will agree with him.

Unity Club Programme.

Another excellent programme has been prepared for the meeting of the Unity club of Wollaston tomorrow evening, to include:

1. Rienzi. The Condottiere The removal of the Papal See.
Mrs. R. R. Freeman.
2. Petrarch and Boccaccio,
Mrs. H. J. Gurney.
3. Art. Leonardo De Vinci. Geovanni Bellini,
Miss Elizabeth Thayer.
4. Music. Bellini. Costa.
Miss Lena Pfaffman.

—The Cape Ann Breeze announces the death of John K. Dustin, formerly a resident of Quincy, at the age of 83. Mr. Dustin was for many years foreman of the stone cutting business of Wright, Barker & Co. and their successors, Barker Bros. of Quincy, Lanesville & Philadelphia. He died on Monday, Nov. 28.

Mr. Dustin was one of a family of thirteen children, of whom two sisters and one brother survive, aged respectively 87, 85 and 72 years. He married Harriet Barker in 1858. She survives him; also four children..

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Monday Eve., Dec. 5th.
Quincy, Dec. 1. 4t

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Sept. 29. 3m

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AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass.
Oct. tf

THE LOCATION.

Lots Through Which Boynton Railway Will Pass.

Comes Closer Than Some Had Thought.

But Few Buildings However in the Way.

Now that the City Council has granted the Boynton Bicycle railroad a location there is considerable interest manifested as to whose land it passes through. Engineer Tupper who laid out the line furnishes the following information.

Starting from the Braintree line the route passes through land of the Adams Real Estate Trust, land of John Q. A. Field, the Baker estate, another lot of the Adams Real Estate Trust, Manet Granite Co., through the shed of B. Ferrari, Nicoll Granite Co., M. J. Lennon's stable, land of J. E. Harkins, J. Cole, G. Craig, F. Craig, R. Smith, Charles Wilson, George Cameron, J. Pierce, John Wilson, Charles Wilson, a lot owner of which is not known, J. Francis, two lots owners of which not known.

Across Centre street and through rear of house of Mrs. Neasley, and R. W. Beard, between two houses of W. Corcoran, rear of house of James Rose, Peter Dolan, over Carey's granite works and across Copeland street.

Through land of Mrs. Eliza Donaher, D. Lahey, Michael Shea estate, J. W. Fiernan, Mr. Berry, John Fallon & Sons, T. J. Lamb, W. D. Burns, Mrs. Catherine Martin, Thomas Grignon, Mrs. W. H. Ripley orchard, W. H. Teasdale, estate of John Burke, and land of B. W. Reardon.

Through Reardon's field in front of Mrs. Malone's house, thence through land of H. T. Whitman and Fannie C. Adams, land of H. T. Whitman and Richard Paulson, Jacob Eaton estate, Joseph W. Robertson estate, across Adams street through the corner of J. W. Brackett estate. Across Greenwood street to land of heirs of Joseph Beale.

Thence through the corner of J. M. Forbes estate to Beale street. Through land of Wollaston Land Co., through Whitney swamp, and land known as Belleview park, to the west of the Golf club house.

Across Squantum street at its junction with Highland avenue, through land of A. D. MacClellan and others, land of Mrs. Jane M. Pope, through Billings swamp.

Across Granite branch of the New Haven railroad, through land of H. W. Hunt, through Myrtle street, and across Walnut street. Through the stable of J. J. Kerrigan and through meadow land of the Glover heirs. Through land of William Savage, heirs of John A. Duggan, across Newbury street, through land of N. F. Safford and heirs of John A. Duggan. Across River street through meadow land of Glover heirs to Hancock street to Neponset.

Bridgewater State Farm.

Several unfortunates from the Quincy court are annually sent to the State farm at Bridgewater, and the 45th annual report of the trustees to Gov. Wolcott will be of interest:

"Within the past year the number of women committed to the state farm has largely increased over previous years, so that it has become an important question what provision shall be made so as to entirely separate them from the departments occupied by men. It is recommended that an appropriation be made for the erection of a suitable building."

The superintendent reports as follows:

"There have been committed and admitted during the year, 1767, and discharged for the same time 1720. There are remaining at this date 1168. By departments the changes have been as follows: Workhouse, 165 more committed; almshouse, 94 less admitted; insane, 8 less committed. The decrease of insane is accounted for by a transfer of 30 chronic patients to Medfield.

"Beginning this year, all commitments to the workhouse department will be by indeterminate sentence, drunkenness having a limit of one year and all other offences a limit of two years. I have much hope that, in the drunk cases at least, the plan of release will be a restraining influence, and protect the man in the moment of temptation. This plan needs to have the co-operation of his family, friends and the local authorities in a spirit of kindness to attain its highest aims and purposes."

The report recommends that one or both wings of the building for the insane be reconstructed, so as to increase the number of wards for the classification of patients. It further recommends the purchase of more dry upland to prevent in the future the partial failure of crops. The lands purchased for sewerage disposal have not proved entirely desirable.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

December.

Shut the door.

Vote No next Tuesday.

The sleighing is improving.

Specimen ballots have been posted.

Fair and colder Friday; more snow Sunday.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons have a conundrum today.

Twenty-six snow storms are predicted for this year.

Now the boys have commenced to throw snow balls.

The Duty of the Hour made its appearance early this year.

The East Milton postoffice changed postmasters this morning.

A. A. Linscott is ready for Christmas with a valuable stock.

W. F. Hoehn, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is confined to the house by sickness.

The postponed organ recital at Bethany church will be held next Monday evening.

The official ballots for the City election are being printed at the Patriot office.

Fine half tone pictures of Mayor Sears have been placed in the store windows today.

The Wollaston W. C. T. Union will meet on Friday, Dec. 9, in the Congregational church.

The Reinhalter quarry to be sold Saturday afternoon is on the line of the Quarry Railroad.

Judge Humphrey, who has been ill for the past week, has so far recovered as to be able to attend court again.

Rufus and Fred Moxon have joined their father, ex-Councilman S. O. Moxon, at Almeda, South Carolina.

The blacksmith shop of Charles Feltis is to let and offers a rare chance to go into the horse shoeing business.

Many people are visiting Nantasket this week to view the ravages of the storm. The sight is well worthy of a visit.

The Board of Health is holding an examination today for applicants for licenses as master and journeymen plumbers.

By the official figures Gov. Wolcott's vote in the State was 191,146, to 107,960 for Candidate Bruce. The plurality was 83,186.

The friends of Mr. Keith are making a house-to-house canvass in his interest. Today the ex's, so called, are circulating a paper in Ward Three for signatures endorsing him.

The fair of St. Mary's parish at St. Mary's hall this week has not been blessed with very good weather, yet the attendance has been fairly large and the sales at the several tables good.

The post office employes have had a busy time this week canceling stamps on the large amount of political literature that has been sent out. The carriers, however, are the men who are most overworked, for it is hard work getting about in this kind of weather.

While the storms have been very disasterous they have furnished work for a large number of citizens shoveling snow, not only for the city but for the street railway, and again has the old saying proved true that it is an ill wind that does no one any good.

No-License rallies will be held on Sunday evening at Quincy Music hall, Quincy Point church, Wollaston M. E. church, Park and Downs church, Atlantic Methodist church, and in one of the Swedish churches; also in the afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

While the horse and sleigh of W. P. Barker was standing at Rogers Bros. store this morning a snow slide from the Adams building frightened the horse and he started on the run. Officer Ferguson, who was near City Hall, stopped him before any damage was done.

The Unity Circle of King's Daughters held an attractive sale and entertainment Wednesday evening. Bethany chapel was most attractive in its decorations. Each season was represented by a fancy booth, where were found for sale the offerings of its month. The entertainment was by children each of whom by song or recitation impersonated a month. The carnival will be repeated this evening.

Erick Anderson, the man who was found shot in the head at Merrymount park, Tuesday afternoon, was removed to the Quincy City Hospital on Wednesday. Before he was taken there he admitted that he was despondent and determined to make way with himself. His occupation is that of a sailor, and as far as could be learned from him he has remained in no place for any great length of time.

Over 1,000 series of Greek coins, used by independent cities, are known to exist.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

The Second in the Newcomb Family—Large Reception.

About a year ago it was the pleasure of a large number of Quincy people to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Representative and Mrs. T. Hartis Newcomb at the Quincy Point church. At their marriage the best man and maid of honor were Mr. Peter W. Newcomb and his bride of a year later. On Wednesday evening at Roxbury Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. Newcomb observed their 50th anniversary, entertaining about 200 guests at a reception. They were assisted by their daughters, Misses Jennie and Mabel Newcomb and it was a very happy occasion.

The host and hostess were married at Quincy Point and resided in Quincy until after the Civil war, Mr. Newcomb being a baker. He became a member of the Boston police department and was retired recently after twenty years of continuous service.

Their residence at No. 41 Brookford street, Roxbury, was elaborately decorated with plants for the occasion. Among congratulations received were some from California. There were many tokens of esteem for the worthy couple who continue to enjoy remarkable good health.

Maj. Morrison Commander.

A dispatch of Wednesday from Greenville, S. C., says Maj. Morrison, formerly of Co. K, is in command of the Fifth Massachusetts regiment at Camp Wetherill. This honor comes because of sickness which calls Gen. Lincoln home, which places Col. Whitney in charge of the brigade. Capt Stover commands the 1st battalion which includes Co. K of Braintree.

Bird's Eye View.

The Bert Poole Co. of Boston, will soon publish a bird's eye view of West Quincy which will be a faithful representation of that section of our city as it is today.

Every citizen who has a pride or interest in its growth, improvement, and industries, should encourage the work, as it reflects great credit to the artists connected with its reproduction and should be secured by every family as a reminder in after years how the village of West Quincy looked in 1899. Sold only by subscription and at a price within the reach of all.

TODAY'S COURT.

Patrick Muldoon and Robert Brassill of Weymouth were fined $5 each for drunkenness.

Herbert K. Cushing was arraigned for keeping intoxicating liquor with intent to sell at Weymouth.

Cushing was held for the grand jury.

A number of juvenile cases were heard in the Judge's room and the young offenders placed on probation.

In the great church at Mengo, Uganda, there are over 200 trees to support the roof. Each of these trees took 100 men to draw it up the hill.

The Latest Conundrum is
Why?
Just plain "why," but the place to buy
COAL or WOOD
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Quincy, Oct. 29. tf

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Office of the City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 29, 1898.

I CERTIFY that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated and to be voted for in the City of Quincy, December 6, 1898.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

For Mayor.

Mark ONE.

Harrison A. Keith, 18 River Street. — Democratic.
Russell A. Sears, Elm Street. — Republican.

For Councilmen-at-large.

Mark FIVE.

William E. Badger, 54 Crescent Street. — Republican.
Frank W. Blanchard, Brook Street. — Republican.
Rupert F. Claflin, 28 Greenleaf Street. — Democratic.
Alexander Clark, 8 Payne Street. — Republican.
Henry G. Fay, Willow Street. — Democratic.
Richard R. Freeman, Grand View Avenue. — Republican
William W. Jenness, Temple Street. — Democratic
James E. McDonald, 52 Crescent Street. — Democratic
Henry McGrath, 27 Pleasant Street. — Democratic.
George A. Sidelinger, 3 South Street. — Republican

For School Committee-at-large.

For Three Years.

Mark ONE.

Nathaniel S. Hunting, 214 Hancock Street. — Democratic.
John L. Miller, Franklin Street. — Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 1.

Mark THREE.

Harold B. Faxon, Chestnut Street. — Democratic.
John W. Nash, 66 Washington Street. — Republican.
Elisha Packard, 18 Elm Street. — Republican.
John Swithin, 93 Granite Street. — Democratic Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 2.

Mark THREE.

Fred P. Hill, 3 Edison Park. — Democratic.
Eugene N. Hultman, 105 Washington Street. — Republican.
Aubrey R. Keith, 18 River Street. — Republican.
William Kierman, South Walnut Street. — Democratic.
Arthur W. Newcomb, 25 Howard Street. — Republican.
John S. Shaw, Quincy Avenue. — Democratic

For School Committee—Ward 2.

Mark ONE.

Fred H. Smith, Washington Street. — Democratic Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 3.

Mark THREE.

Robert E. Foy, Bradford Street. — Democratic.
John L. Johnson, 22 Clark Avenue. — Republican.
James E. Maxim, 15 Quincy Avenue. — Democratic.
Daniel McLennan, 8 Federal Avenue. — Republican
Harry S. Nicoll, 85 Water Street. — Republican
Edward A. Young, Payne Street. — Democratic.

For School Committee—Ward 3.

Mark ONE.

Mabel E. Adams, 42 Franklin Street. — Democratic.

For Councilmen—Ward 4.

Mark THREE.

Thomas F. Cain, 53 Copeland Street. — Democratic.
John J. Dugan, 80 Common Street. — Democratic.
John Evans, 24 Copeland Street — Republican.
Mayo P. Fuller, 66 Crescent Street. — Republican.
Thomas F. Hogan, 116 Willard Street. — Democratic.
Michael Owens, 64 Willard Street. — Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 5.

Mark THREE.

Charles M. Bryant, Fenno Street. — Republican.
Edward E. Jameson, Farrington Street. — Republican.
William A. Jordan, 26 Taylor Street. — Democratic.
Fred P. Loud, Beach Street. — Democratic.
Walter S. Pinkham, Warren Avenue. — Republican.
David J. Roche, 5 Carruth Street. — Democratic.

For Councilmen—Ward 6.

Mark THREE.

Charles Alden, 20 Botolph Street. — Republican.
John A. Duggan, 37 Atlantic Street. — Democratic.
Walter P. Hill, Clive Street. — Republican.
John E. Poland, Freeman Street. — Republican.

To vote on the following, mark a Cross X in the square at the right of YES or NO.

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?" Yes / No —

Nov. 29—6t plw

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Feb. 1 1y

CITY ELECTION.

CITY OF QUINCY.

City Clerk's Office.

In accordance with provisions of Chapter 548 of the Acts of 1898, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of Quincy qualified to vote will be held on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1898.

in the following places, namely:

Ward 1.—Council Chamber, City Hall.
Ward 2.—Hose House, Washington street.
Ward 3, Precinct 1.—Doble's Hall, Franklin street.
Ward 3, Precinct 2.—Old Steamer House, School street.
Ward 4, Precinct 1.—St. Mary's Hall, Willard street.
Ward 4, Precinct 2.—Hose House, Copeland street.
Ward 5.—Polson's Building, Newport avenue.
Ward 6.—Hose House, Newbury avenue.

The polls will be opened at 6 o'clock in the morning and will be closed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and all such citizens will, in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes for Mayor, five Councilmen-at-Large, three Councilmen from each Ward, one member of the School Committee at Large for three years, one member of the School Committee for Ward Two for three years, and one member of the School Committee for Ward Three for three years; also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question: Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?

Attest: EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 28. 6t 3-1w

POLLING PLACES.

CITY OF QUINCY.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 1, 1898.

IN Accordance with the provisions of Chapter 548 of the Acts of 1898, notice is hereby given that by a vote of the City Council, passed October 31, 1898, the polling places for the City Election to be held TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1898, in the City of Quincy, were designated as follows:

WARD ONE—Council Chamber, City Hall.
WARD TWO—Hose House, Washington street.
WARD THREE, Precinct One—Doble's Hall, Franklin street.
WARD THREE, Precinct Two—Old Steamer House, School street.
WARD FOUR, Precinct One—St. Mary's Hall, Willard street.
WARD FOUR, Precinct Two—Hose House, Copeland street.
WARD FIVE—Polson's Building, Newport avenue.
WARD SIX—Hose House, Newbury avenue.

Attest: EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 5, 1898. 24t

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WALTER P. PINEL

is the Manager, and the store is right over here at number 20 Franklin street.

aug25 1y

A PRETTY WEDDING.

Miss Effie McPherson Becomes Bride of Mr. John Sutherland.

A pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wedderburn, 16 Jackson street, South Quincy, when Mr. John Sutherland and Miss Effie McPherson of Quincy were united in marriage by the Rev. William Watt Dornan, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church.

Shortly after seven o'clock the friends of the bride and groom, who were received by Mr. and Mrs. Wedderburn, began to gather, until about 60 people had assembled to witness the marriage which took place at eight o'clock. Miss Mary McPherson, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. John Yule of Milford, N. H., was groomsman. The bride was handsomely gowned in white silk with lace and ribbon her veil was fastened with white flowers. The bridesmaid was neatly gowned in Swiss muslin with lace and ribbon. A reception followed.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Roderick McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hersey, Misses Emily Yould, Nellie Drummond, Effie McDonald, Mary Giles, Mary McLeod, Mary McKay, Jennie Davidson, Sadie Beaton, Katie McKenzie, Mary McDonald, Effie McPhee, Jennie Levack, Katie Blue, Annie McKenna, Jessie McDonald, Messrs. John McPherson, William P. Sutherland, Joseph Wedderburn, James Welsh, John Welsh, George Main, A. D. Martin, Peter McLeod, D. H. McDonald, M. McLeod, Alex. Ingram, J. K. Campbell, Hugh Campbell, Walter Blair, John McDonald, Thomas Robertson, Alex. Wilson and M. A. Campbell.

Music and songs were enjoyed and a pleasant evening was spent.

The presents were many and costly. The young couple went to their new home at 16 Payne street, with the best wishes of their many friends.

Do Not Forget.

Open saloons in Quincy would tempt our children; debase our citizenship; draw to us the scum of population; banish from us the best; depreciate property; bring disorder, poverty and crime to our very doors.

We are used to the responsibilities which no license brings in its train. Let not blessings of other years make us "*forget*" that the *demon* comes yearly—however often dismissed—knocking for admission; A demon, whose breath is poison; whose power is tyranny; whose dominion death!

Once again, citizens, refuse him our fair city, by a *NO* so formidable, that demon though he be, he must be *dead* not to understand. In voting *let last be first. First* vote *no* at the end of the ticket; then mark upward names that will execute the people's will. Do not "*forget.*" *Do not forget!*

P. G.

So Cold! So Cruel!

Chimmy—Ah, wot a heart uv iron dat goil's got! Dis makes seven fellers I've licked right in front uv her, but still she spurns me love.—New York Journal.

Nothing Was Lent.

"Are you the society editor?" asked the large woman, who seemed to fill the room.

"No, madam," said the one addressed. "I am only the court reporter."

"Really? I am surprised. But perhaps you will do. Your paper said in its account of the affair at my house that floral decorations 'lent beauty to the scene.' I wish you would have your paper state that the floral beauty was not lent. Everything was paid for."—Indianapolis Journal.

Mrs. Smitherleigh's Compensation.

"Wasn't it awfully hard for you to give your daughter up, Mrs. Smitherleigh?"

"Yes, it was hard to think of it, but she's going to live in the east, and I have always wanted to spend a summer down there so much."—Chicago News.

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LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Person's Tax Bill for 1898.

[Continued from yesterday.]

Something new in the publication of the taxpayers of the city is attempted this year by the Daily Ledger. There is considerable interest in the assessed value of land in the city, which is claimed to be high in some cases and low in others. So the Ledger has supplemented the amount of the tax bill in each ward with the value of each lot of land for which the person is taxed, giving in each case the number of square feet or acreage.

The amount given in the line with the person's name is his total ward tax, and may include houses, personal property, etc., in addition to the lots of land below. The Ledger gives only the valuation of the land.

To obtain a person's total tax in the city, add together the amounts paid in the several wards.

The Ledger commenced the publication Aug. 30, and has already published the land values of all persons whose names begin with A to V, and today's instalment is the fifth of the Ws:

WARD FOUR.

	Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Wilbas, Gustave		$59 60
10,455 feet, Nelson street, $500.		
Williams, Charles H. trs.,		4 05
4,650, Willard, $225.		
Williams, Henry		37 10
6,900, Barry, $350.		
Williams, John		30 80
6,600, Barry, $300.		
Williams, Richard, est.,		
1-4 acre, Cross, $500.		
Wilson, C. and heirs of Francis		63 00
11 acres, quarry land, Centre, $3,500.		
Wilson, William E.		6 75
61,455, off Centre, $375.		
Wittich, Adolph		122 15
1-2 acre, West,	$600.	
1.50 acres, off West,	1,300.	
1-4 acre, Wittich place,	400.	

WARD FIVE.

Wight, William M.		$68 60
4,500, Lincoln ave.,	$600.	
1,000, Prospect "	$100.	
Wiley, Eunice		67 50
6,000, Highland ave.,	$750.	
Wiley, Stephen B.		16 40
16,750, Lots 9, 10, Sec. 5,	$800.	
Wiley, Mildred S.		55 80
6,000, Prospect ave.,	$600.	
Wilkinson, James F.		51 30
5,250, Morton, $350.		
Wilkinson, Zebulon		3 60
3,912, Vassal, $200.		
Willard, Horace M.		339 50
3,743, Elm ave.,	$200.	
2,632, " "	125.	
3,743, " "	225.	
3,750, " "	225.	
3,350, " "	225.	
3,750, " "	225.	
90,300, Wendall ave.,	4,500.	
6,265, Miller,	150.	
4,250, "	175.	
5,500, "	200.	
6,125, "	250.	
6,116, "	250.	
Williams, Mary M.		74 70
7,650, Grand View ave.,	$1,150.	
Wilson, Mary M.		108 00
12,000, Beach,	$1,000.	
6,250, Morton,	$500.	

WARD SIX.

Wilde, Roger H.		$10 10
10,890, Billings, $450.		
Wilson, Henry G.		18 00
6,575, Holmes, $500.		
6,602, "	$500.	
Wilson, William		92 00
5,957, Bayfield road, $400.		
26,622, Squantum, $1,800.		
Willett, Edward		281 90
4,125, Clive, $400.		
3,900, "	$400.	
Williams, Kate K.		43 65
4,500, Montclair ave., $225.		

To be continued.

☞It will be some weeks yet before the Ledger completes the publication of the Assessors' land values. Considerable land in all wards of the city is owned by non-residents, and these lots have not been published. The list will follow the publication of the resident taxpayers, and considerable interest will doubtless be taken to ascertain whether the non-residents pay their proportionate share.

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SAMPSON AND SHAFTER

The Parts They Played During the Blockade of Santiago.

Mines Prevented the Forcing of the Harbor.

Admiral Quotes Correspondence Between Himself and the General.

Washington, Dec. 1.—A report from Admiral Sampson, covering the operations of the United States blockading fleet off Santiago, after the destruction of Cervera's fleet, was made public by the navy department yesterday. The report begins with a dispatch dated on the flagship New York, July 15, and winds up with one from the same flagship, dated Guantanamo, Aug. 4.

In the first report Admiral Sampson tells of the demonstration made against Aguadores by the Michigan troops under Duffield, the point of which was that as soon as the ships took part in the fight the Spaniards disappeared. He says that the bombardment of Santiago on the 2d of July served no particular end because Shafter's attack had been postponed.

He quotes dispatches from himself to Shafter, stating that it was impossible to force an entrance to the harbor until the mines had been removed, and that work could be accomplished only after the troops had taken the forts. Shafter replied that he could not tell when he could take the batteries. If they were as difficult as those against which he was pitted it would take some time and a great loss of life.

Said he: "I am at a loss to see why the navy cannot work under a destructive fire as well as the army. My loss yesterday was over 500 men. By all means keep up fire on everything in sight until demolished. I expect, however, with time and sufficient men, to capture the forts along the bay."

An hour later on the same day, July 2, Shafter again appealed to Sampson to force the harbor entrance immediately, so as to avoid future loss among his men, already very heavy. Said he: "You can operate with less loss of life than I can."

In reply on the same day Admiral Sampson pointed out that the channel of the harbor was well strewn with mines, which would certainly result in the sinking of one or more of his ships if he attempted to enter the harbor, and that by sinking one the harbor would be blocked against the entrance of the others. He had hoped that Shafter would take the batteries from the rear, so that he might drag for the torpedoes, but if it was Shafter's earnest desire that he should force the entrance he would prepare to undertake it, although the position of both army and navy would be more difficult if they failed in the attempt. He promised to use mines at Guantanamo to countermine those at Santiago, which would consume considerable time.

Said Sampson: "It is not so much the loss of men as it is the loss of ships which have until now deterred me from making a direct attack upon the ships within the port."

After the battle with Cervera's fleet Shafter renewed his request that Sampson force an entrance, saying his present position had cost him 1000 men and he did not wish to lose any more.

Sampson, in comment, says this showed a complete misapprehension of the circumstances. He alleges that the sinking of the Mercedes would obstruct the entrance of the larger American ships, and that extensive shore batteries were known to exist. His chief of staff had indicated to Shafter the points which should be carried before any attention was paid to the city, and the taking of these points would have insured the destruction of the mines and the entrance of the American fleet.

Shafter had cordially consented to this and Sampson did not know why the plan was changed unless the troops had been advanced too far to divert. He expressed the belief that an adherence to the original plan would have resulted in the much quicker surrender of the Spanish troops and less loss of life, except by the navy, which would have borne the brunt of the attack.

Sampson tells how he contemplated bringing up the marine battalion from Guantanamo, landing it at the foot of Morro to assist in assault or to take the west battery, and had no doubt of the success of his plan. He arranged to visit Shafter to talk this over, but, being ill, was obliged to send Chief of Staff Captain Chadwick. They reached an arrangement to bombard Santiago from the sea for 24 hours with the heavy guns, and, if that failed to bring the enemy to terms, then to assault the Socapa battery with the marines and Cubans, and force an entrance to the harbor with some of the smaller ships.

Admiral Sampson says: "I have been surprised to see published in the papers any statement of refusal on my part to endeavor to force my way into the harbor, and cannot understand—in case the newspaper report be a truthful statement of what was sent by him—General Shafter's sending any report of this kind.

"I here, moreover, would animadvert upon the apparently extraordinary openness with which every detail of hope, effort or suggestion on the part of the army, has been published. The unwisdom of such procedure is too manifest for discussion."

After referring to the existence of what he terms an indefinite truce at that time, Sampson quotes a message from Shafter, dated July 10, asking him to begin firing on the city, according to program, but to be careful to put his shots well to the westward, near the bay, to avoid disastrous moral effect upon his soldiers. He quotes a dispatch from Secretary Long, saying that the secretary of war desires Sampson to force the harbor; that he wishes to do all that is reasonable to bring about the surrender, and leaves the matter to Sampson's discretion, "except that the United States armored vessels must not be risked."

The admiral says: "I take this to be a continuation of the preceding matter to which I have referred. I think that the falsity of the suggestion that the navy was unwilling to co-operate in forcing an entrance to Santiago is already sufficiently shown. I would, however, add to show the good will of the navy and my desire and understanding that in case the enemy failed to come to terms through bombardment, the harbor should be forced; that in the meanwhile all preparations were completed for countermining, the mines having been removed for this purpose from the Resolute to the collier Lebanon, Lieutenants Roy Smith and E. E. Capehart, who are mining experts, placed aboard the Lebanon, and everything arranged for action whenever desired. The only reason for postponement came from the general commanding the army.

"The navy has been placed in such an invidious and false position before the country, through the very unwise publication of General Shafter's telegrams, that I think this matter should in some way be made clear to the public."

In a report, dated July 28, Sampson informs Secretary Long that steps should be taken at once to garrison and clean up Guantanamo, and says that, while perfectly willing to aid in the work, he hesitates to take any steps without request from the army.

In another report, dated Aug. 1, from Sampson to the secretary of the navy, Sampson goes over again all the circumstances connected with the joint operations before Santiago, in order, as he says, that a more complete history of the action of the fleet in combination with the army may be at the disposal of the department.

Humane Official.

Havana, Dec. 1.—General Castellanos, while leaving the palace yesterday, stopped casually to inspect some food that was being served to soldiers in the palace yard. He tasted it and called the quatermaster sergeant and gave him a sound dressing down for putting such "stuff" before soldiers. It is not the first time he has rebuked the officer for the same cause since he assumed the governor generalship.

May Close Sundays.

Santiago, Dec. 1.—General Wood has been petitioned by several merchants for permission to close their stores on Sunday. Under the Spanish law they are compelled to keep them open until noon. General Wood granted all such requests. He has also issued a special order directing that the liquor saloons be kept closed on that day.

Magazines.

We have received the November number of Little Folks, beginning with the new volume. The first number of this magazine for children from three to eight was issued a year ago, and at once took rank as the best publication of the kind ever issued. Under the experienced editorship of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, it has steadily improved. This number opens with a charming frontispiece, and is full of fine pictures, all fresh and new. Miss Gertrude Smith contributes the first of twelve Roggie and Reggie Stories, about twins not quite three years old, which has many illustrations, arranged in a novel manner. Miss Johnson gives one of her picture guessing stories, called "Where was the little white Dog?" Published by S. E. Cassino, Boston.

The artistic cover design of the November Woman's Home Companion, an interpretation of Keats' beautiful poem to autumn, is but one of the many attractive features of the Thanksgiving number. The new story, "A Conspiracy," by Harriet Prescott Spofford, is a tale of wealth and Washington society. Further chapter of Francis Lynde's successful romance, "A Worshipful Ancestry," develop unexpected complication. "A Thanksgiving in Bohemia," by Josephine Hill, can be readily adapted as a home play for a holiday house party. Other stories are by Robert C. V. Meyer, Pauline Shackleford Colyar and William O. Stoddard.

"His Baptism of War, Among Cuban Insurgents and Spaniards," is the title of a new novel by Edgar R. Hoadley, now in press, to be issued by F. Tennyson Neely, New York. Advance sheets show that it is a stirring story of war times in Cuba, and it will no doubt, appeal not only to the soldier who went to Cuba, and is familiar with its scenes, but to the "boys" who hoped to go and had to remain at home. All lovers of a story with "go" in it will be entertained by its vivid descriptions of chivalrous actions and heroic deeds by flood and field.

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DYER—In South Weymouth, Nov. 28, Mrs. Elizabeth, widow of Calvin Dyer late of Worcester, aged 82 years.

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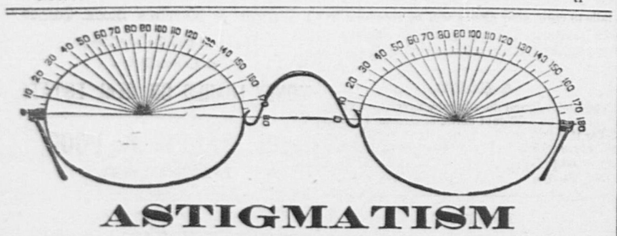

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slowly, but the most important wreck reported yesterday was that of the schooner King Philip somewhere on Cape Cod, near Highland light. Her crew went to their destruction.

A conservative estimate of the loss of life from vessels in New England waters greatly exceeds 200, including the steamer Portland's victims. If all the crews of vessels, the safety of which are still in doubt, have perished, then the list of dead will total far beyond any figure now set.

Crew Safely Landed.

Boston, Dec. 1.—A private telegram received in this city announces the probable loss of the Puritan line steamer Scottish King, commanded by Captain James and bound for Antwerp to this port. The vessel ran ashore at 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning, 10 miles northeast from Cape Race, N. F., during a dense fog. The crew, numbering 35 men, were all landed in safety. It was impossible for the officers of the steamer to see their dangerous surroundings until they brought up on the rocks, and when the steamer struck she began to fill immediately, showing that her bottom had been punctued by the jagged rocks. The vessel will undoubtedly prove a total loss, as she is in a dangerous and most exposed position and is full of water.

Pentagoet Missing.

New York, Dec. 1.—The officers of the Manhattan Steamship company, owners of the steamship Pentagoet, fear that something has happened to her. She left this port Thursday last, bound for Bangor, Me., and nothing has been heard since concerning her.

Secretary Weiss, of the company, said yesterday that the boat was in charge of Captain O. R. Ingram, who was thoroughly familiar with the New England coast. There was a possibility that when the storm came up Saturday evening he might have put out to sea to avoid all possibility of going ashore.

There were no passengers on board, and the crew comprised 16 or 17 men. The steamship carried 160 tons of miscellaneous goods, and was due in Bangor Sunday morning.

Off Block Island.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 1.—Reports from Block island bring tales of loss of life and wreckage along the beaches, while the force of the wind on Sunday was 110 miles an hour. It was the most severe storm in the remembrance of the islanders. There is much fear expressed by the inhabitants of Newport as to the safety of many of the residents of the island, who have been penned up since last Saturday.

Ashore Off Nahant.

Swampscott, Mass., Dec. 1.—The three-masted schooner Edgar Hanson, coal laden, bound for Portsmouth, N. H., went ashore on Dread ledge, off Nahant, yesterday. She lies in a dangerous position, and if the wind changes she is liable to be battered to pieces on the rocks. The Swampscott life saving crew went to her assistance. She carried a crew of six men.

Driven on Rocks.

North Weymouth, Mass., Dec. 1.—The two-masted schooner C. B. Kennard is ashore off Fort point. The schooner left Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, with a cargo composed of 60,000 brick, consigned to Weymouth. She anchored off Fort point, but the anchor chain parted and the vessel was driven on the rocks. Captain Freeman, Mate Brown and two seamen reached shore after great difficulty. The vessel's sails were carried away and she has two holes stove in her bow. She went ashore within 200 feet of where she was built.

Carried Fourteen Men.

Gloucester, Mass., Dec. 1.—Fears are entertained here for the safety of the fishing schooner F. R. Walker of this port. The coast guards at Race Point report seeing considerable wreckage marked F. R. Walker. She was commanded by Frank Miller, and had a crew of 14 men.

Haps and Mishaps.

The extent of the damage done by the late blizzard along Salisbury Beach, Mass., is greater than at first reported. Wreckage of all descriptions is strewn along the sands, and the damage to beach property is considerable. The cottages have suffered great damage from the high seas.

The contract for floating the steamer Fairfax, aground in Vineyard sound, has been awarded to the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking company. The work of removing her cargo has already commenced.

The schooner Wilson and Willard, which went ashore on Ten Pound island, off Gloucester, was hauled off. She is badly damaged.

Schooner Senator Frye, which was blown ashore at East Gloucester, was hauled off with but slight damage.

Schooner Rienzi, which went ashore at Niles Beach, was hauled off, apparently but little damaged.

The Wilson liner Ohio, which was beached on Spectacle island, Boston harbor, in the storm of Saturday, was pulled off yesterday by five tugs, and was brought to her dock.

A dispatch from St. John's says the steamer Monticello, which left Port Daniels for Halifax some days ago, has been heard from and is safe.

Schooner Emma M. Dyer, which was abandoned, and whose crew was taken off and carried to New York by the steamer Herman Winter, was valued at $6000. She was insured for $3878.

Schooner Shenandoah, at Gloucester from the Grand Banks, had her dories smashed and oil butts washed overboard.

Schooner Edward A. Rich had some dories smashed and bulwarks washed off.

Schooner New England, Captain Lewis, encountered the gale on the western part of Georges. She sustained slight damage. After the storm she sighted a burning coaster, possibly the Narcissus, as she was set on fire when abandoned.

Schooner B. R. Woodside, from Norfolk, which was reported lost, was anchored in Vineyard sound during the storm, and rode it out in safety.

TRIO OF BOLD THIEVES

Took Big Chances In Dealing With Chinese Laundrymen at Haverhill.

Haverhill, Mass., Dec. 1.—Three robberies were attempted last night by three young men, strangers in this city. Their crimes were the most daring attempted here for a long time. Chinese laundries were chosen for their work. All were centrally located, and the time was about 6 o'clock, when the streets were filled with people. The first place visited was the laundry of Ching See on Washington avenue. This shop they entered about 5:45, and, presenting a revolver at the Chinaman's head, demanded money. The latter retreated into the back room, secured a cleaver and gave battle, but his assailants managed to lay him out behind the counter and escaped without, however, securing any money.

Half an hour later they called at the laundry of Wong Way in Sargent square. The revolver was brought into play again and one man took $60 from the Mongolian's pockets, while another secured $4 from the money drawer. They met with little resistance here and got away before any outcry was made.

They next went to Moy Shee's laundry on Fifth avenue, where they went through the same performance with the revolver. The Chinaman, however, made a loud outcry and Henry S. Sprague, who was in an adjoining store, rushed in to see what was the matter. He was met by one of the robbers, who pushed the revolver in his face and ordered him to keep quiet while the other two make a hasty exit, the third man following quickly. No money was taken at this place, but the Chinaman was quite severely assaulted, several bad gashes being cut in his head by the butt end of the revolver. The strangers were about 20 years of age.

To Modify Regulations,

Washington, Dec. 1.—The Anglo-American commission held a joint session and a number of committee meetings yesterday, resulting in much progress. The joint meeting was devoted mainly to questions affecting the great lakes and to the subject of railway transportation in bond across the border. As to the lakes, it is understood that a very full understanding has been reached which is practically final. The main points in dispute as to lakes relate to the fisheries and the maintenance and building of warships on the inland waters. As to the lake fisheries, it is understood that the agreement contemplates a joint regulation for a closed season, size of nets, etc. Concerning the building and maintenance of armed vessels, it is understood that each side has been willing to grant concessions, and that the present regulation will be considerably modified.

An Advocate of Whipping Posts.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The whipping post as a legal instrument of corporal punishment of certain classes of criminals is favored by President Shortall of the Illinois Humane society. At a meeting of representatives of charitable organizations Mr. Shortall urged legislation to that effect. Bodily punishment for woman beaters, incorrigible and dangerous vagrants and more particularly the "hoodlum" class, was, according to Mr. Shortall, an absolute necessity.

No Known Cause.

Salem, Mass., Dec. 1.—Willard F. Derby, a bookkeeper in the Asiatic National bank, shot himself in the head last night and died a few hours later. He was 26 years of age, a member of several clubs, and very popular. No reason can be assigned for the suicide at present, but it is stated positively that no financial troubles were the cause. He left letters for his mother and two of his friends, but their contents have not yet been made public.

Wreck and Loss of Life.

Nelson, B. C., Dec. 1.—The Ainsworth, a small steamer plying between Nelson and Bonner's Ferry, was wrecked Tuesday night during a storm on Kootenai lake, six of her crew and three passengers being drowned. When about 2½ miles from shore, during a heavy gale, the Ainsworth was struck by a squall and commenced taking in water. The captain headed her for shore, but she reeled over on her side, filling immediately.

Made but Eighteen Knots.

Philadelphia, Dec. 1.—The official trial of the torpedo boat Mackenzie, which took place over the government official course, below Wilmington, Del., was not a success, and another trial will be made. The contract speed of the Mackenzie is 20 knots an hour, but the highest attained on her full speed trial was only 18 knots.

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Convents Are Watched.

Bordeaux, Dec. 1.—Advices received here from Bilbao, Spain, refer to the rigorous anti-Carlist precautions taken in that district. The convents, it appears, are particularly watched. Portraits of Don Carlos and Don Jaime, his son, have been widely distributed. A small band of Carlists has appeared near Alcala, in the province of Castellon de la Plana. It is being pursued by gendarmes.

Can Cure Snake Bites.

Washington, Dec. 1.—Consul Skinner at Marseilles reports that Dr. Calmette, of the Pasteur institute at Lille, has discovered an anti-venomous serum, by means of which the poisoning from snake bites can always be checked and death prevented if the serum be injected within four hours after the person has been bitten.

Charley Mitchell Again.

London, Dec. 1.—George W. Moore, otherwise "Pony" Moore, has deposited $1000 with Sporting Life with the intention of arranging a match between his son-in-law, Charley Mitchell, and Sharkey, the American pugilist, for $2500 or $5000 a side and the best purse offered,

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Spanish mail steamer Covadonga, which sailed from Havana, carried 2468 troops. The Villaverde carried 228.

Dan Creedon and Joe Green were matched by the National Athletic club of San Francisco. They will fight the last of December.

The warships Oregon and Iowa have been ordered to proceed from Montevideo to Valparaiso, where further orders will await them. Their future destination will be determined by events.

The first prize in yesterday's Havana lottery fell to the government, the winning ticket being among those unsold and thus, under the regulations, becoming government property.

The Comal sails today from New York to Savannah, where she will complete the landing of 1,500,000 rations for the destitute people of Cuba. The point where she will land has not been determined. The Bratton is now unloading 700 tons of provisions in the province of Pinar del Rio.

The woman who is weak, nervous, tired and exhausted; who has a poor and variable appetite and no strength or nerve; who suffers from pains and aches, dragging down and buruing sensations; and who recognizes, herself, that she has become irritable, cross, blue and despondent, is in almost every case suffering from weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs that bear the burdens of maternity.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Third Quarter	6	5:21 a. m.	First Quarter	19	10:37 p. m.
New Moon	13	6,59 a. m.	Full Moon	27	6:58 p. m.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—6:55; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—8:16 p. m.
High water—1:45 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.

The storm passed off northeastward yesterday, causing only light snows and brisk winds for a short time on the New England coast. The conditions generally have become more settled, and fair weather now is probable, for several days, with seasonable temperatures and light to fresh westerly winds.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.30, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

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Eastern District.

On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

A HULL THEIR COFFIN.

Belief Regarding Victims of the Portland Wreck.

The Number Will Never Be Accurately Known.

Evidence That End Came Suddenly and Without Warning.

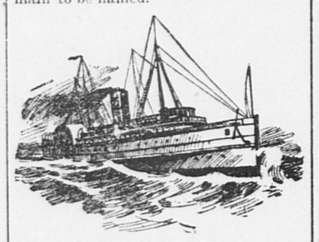
Late Reports From Isolated Points of Other Marine Disasters.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 2.—Another day has passed and the mystery of the steamer Portland wreck has not been given up by the everchanging sea as it dashes upon Cape Cod shores. Anxiety still hangs heavily on hundreds of people, who have hurried to help in the work of saving bodies from the surf, and after securing to identify them. A most beautiful day shone, in great contrast to the terrible weather of the past four days, and showed up more pitifully than ever the ravages of the elements.

It was a day of constant watching of more than 30 miles of coast line, and the sea begrudgingly held its victims within its awful depths, only surrendering a meagre five. These, with the 16 previously found, makes a total of only 21 out of the entire passenger and crew list, the exact number of which is still unknown.

The number of people who went to their death on the Portland will never be known, but almost hourly missing persons are reported from different places in New England until now it seems probable that the number was over 150. The prospects are favorable that the incoming tide today will be accompanied by an undertow, which will be likely to cast up great quantities of wreckage all along the coast. This will be favorable to the recovery of bodies not only at Cape Cod but at other places where so many sailors went to their death.

Of the bodies recovered hereabouts, 13 have been identified, and eight remain to be named.



THE PORTLAND.

The number of strangers who are here looking for bodies has increased with each train, until now there are far more searchers than there are bodies. Then, too, the number of bodies identified exceeds the number not known, and as the probability increases that few more are likely to be recovered those who are looking for friends show plainly the desperate state of anxiety into which they have been thrown.

Those in charge of bodies which have been recovered express a strong hope that those who have identified bodies will remove them as soon as the necessary formalities can be carried out, as the undertakers and others are sorely cramped for room, and as they have not the facilities for caring for such an unusual number of corpses. The probabilities, possibilities, explanations and theories concerning the wreck are beyond number. Two facts which receive, perhaps, more attention than any others are the absence of any fragment of a boat or liferaft from the mass of wreckage, and the strange phenomenon which was witnessed by the patrol early Sunday morning. In the first instance, nothing having the appearance of a boat or a part of one or other life saving apparatus, save the ordinary cork preservers and life belts from the Portland, have been discovered. Nearly all of the life preservers which have come ashore have had the straps tied in more or less bungling fashion, as if by hands ignorant of the proper method of attaching them or by those made almost impotent by fear. In nearly all cases the straps are broken, as if they had buoyed up those who wore them until the bodies were torn from them by the waves probably after life had passed. As to the storm center the life savers at the Race point station are the only ones who tell of that sudden lull in the gale during which they so plainly heard the blasts from the distressed steamer. It was as if the furious tempest had ceased entirely for the space of a breath, and then as suddenly began again with renewed violence. This seems to be one of the most remarkable features in connection with the wreck.

Of all the wreckage known to have come from the Portland, only parts of the superstructure have been cast ashore. As this is believed to indicate that the vessel foundered, hull intact, it is probable that many bodies are confined in the sunken vessel.

The evidence at hand is taken to indicate that after hours of intense suspense the end came suddenly and the victims and doomed vessel sank to their watery graves without warning.

A list of the unidentified dead follows:

Unknown man now at Orleans, weight 135 pounds, aged 38, height 5 feet 5 inches, red moustache, dark eyes and hair, dark vest, white shirt, brown necktie, congress shoes, brown suit, heavy black overcoat.

Unknown man, 35 years old, at Provincetown. Five feet 8 inches, 150 pounds, light complexion, sandy moustache, finely dressed.

Body of man also found off Old Harbor station, Chatham. Was that of a man 5 feet 11 inches in height, weight about 140 pounds, with dark brown hair and moustache. It was dressed in black suit with short, blue overcoat.

Unknown colored man at Provincetown. Bunch of keys found in his pocket marked "Portland." About 28 years old.

Unknown woman at Provincetown, 45 years old, weight about 200 pounds, 5 feet 9 inches in height, dark hair streaked with gray.

Unknown woman at Eastham, about 42 years of age, 5 feet 3 inches tall, dark hair streaked with gray. She weighed about 130 pounds.

Man found near Old Harbor station, Chatham. Body was nude, and on left forearm was letters "A. D." tattoed in red India ink with American shield, star, anchor and clasped hands.

Unknown woman found at Nauset.

Eleven Men Saved.

Baltimore, Dec. 2.—Captain Appleby and 10 of the crew of the American bark St. Lucie, which is now supposed to be at the bottom of the Atlantic, were rescued by the British steamship Orthia, of and from Glasgow, and were landed here yesterday. One man was drowned by the capsizing of the lifeboat while the men were trying to leave the vessel.

All Hands Perished.

Boston, Dec. 2.—Schooner L. V. Beebe, from Philadelphia, Nov. 11, for Boston, with 1062 tons of coal, has been totally wrecked on Black Rock, near Cohasset, and all hands, eight in number, perished. This vessel and cargo were valued at about $35,000. She was commanded by Captain Daniels, whose son was mate.

Lightship Safe.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.—The Pollosk Rip lightship, which was wrenched from its position at the eastern entrance to Nantucket sound by the force of the storm, and which was believed to have been lost with all on board, is safe. It was picked up by the Switzerland on Tuesday, 269 miles east-northeast of Cape Henlopen and towed into the Delaware capes yesterday. The task of picking up the helpless ship was attended by great danger, and the Switzerland lost her moorings and 60 fathoms of chain in doing so. The lightship had drifted 800 miles.

Wrecks Off Long Island.

New York, Dec. 2.—The full story of the havoc done in Port Jefferson bay, L. I., by the recent storm, has just been received here. Schooner Hard Chance attempted to make the harbor, but was driven on the rocks at Oldfield Point, where she lies broken in two. Her crew of four men perished. The schooner yacht Alsacienne filled and sank at her anchorage, where she rests on the bottom. The schooner yachts Carlotta, Wayward, Comanche and Neara dragged their anchors and went ashore. The Neara lost all her spars. Schooner Olive Leaf was driven against a dock and lies there a complete wreck. All of the sloops and catboats housed in the basin were ground to kindling wood. The damage to shipping in Port Jefferson bay is estimated at more than $100,000.

Loss of the Leavitt.

Portland, Me., Dec. 2.—The schooner Clara Leavitt, reported lost off Vineyard Haven, was a Portland vessel. Her regular master is Captain B. F. Lombard of this city. For this trip he took a rest, and his brother, Captain J. E. Lombard of Massachusetts, was in command. The mate was Gus Rathjin. One of the seamen was P. J. Sparrow of this city. The others of the crew were Thomas Moore, G. L. K. Martin and Thomas B. Handy.

The Missing Pentagoet.

New York, Dec. 2.—The officers of the Manhattan Steamship company are still without tidings of the steamship Pentagoet, which sailed last Saturday for Bangor, Me. Fears that she foundered in the gale that night increase as the time passes, though the company has not wholly given up.

Told In Paragraphs.

The report that a letter, purporting to come from the schooner White Wings of Gloucester, and which was found in a bit of bamboo at Plymouth, Mass., causes no anxiety, from the fact that no such schooner hails from Gloucester.

Schooner Princess, of Port Gilbert, reported from Gloucester as probably lost, has arrived at Sandy Cove, N. S., after thrilling experiences. Schooner Daniel Simmons, Captain James W. Doane, of Digby, which was some miles behind the Princess, has not arrived, and fears are entertained for her safety.

Schooner Mary A. Tyler, from Gardiner, Me., for New York, was totally wrecked off Brewster, Mass., on Nov. 26. The crew were saved.

At Brant Rock the people happened to be there during the storm had a narrow escape. Nearly all who could, after leaving the life saving station, which became submerged, found refuge in Grace chapel, a stone church. Here many slept Sunday night.

The two-master William M. Everett was lost in the blizzard on the Long Island coast. She was totally wrecked. The crew were saved.

Barge Ocean Belle, before reported lost while bound from Newport News to Providence, was picked up at sea Monday by the ocean going tug North America and towed safely into Delaware breakwater.

Schooner Forest Queen, Bangor for Stonington, ashore at Fort Point, Me., is a total wreck.

Schooner Amy Knight, for Boston from Bangor, which has been missing, has been located ashore and in bad condition on White island, off Vinal Haven. The crew is safe.

REFUGE IN A STORE.

Non-Unionists Tried to Get Away From Strikers at Marlboro.

Threats Made by Crowd Which Quickly Gathered.

Alarm In Police Circles Over the Prospects of Serious Trouble.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 2.—The entire police department, headed by City Marshal Curtis, was out last evening to keep within the bounds of the law the crowd of strikers who continue to make things warm for the workmen in the Middlesex factory of Rice & Hutchins.

Last night's incidents were attended with more exciting scenes than heretofore, and for a while it looked as if the police would have their hands full. The help in the factory was dismissed earlier than is customary, before an opportunity was afforded for a large crowd to collect. Nearly all of the hands boarded a car and passed unnoticed.

A young man, Burgess F. Putnam, and a woman from Spencer started down East Main street on foot. They were closely followed by a crowd, which continued to increase until Main street was reached, when there were probably 500 people hurrying after them.

The police were on the alert and the crowd was kept under control. Nearly opposite city hall the throng had assumed such dimensions that the couple became alarmed and sought refuge in a nearby drug store. More than 1000 people gathered outside, but the police succeeded in keeping them in motion, although increasing in numbers every moment. The man and woman sought retirement in the rear of the drug store, and after half an hour the crowd dispersed, as it was thought the objects of their resentment had escaped by a rear door.

Cries of "Bring them out!" fell upon their ears, and threats were heard, but were evidently halfhearted and made for the sake of saying something.

Burgess Putnam came out of the store when the mob had dispersed and was returning to his home when he was jeered at by George O'Donnell, it is alleged. Officer Callahan arrested O'Donnell on the charge of disturbing the peace.

The attitude of the strikers is causing considerable alarm in police circles and trouble is anticipated.

At labor headquarters everything continues quiet, and the situation sees no change from day to day.

In all circles there is not much significance attached to the board of arbitration's presence Thursday.

Nothing to Add.

New York, Dec. 2.—General Shafter was shown a copy of Admiral Sampson's report on the operations of the United States fleet at Santiago after the destruction of the Spanish squadron, in which the admiral denounced as false the suggestion which he attributed to General Shafter, that the navy was unwilling to co-operate in forcing an entrance to the harbor, and intimated that the services of the navy were not properly recognized by the commander of the land forces. General Shafter did not conceal the fact that Admiral Sampson's criticisms annoyed him greatly, but he declined to go into any extended reply to them. "This controversy has been fought over before," he said. "The records speak for themselves. My letters and dispatches to Admiral Sampson as given in his report tell the story. I have nothing to add to them."

Tanner Among the Indicted.

Carlinville, Ills., Dec. 2.—The Virden riots' grand jury made its formal report to Judge Shirley last evening. The grand jury returned true bills against the participants in the tragedy of Oct. 12 at Virden. Ten indictments, involving 54 persons, were returned. Against John R. Tanner, governor of Illinois, there are three counts for palpable omission of duty and malfeasance of office. Fred W. Lukens, general manager of the Chicago-Virden Coal company, is charged with manslaughter on two counts. With Lukens, his deputies, Frank Wilder, J. F. Sickles and J. H. Smith, are indicted for the killing of Joseph Gitterelle, a Mount Olive miner. Sixteen Thiel guards are held for riot.

No Trace of Crew.

Plymouth, Mass., Dec. 2.—A wreck is on the ledge off Rocky Hill, five miles below here. She appears to be a large craft and is only visible when the sea is running high, as she is in the breakers at other times. The beach is heaped up with seaweed and possibly the bodies are in this.

Seven Perished.

Buzzards Bay, Mass., Dec. 2.—A member of the life-saving crew at Gay Head reached here yesterday morning and reported that on Sunday last schooners Queen Hester, Vivian and Clara C. Baker went to pieces on the fated rocks where the City of Columbus perished some years ago. The life-saving station crew, during 48 hours of unceasing and unbroken efforts, succeeded in launching their surf boats for 10 trips to vessels, and succeeded in rescuing 19 of the several crews. Seven, however, perished before assistance could reach them.

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Willard Street, West Quincy, Mass.,
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THE Quarry is dark stock and considered one of the best in the City of Quincy. This sale includes about 1 3-4 acres of land and all the buildings thereon, also 1 derrick, steam engine, drills and all the appliances ready for the granite business. The quarry is well located on line of Quincy Quarry Railroad. This is one of the best opportunities ever offered in the City for a party to engage in the Granite Business. For plan of the land and terms of sale inquire of Auctioneer or Hon. William A. Hodges. Sale positive, rain or shine. By order of
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Nov. 11—St. 11, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30, 1, 2

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LARGE AUCTION SALE
—OF—
HOTEL FURNISHINGS,
Household Furniture and Carriages
Of the well-known caterer, ALEX. E. NASH, will be sold on the premises,
148 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.,
FRIDAY, Dec. 9, '98, at 1.30 P. M. sharp.

The Household Goods consist in part as follows: 3 Pine Chamber Sets, 3 Oak Chamber Sets, 3 painted Chamber Sets, Springs, Mattresses, Bolsters, Comforters, Sheets, Commode Sets, and the entire furnishings of 7 Chambers. Straw and Woolen Carpets, 3 Parlor Stoves, 3 Air-tight Stoves, Extension Table (10 foot,) 12 Dining Room Chairs, 75 Odd Chairs, Mirrors, Lamps, Ice Chest, 2 Crawford Ranges in good order, Large lot of Crockery and Tin Ware, Large Counter with Drawers, Curtains, 5 Tables with Marble Slabs, and a large variety of useful household goods.

CARRIAGES.

Promptly at 4.30 P. M. on day of above sale, on the premises the following carriages will be sold: 1 Covered Buggy, 1 Covered Phaeton Buggy, 1 Open Buggy, 1 Beach Wagon, 1 Tip Cart and Harness.

Mr. Nash will continue his catering business in the rear of the hotel.

Sale positive. Terms cash. Large assortment of goods.
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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	26	50	55	69
Monday	33	44	32	70
Tuesday	33	45	43	46
Wednesday	34	47	32	38
Thursday	43	42	35	31
Friday	39	43	35	26
Saturday	—	36	35	23

New Advertisements Today.

People's Course.
National Granite Bank—Annual meeting.
Probate notice.
Williams' Jewelry Store.
J. Edward Wilson—Optician.
Souvenir night, T. R. & S. A.
Election extras—Daily Ledger.

Dr. Tuttle Back.

Dr. George H. Tuttle has returned to resume his practice in Quincy. The doctor was one of the first physicians to volunteer his services to the government during the great crisis in the hospital at Montauk Point, Long Islands. The late Sherman Hoar, through Dr. Prescott, ordered him to report for duty at once. While at Montauk the doctor had charge of two of the largest wards in Detention Hospital. He devoted special attention to the boys of the 2d and 9th Massachusetts regiments. As a reward for his success in management he was personally complimented by President McKinley, and assigned to the 6th regiment of the regular army. After fulfilling the duties of a regular army surgeon for three months, he resigned and will now resume practice in Quincy.

Unique Display.

Since the advent of the brilliant little incandescent electric lights, many unique form of show window displays have been made possible, which have been taken advantage of in several instances by Quincy business men. This year T. L. Williams, the jeweller, has devised the most unique affair yet shown in Quincy. In one of his large show windows has been erected a frame, somewhat triangular in shape. Taking up two sides of the triangle is the word Christmas formed with letters made of holly, while across the third side is the date 1898. On each of the letters of the word is an electric light the colors of the globes alternating red, white and blue. On each of the lights is hung a gold watch and on the wires furishing the current to the lamps are gold chains and other jewelry. By a clock arrangement in the rear and out of sight the lights are manipulated Commencing with the first letter in the word, the letters one at a time are made to flash for a second and then go out until the last letter in the word is reached when the whole word is illuminated for a few seconds. All lights then go out and the spelling of the word commences again. Without doubt it is the best thing of the kind yet shown in Quincy, and is attracting a great deal of attention.

Souvenir Night,

December 9th, 1898, to be held in MUSIC HALL, QUINCY. The opening night for the course of 5 Grand Socials and Ball to be given by the T. R. & S. A. A., will be noted as being a souvenir night. Every one being present on that evening will be presented with a souvenir stick pin made of the best Tubular Rivet and Stud that can be manufactured and will be fit for either Lady or Gent as an ornament. Don't forget the place or date, Music Hall, Quincy, Dec. 9, 1898.

Tickets for the Socials, Gent and Lady 50 cents. Extra Lady 25 cents. Season Tickets, Gent and Lady $3.00. Lady $1.25. Ball Tickets, Gent and Lady $1.00. Extra Lady 25 cents. The Season Tickets admits to the Socials and the Ball. Tickets for sale by the members of the Association and also at Durgin's Drug Store, Quincy.
Quincy, Dec. 2. 1-6t—p-1w

—With the November bank clearings in Boston the largest on record, the Globe says it is evident that there is a substantial business boom.

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.
R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

THE "BLIND TIGERS."

A Temptation to Soldier Boys But Guards Surround Them.

With Co. K, 5th Mass.,
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Nov. 30.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

This morning is nice and warm, the finest day we have had since leaving Camp Meade.

Today is the regular monthly inspection the ranks are very thin owing to the large detail which has been taken from each company for provost guard in and around Greenville. The detail from Co. K is: Lieut. Whitney, Corp. McIntosh Privates Garbutt, Clements, Serberg, Thurstrom, Logan, Buckley, R. F. Colberg, and Deslauries. They were detailed for three days but the Mayor and 100 prominent citizens of Greenville petitioned the Colonel of the Fifth for an extension, and it is probable that they will remain on provost guard for three weeks. We have had very bad weather since we arrived here Monday. We had a hail, rain and snowstorm all combined.

Last night it was a very peculiar sight to see the stove pipes extending over the tops of all the tents but on entering the tents we observe the nice warm fire in the Sibley stoves which have just been issued by the government. We have also received the bed sacks and straw which are a great advantage over the hemlock floors which we have had to sleep upon.

A very funny instance happened to one of our popular corporals not long since. He wished to be transferred to the 2d Division Hospital Corps and put the whole matter in the hands of one whom he thought capable, but found on examination of the papers handed to him that it was a transfer, not to the 2d Division Hospital Corps, but to the regular army for three year.

We have a very healthy camp here, and none of our company are on the sick list. Some have slight colds, but taken as a whole we have a very healthy company.

The writer had occasion yesterday to visit the provost guard to have the pay roll signed, and found three of our men about two miles out from the city, guarding the entrance to some distilleries or as they term them here "blind tigers." It is a good place for the boys, when not on duty to go rabbit hunting. Although they have not got any yet they think that with good luck they may.

Three more of our boys are stationed two miles in the other direction from the city at the station.

These of course have a chance to see the people coming and going on the trains. A little excitement once in a while that is the only enjoyment they have.

We have now gone over the ground where some of our men are; now let us look and see where our Lieutenant is situated. In the Chief of Police's room we find all the officers of the provost. It is a large pleasant room and the Chief of Police drops in occasionally to have a chat with the officers.

Quartermaster Sergeant Crane has his hands about full supplying the provost guard and guards which go over to the brigade headquarters with rations. Beside these he has the company to look after.

Sergt. Mohan is still the battalion sergeant Major.

Corp. Matthews and Private Osgood left Saturday for Massachusetts on 20-days' furlough.

Wagoner Livendale is quite busy nowadays with his mules.

The guard for today are: Ross, Rogers and Robinson.

Guard for 24 hours to brigade headquarters: Savoie, Spillane, Swanson.

PRIVATE.

G. A. R. Officers.

Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., elected these officers at its meeting Thursday night:

Commander,—William H. Warner.
S. V. Commander, — John D. Williams.
J. V. Commader, — Edward J. Lennon.
Surgeon,—H. C. Hallowell, M. D.
Chaplain,—James F. Merrill.
Quarter Master, — Andrew W. Gardner.
Officer of the Day,—Warren Dunbar.
Officer of the Guard,—William M. Bird.
Delegates to the Department Convention,—I. M. Holt and James F. Merrill.
Alternates to the Department Convention,—James H. Webb and George L. Phillips.

Hopes for Increase.

The editors of the Duty of the Hour forward the following received too late for publication: "There should be only one opinion in regard to the No-License question as the past has shown, and I trust the No-License vote will increase each year.

Yours truly,
Charles M. Bryant.

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Keith's Vote in 1890.

The vote of H. A. Keith, when he was elected at large on the School Committee, has been called. Mr. Keith was elected by a plurality of 33 votes over Sylvester Brown, the chairman of the board. It was in a year when the management of the schools was at issue and shortly after Mr. Keith's removal from the principalship of the High school. Hon. H. O. Fairbanks was that year elected Mayor by 65 plurality, and with him the five Republican candidates at large for the City Council, but the feeling against the School Committee was such that not only Mr. Keith was elected, but also Rev. A. F. Roche from Ward Four, and Elijah G. Hall from Ward Six, both Democrats. The vote in 1890 was small compared with today and was as follows by wards for School Committee and Mayor:

	School Committee.		Mayor.	
	Brown.	Keith.	Fairbanks.	Witham.
Ward One,	214	207	265	177
Ward Two,	167	193	193	183
Ward Three,	212	221	241	206
Ward Four,	190	335	191	359
Ward Five,	199	63	177	94
Ward Six,	107	103	127	110
	1,089	1,122	1,194	1,129

Bodies at Nantasket.

The Journal reports that another body of an unknown man was washed up by the sea at the foot of Atlantic Hill, Nantasket Beach on Thursday.

It was entirely nude save for belt round the waist. The body was about 5 feet 7 inches tall, weight 160 pounds. The skull was badly crushed on one side and the face terribly disfigured. The body was taken to the Hull morgue. Two bodies were washed up Wednesday, making a total of five so far recovered from the depths at this place.

A large force of men is at work at the different hotels, and the Hotel Nantasket Company will rebuild at once. — Superintendent Jeffries of the Nantasket Beach branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad says it will cost the company to repair the road from Nantasket to Pemberton, $100,000.

Hundreds of people have visited the beach to view the destruction wrought by the recent storm. The electric railway cars succeeded in getting through from Hingham about noon, Thursday, after 72 hour of battling with tremendous snow drifts. Scores of men with teams have been picking up coal from the wrecks, and it will prove a godsend to many a poor family.

Masonic Installation.

The officers elect and appointive of Rural lodge, F. A. M., were privately installed Thursday evening at the regular communication, by M. W. Charles B. Lawrence, district deputy of the 24th Masonic district, and suite. As the elective officers are the same and only minor changes were made in the others:

Worshipful Master,—Henry L. Kincaide.
Senior Warden,—W. H. Whitney.
Junior Warden,—F. W. Brett.
Treasurer,—E. W. H. Bass.
Secretary,—Walter E. Simmons.
Chaplain—Rev. C. F. H. Crathern.
Marshal,—F. A. Massey.
Senior Deacon,—H. F. Pierce.
Junior Deacon,—Joseph P. Prout.
Senior Steward,—H. W. Gore, Jr.
Junior Steward,—John McKnight.
Inside Sentinel,—Perley R. Glass.
Tyler—John D. Nutting

There was an exemplification of the work, followed by refreshments. Rural lodge is in a flourising condition.

TODAY'S COURT.

Michael Carroll was sent to the house of correction for three months for drunkenness at Weymouth.

The continued cases of Thomas F. Heaney for drunkenness was called and again continued for two weeks.

The continued case of Dennis F. Whalen for drunkenness was called and he paid a fine of $5.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District Court next Tuesday:

304—Broadway National Bank vs. Niles.
327—Petterson vs. Jenness.
332—Russell vs. Goodhue.

MARRIED

VIRGO—TRAYNOR—In Boston, Nov. 24, by Rev Albert T. Lowerby, Mr. James E. Virgo of Boston to Miss Fannie C. Traynor of Quincy.

DIED.

ARCHIBALD—In Quincy, Dec. 1, Horace W. son of Mr. Joseph H. and Mrs. Lizzie Archibald, aged 10 months and 16 days.

For Sale.

The beautiful estate of N. G. Nickerson, Belmont street, Wollaston. House, stable, 36,000 feet of land; great variety of Fruit and Shade Trees. Low price and easy terms.

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CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

It is called "button hole" campaign.

The boys are getting out their double runners.

This is one of the weeks when every voter receives something through the mails.

Work has been generally suspended this week in the stone sheds and quarries.

The last three days of the St. Mary's church fair have been postponed until next week.

A pound party is to be given in Norfolk Downs hall by the A. O. U. W. next week.

Election extras will be issued by the Daily Ledger next Tuesday evening. Boys wanted.

The last week in November 1898 will not soon be forgotten by the citizens along our shores.

Up to the present time this has been the quietest municipal campaign that Quincy has ever had.

Mrs. Mary True Taylor has returned from New Hampshire to her home in Wollaston for the winter.

The telephone people have a large gang of men at work rebuilding the lines blown down by the storm.

The city teams were at work at West Quincy Thursday carting off the snow which they dumped in vacant fields.

Mrs. A. C. Roberts of Crescent street is assisting Postmaster Pearce at East Milton until he gets the run of the office.

Loads of wreckage were carted from Houghs Neck Thursday and plenty of fire wood can be obtained along the shore.

Bethany church has an accomplished organist in Jennie Hocking Hunt, and the recital next Monday evening will be a treat.

Chief Packard and Superintendent of Fire Alarm Wight have succeeded in getting all of the circuits in working order again.

There is a small "cave in" on South street at the foot of Howard street; a small hole over the culvert leading into the Bank meadow.

One man made the trip to Nantasket Thursday on his bicycle, and reports that he experienced no difficulty in riding on the snow.

Candidate Keith has his headquarters in the Adams building. The Democartic headquarters, however, are in the Hancock house.

The telephone and telegraph wires on Willard street suffered considerably by the two storms and a temporary cable has been put in use.

The open piece of track on Hancock street, opposite Saville street, that was buried with the snow, making it dangerous, as been uncovered and paved.

Capt. Freeman of the schooner C. B. Kennard, wrecked at Fort Point, was in town Thursday. It was the roughest storm he ever encounered. His vessel was laden with bricks.

The receipts of the Tax Collector's department for the months of October and November were $191,000. This was by far the largest amount ever collected by the department in any two months.

Col. Thomas, postmaster of Boston, will lecture at the Universalist church next Monday evening. Rev. E. C. Butler will introduce the speaker. Col. Thomas has the reputation of being a fine speaker.

The Methodist fair at Atlantic closed Thursday evening after a successful run of two evenings. It was largely attended and the articles sold well. The play given by the young girls was very nicely played and they deserve much credit.

Captain McLean of the steamer "John J. Hill," ashore at Rufe's Hummock, states that no attempt will be made to float his vessel this winter. He will strip her and not attempt to haul her off until the high course tides in the spring.

An examination proves that the Universalist church was more seriously damaged by the storm than at first supposed. The falling chimney tore of the slate, broke the boards and the rafter underneath, and on one side necessitated quite extensive repairs.

The People's course present a great bill for the entertainment tomorrow evening, as will be seen by advertisement. They had a good house last Saturday evening and the concert was a treat. Nothing but a full house should greet these ten-cent entertainments.

ORGAN RECITAL
at the BETHANY CHURCH,
postponed to . . . .
Monday Eve., Dec. 5th.
Quincy, Dec. 1. 4t

On Your Way to Boston
IN QUEST OF
Christmas Gifts
STEP INTO
WILLIAMS'
Jewelry Store.

Perhaps the tempting offers in Watches and other things may save you the trip to Boston. Stock is large. Goods are all right and prices low.

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With the advent of Winter the protection of the feet becomes a necessity.

Our Ladies' Box Calf Lace Boots are meeting with popular favor. They are stylish, durable and keep the feet dry and warm.

Prices, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50.

Misses' Box Calf, Spring Heel, Button and Lace,
$1.50.

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of every kind and at lowest prices is at the old stand of

J. F. SHEPPARD & SONS
Quincy, Dec. 1.

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LAST Week Mary and everybody else were invited to call at the Quincy Second Hand Variety Store. They went, and Mary tells us that she was delighted with what she found. She bought an excellent stove for half its value, a chamber set for a remarkably low figure, and small ware in abundance for almost nothing. In fact, she was so well pleased, she sent her husband, who bought all the tools he could carry off for a few dollars.

WALTER P. PINEL
is the Manager, and the store is right over here at number 20 Franklin street.
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—AND—
GOOD TRADE
Have Come Again.
We Have Nice New Goods.
Blankets,
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Table Cloths and Napkins for your Thanksgiving Dinner Table.
All at LOWEST Prices.

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The regular $10.00 kind we are selling as low as $6.50; others, $3.75 to $12.00.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Office of the City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 29, 1898.

I CERTIFY that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated and to be voted for in the City of Quincy, December 6, 1898.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

For Mayor.

Mark One.

Harrison A. Keith, Democratic.
18 River Street.
Russell A. Sears, Republican.
Elm Street.

For Councilmen-at-large.

Mark Five.

William E. Badger, Republican.
54 Crescent Street.
Frank W. Blanchard, Republican.
Brook Street.
Rupert F. Claflin, Democratic.
28 Greenleaf Street.
Alexander Clark, Republican.
8 Payne Street.
Henry G. Fay, Democratic.
Willow Street.
Richard R. Freeman, Republican
Grand View Avenue.
William W. Jenness, Democratic
Temple Street.
James E. McDonald, Democratic
52 Crescent Street.
Henry McGrath, Democratic.
27 Pleasant Street.
George A. Sidelinger, Republican
3 South Street.

For School Committee-at-large.

For Three Years.

Mark One.

Nathaniel S. Hunting, Democratic.
214 Hancock Street.
John L. Miller, Republican.
Franklin Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 1.

Mark Three.

Harold B. Faxon, Democratic.
Chestnut Street.
John W. Nash, Republican.
66 Washington Street.
Elisha Packard, Republican.
18 Elm Street.
John Swithin, Democratic Republican.
93 Granite Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 2.

Mark Three.

Fred P. Hill, Democratic.
3 Edison Park.
Eugene N. Hultman, Republican.
105 Washington Street.
Aubrey R. Keith, Republican.
18 River Street.
William Kierman, Democratic.
South Walnut Street.
Arthur W. Newcomb, Republican.
25 Howard Street.
John S. Shaw, Democratic
Quincy Avenue.

For School Committee—Ward 2.

Mark One.

Fred H. Smith, Democratic Republican.
Washington Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 3.

Mark Three.

Robert E. Foy, Democratic.
Bradford Street.
John L. Johnson, Republican.
22 Clark Avenue.
James E. Maxim, Democratic.
15 Quincy Avenue.
Daniel McLennan, Republican.
8 Federal Avenue.
Harry S. Nicoll, Republican
85 Water Street.
Edward A. Young, Democratic.
Payne Street.

For School Committee—Ward 3.

Mark One.

Mabel E. Adams, Democratic.
42 Franklin Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 4.

Mark Three.

Thomas F. Cain, Democratic.
53 Copeland Street.
John J. Dugan, Democratic.
80 Common Street.
John Evans, Republican.
24 Copeland Street
Mayo P. Fuller, Republican.
66 Crescent Street.
Thomas F. Hogan, Democratic.
116 Willard Street.
Michael Owens, Republican.
64 Willard Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 5.

Mark Three.

Charles M. Bryant, Republican.
Fenno Street.
Edward E. Jameson, Republican.
Farrington Street.
William A. Jordan, Democratic.
26 Taylor Street.
Fred P. Loud, Democratic.
Beach Street.
Walter S. Pinkham, Republican.
Warren Avenue.
David J. Roche, Democratic.
5 Carruth Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 6.

Mark Three.

Charles Alden, Republican.
20 Botolph Street.
John A. Duggan, Democratic.
37 Atlantic Street.
Walter P. Hill, Republican.
Clive Street.
John E. Poland, Republican.
Freeman Street.

To vote on the following, mark a Cross X in the square at the right of YES or NO.

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?" | Yes | | No | —

Nov. 29—6t plw

E. S. BECKFORD,
Electrician.
Wiring and Fitting for Incandescent, Motors, Dynamos, Bells, etc.
GRANITE STREET, Near the Bridge, QUINCY.
Feb. 1 1y

CITY ELECTION.

CITY OF QUINCY.

City Clerk's Office.

In accordance with provisions of Chapter 548 of the Acts of 1898, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of Quincy qualified to vote will be held on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1898.

in the following places, namely:

Ward 1.—Council Chamber, City Hall.
Ward 2.—Hose House, Washington street.
Ward 3, Precinct 1.—Doble's Hall, Franklin street.
Ward 3, Precinct 2.—Old Steamer House, School street.
Ward 4, Precinct 1.—St. Mary's Hall, Willard street.
Ward 4, Precinct 2.—Hose House, Copeland street.
Ward 5.—Polson's Building, Newport avenue.
Ward 6.—Hose House, Newbury avenue.

The polls will be opened at 6 o'clock in the morning and will be closed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and all such citizens will, in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes for Mayor, five Councilmen-at-Large, three Councilmen from each Ward, one member of the School Committee at Large for three years, one member of the School Committee for Ward Two for three years, and one member of the School Committee for Ward Three for three years; also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question: Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?

Attest: EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 28. 6t 3-1w

POLLING PLACES.

CITY OF QUINCY.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 1, 1898.

IN Accordance with the provisions of Chapter 548 of the Acts of 1898, notice is hereby given that by a vote of the City Council, passed October 31, 1898, the polling places for the City Election to be held TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1898, in the City of Quincy, were designated as follows:

WARD ONE—Council Chamber, City Hall.
WARD TWO—Hose House, Washington street.
WARD THREE, Precinct One—Doble's Hall, Franklin street.
WARD THREE, Precinct Two—Old Steamer House, School street.
WARD FOUR, Precinct One—St. Mary's Hall, Willard street.
WARD FOUR, Precinct Two—Hose House, Copeland street.
WARD FIVE—Polson's Building, Newport avenue.
WARD SIX—Hose House, Newbury avenue.

Attest: EDGAR G. CLEAVES,
City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 5, 1898. 24t

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High Winds And Colder.

About this time look out and protect yourself against the elements. You need warm underwear and gloves. The boys need heavy sweaters. We have them.

The Best Underwear To be Found Anywhere.

Sweaters that are sweaters, and Gloves from the finest dress to heavy buck. We suit everybody, both in price and quality. We are bound to satisfy our customers.

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MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER,
Organist and Choirmaster of Christ Church,
Voice, Organ. Pianoforte, and Choir Training.
Studio: Christ Church Parish House, corner of Quincy avenue and Elm street.
Residence: 16 Spear street, Quincy, Mass.
Sept. 10. tf

WEYMOUTH.

The storm of last Sunday has loosened the tower of the Universalist church so that it will have to be repaired or taken down, for the safety of passengers on Washington street.

Lovers of music will have an opportunity to enjoy the same at the dedication of the Union church on the 13th of December. Mr. H. M. Dow and a quartette will render:

Unison Chant, "Venite Exultenus."
Anthem, "Holy is the Lord," Gounod.
Solo, "I will extol Thee," Costa, Mrs. Walker.
Solo, "Consider and Hear Me," Pflueger, Miss Edmunds.
Solo, from Elijah, "Draw Near," Mr. Babcock.

Many pastors will be present to rejoice in the entire services.

The second storm on Wednesday stopped the cars on Washington street and the bells announced no school in all grades.

Our sympathies should be expressed in behalf of the family and friends of Mrs. George Chickering and Mrs. Wheeler who were lost on the Portland steamer off Truro. Mrs. Chickering leaves a husband and three daughters.

A family has moved into the house formerly occupied by Dr. Virgin on Washington street.

While the congregation that worshiped at the Union church will not soon forget their building that was destroyed by fire over fifteen months ago, they will have a kind of compensation in the beautiful, convenient and modern structure which they will enter on December 13. For compactness, ventilation, solidity, and good work there are not probably many churches of its size that are superior to it. Many are anxiously waiting to get into it because of its accommodations. They are thankful for Pythian hall, but hope for something better. This is both human and divine.

The blizzard of last Sunday having interferred with the sevices at Trinity church, Weymouth, Rev. William Hyde will begin his special course of Advent sermons next Sunday. In addition to regular services at Weymouth he will also preach in Gardner Street chapel, South Hingham, at 2.30 P. M.

On account of the missionary meeting at Christ church, Quincy, the parish guild of Trinity church, Weymouth, will meet on Thursday evening, Dec. 8, instead of Tuesday. The meeting will be held with Mrs. A. R. Hoite, King avenue, Weymouth.

Miss Agnes Hyde read at Woburn on Friday evening. She will read at the Mechanics Fair building, Boston, in January.

Entertaining and Educational.

Among the books issued by those great educational publishers, Ginn & Company of Boston, are several little volumes of particular interest to the children. While amusing they have an educational value and make excellent supplementary reading in connection with work in the public schools. Any five-year-old would enjoy for his own, the Finch Primer with its simple lessons illustrated in colors, "Earth and Sky" is a nature reader as well as a text book by J. H. Stickney, who is also author of "Pets and Companions," which is one grade higher. A variety of points in nature are brought within the field of natural expression in the first, and the second deals with living creatures. A third reader by Mr. Stickney is "In Bird World." Burt is the author of "Little Nature Studies" in two volumes, and Morley's "Seed Babies" is a very cute little book. "Stories Mother Nature Told" is another of interest in nature study. For a course of reading in history Ginn & Company publish Jane Andrews' Ten Boys, Montgomery's Beginner's American History, Tiffany's Pilgrims and Puritans, Blaisdell's Stories from English History, Davis Under Six Flags, Tiffany's from Colony to Commonwealth, Martineau's Peasant and Prince, Fiske-Irving's Washington and His Country, Kingsley's Greek Heroes, Scott's Tales of a Grandfather, Scott's Ivanhoe, and others.

There are also books for courses in historical fiction, choice biographies, favorite American and English classics, stories, fables and mythology, literature, poems, essays and English literature. In connection with geography, Fyre's "Brooks and Brook Basins," and "Our World Reader," are excellent supplementary readers, and "Geographical Plays" is unconsciously a great aid. Children enjoy all these volumes as they do not seem like text books.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

MILTON.

The East Milton postoffice is now located in the store of John Curtis. It is centrally located and although in a small room is a very neat office.

The storm has suspended work for an indefinite period on the Milton street railway.

The Granite Branch of the New Haven railroad was opened through Milton Wednesday night.

East Milton did not suffer much from Saturday night's storm. Some of the poles and wires were blown down, but the streets were not much blocked.

The East Milton fire apparatus has been placed on runners.

No school was held on Monday and Wednesday on account of the weather.

Real Estate Sales.

Thirty-one real estate sales in Quincy were recorded last week, making the total 289 for ten weeks. During the week no town in the State had as many sales and ONLY THREE cities—Boston, Springfield and Brockton. The Quincy sales:

Henry H. Savage, et al, trs., to Judd W. Cone, $1.
Herbt. T. Whitman to Mary E. Connor, $1.
Henry J. Langelier to Aug. F. Arnold, $1.
Aug. F. Arnold to Elizth. G. Langelier, $1.
Danl. J. Ennis to Jos. W. Gillis, $1.
John F. Merrill, et al, trs., to Julius Johnson, $1.
Lizzie M. Livermore to Cora L. Weeks, $1.
Reuben O. Townsend to Elizth. A. Keating, $1.
Mellen Bray to Frank Edmands, $4,000.
Phoebe G. Somes to Danl. W. Baxter, $1.
Andrew S. Adom to Danl. W. Baxter, $1.
Phoebe G. Somes to Annie W. Wood, $1.
Andrew S. Odom to Annie W. Wood, $1.
Wm. H. Baxter to Henry G. Hunter, $606.
Henry G. Hunter to Chas. C. Hanley, $600.
Danl. W. Baxter to Loring D. Baker, (2) $2.
Annie W. Wood to Loring D. Baker, $1.
Walter P. Babcock to John F. Welch, $2,100.
Julia Elcock et al, by mtgee., to Jas. H. Elcock, et al, $1.
Henry H. Savage, et al, trs., to Chas. W. F. Rawson, $1.
Charlotte E. Dewire to Francis L. Hayes, $1.
Elizth. C. Follett to Wm. F. Stedman, $1.
Wm. Cunniff to Patk. O'Brien, $1.
Jas. R. Murphy, et al, trs., to John Cassell, $1.
Eben A. Stinchfield, by mtgee. to Ella M. Snow, $1,700.
Chas. R. Putnam to Jane L. Gibbs, $1.
Walter S. Pinkham to Minnie R. Farwell, $1.
Fredk. C. Sanborn, to C. Chase Emerson, $1.
C. Chase Emerson to Elizth. Sanborn, $1.
Geo. W. Taylor, et al, to Nathan G. Nickerson, $1.

Time to Stop Work.

The store keepers along Hancock street will be more than glad when the Sewer department completes its work. As it is now, the larger part of the sidewalk is covered up with gravel and at best walking is not any too good. Then again the storekeepers, especially those who deal in Christmas goods say that unless the weather holds good the present condition of the trench and gravel will be detrimental to their trade. It is about time to stop work for the season. No new trenches should be opened.

$1.00 RIMLESS EYE GLASSES, sold elsewhere for $1.50 to $2.00. Eyes tested free by skilled opticians; no guesswork. Open evenings at the old stand, J. EDWARD WILSON'S, 14 and 15 Tremont row, Boston.

WILSON'S BIG CLOCK.
Boston, Dec. 2. 1y

ELECTION EXTRAS

Of the DAILY LEDGER
Will be Issued

Every Hour Election Night

Until Complete Returns are Received.
Look Out for Them Early.

New Agents And Newsboys

Will be Supplied Promptly.
Newsboys wanted at 6 P. M.

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Person's Tax Bill for 1898.

[Continued from yesterday.]

Something new in the publication of the taxpayers of the city is attempted this year by the Daily Ledger. There is considerable interest in the assessed value of land in the city, which is claimed to be high in some cases and low in others. So the Ledger has supplemented the amount of the tax bill in each ward with the value of each lot of land for which the person is taxed, giving in each case the number of square feet or acreage.

The amount given in the line with the person's name is his total ward tax, and may include houses, personal property, etc., in addition to the lots of land below. The Ledger gives only the valuation of the land.

To obtain a person's total tax in the city, add together the amounts paid in the several wards.

The Ledger commenced the publication Aug. 30, and has already published the land values of all persons whose names begin with A to V, and today's instalment is the fifth of the Ws:

WARD ONE.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Wood, Mrs. Ann W.	$61 20
24,153 feet, Fort street, $2,000.	
Woodward Fund.	183 60
2.65 acres, Greenleaf, $600.	
7 " salt marsh, $400.	
11,592 feet, Greenleaf, $2,300.	
7.455 acres, off Greenleaf place $1,500.	
Wright, Josephine and Dora A. French	84 60
16,000, Greenleaf, $3,200.	

WARD TWO.

Wood, Ann N.	$123 30
53,100, Mound, $1,325.	
74,790, Newcomb ave., 2,000.	
76,225, " " 2,000.	
10,000, Harrison, 300.	
14,367, Curtis ave., 425.	
28 730, " " 800.	
Wrisley, Eunice	41 40
7,500, Edison, $600.	
Wren, Margaret, heirs,	16 20
15,560, Sumner, $600.	
Wren, Ellen	32 40
34,000, Main, $1,000.	
Young, Elizabeth J.	19 80
3,600, Wendall, $200.	
Young, Joel S.	30 80
1-2 acre, Quincy, ave., $500.	
Young, Mrs. Joel S.	23 40
1-2 acre, Quincy ave., $500.	
Young, Mary A., heirs	50 40
10,450, Union, $1,100.	
Young, William J.	19 10
1,500, Washington, $150.	

WARD THREE.

6,600, Madison, $275.	
Wood, Mrs. Ann W.	$298 50
22,940, School, $6,000.	
Wood, John	48 60
8,000, Trafford, $500.	
10,260, " $600.	
Wood, John A., est.,	135 00
1.08 acres, School, $3,600.	
4 " meadow land, $1,200.	
Wright, Isaac	56 00
7,500, Franklin, $600.	
Wiley, Kate F.	26 10
6,009, Liberty, $350.	
Young, Andrew	150 05
28,100 Granite, $1,600.	
7,237, " $500.	
Young, Camelia V.	13 50
11,555, Madison ave., $400,	
Young, Edwin A.	4 95

WARD FOUR.

Woddick, John	$95 60
16,720, Rustic place, $800.	
8,998, Copeland, $1,000.	
Wolfe, John	47 00
3-4 acre, West, $800.	
Woodward, Arthur N.	78 05
3,900, Copeland, $475.	
7,150, Robertson, $350.	
Wright, Marshall P.	88 40
1 acre, Adams, $1,600.	
Zastre, Andrew	4 95
6,600, off Common, $275.	

WARD FIVE.

Woodman, Agnes E.	36 00
5,000, Rawson road, $300.	
Wollaston, Congregational church,	66 60
5,778, Marion, $850.	
3,300, " $450.	
Wollaston Land Company	2,125 80
188,106, Block 4, Section 3, $6,500.	
141,259, " 5, " 6, 5,500.	
92,931, " 2, " 4, 4,000.	
19,519, " 3, " 5, 1,300.	
80,330, " 4, " 5, 3,300.	
81,250, " 5, " 5, 3,300.	
77,991, " 6, " 5, 3,300.	
81,438, " 7, " 5, 3,300.	
110,000, " 8, " 5, 2,750.	
88,075, " 10, " 5, 3,500.	
112,500, " 11, " 5, 2,700.	
232,500, " 12, " 5, 4,750.	
100,846, " 13, " 5, 4,000.	
199,480, " 14, " 5, 5,000.	
68,000, " 15, " 5, 2,000.	
123,433, " 1, " 6, 3,000.	
73,166, " 14, " 6, 2,000.	
1 acre, " 15, " 6, 1,250.	
48,880, " 22, " 6, 1,750.	
41,180, " 16, " 6, 1,500.	
72,189, " B, " 6, 4,000.	
5,000, " C, " 6, 400.	
90,000, " 23, " 6, 2,000.	
5,000, " 24, " 6, 200.	
30,000, " 25, " 6, 1,000.	
80,000, " 26, " 6, 2,000.	
10,875, " 2, " 4, 400.	
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10,368, " 5, " 3, 400.	
10,218, " 1, " 4, 400.	
9,375, " 3, " 4, 350.	
21.738, acres, woodland, 1,500.	
60.35, " pasture, 40,000.	
9,375, Block 3, Section 4, 350.	
Wright, Mary R.	85 50
11,250, Lincoln ave., $1,200.	
Youngquist, Annie E.	31 50
6,050, Vassal, 250.	
Zoller, Lewis F.	50 60
6,011, Standish ave., $500.	

WARD SIX.

Wollaston Foundary Co.	291 60
91,035, off Squantum, $3,500.	
Wollaston Land Co.	184 95
6,500, Bellevue park, $ 175.	
3,750, " " 125.	
16,560, " " 500.	
8,160, " " 250.	
About 24,480, Bellevue park, $600.	
32,640, Bellevue park, $800.	
6,500, " " 200.	
3,750, " " 125.	
About 6 acres, Bellevue park, $7,500.	
Wood, Samuel M.	73 55
10,150, Old Colony, $650.	
3,161, Walnut, $225.	
Young, Ida L.	44 10
6,376, Prospect, $650.	

To be continued.

☞ It will be some weeks yet before the Ledger completes the publication of the Assessors' land values. Considerable land in all wards of the city is owned by non-residents, and these lots have not been published. The list will follow the publication of the resident taxpayers, and considerable interest will doubtless be taken to ascertain whether the non-residents pay their proportionate share.

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Cape Cod Fish Market,
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All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled
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PROTECT YOUR TREES.
Now is The Time To Begin
The use of Geo. H. Morrill & Co.'s Tree Ink if you wish to protect your trees. The canker millers will commence crawling up the trunks of trees as soon as the ground commences to freeze.
For sale cheap in any quantity desired at the Patriot Office.
Quincy, Oct. 29. tf

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of

RICHARD J. LARKIN,

late of Quincy in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Annie E. Larkin of Quincy, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Dec. 2. 3t 2 9 12

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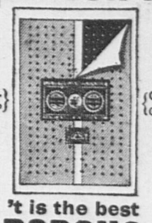
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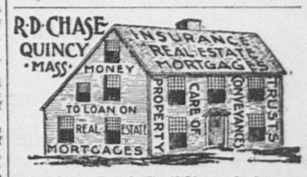

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CRAZY WOMAN'S DEED,

Murdered Her Young Daughter, Using Bootjack For Weapon.

Son Narrowly Escaped Meeting the Same Fate.

Unfortunate Mother Apparently Unconscious of Enormity of Her Offense.

Peabody, Mass., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Richard Hurley, wife of a gardener employed by Stephen Blaney, pounded her 12-year-old daughter over the head with a bootjack until dead and nearly killed her 7-year-old boy in the same manner yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Hurley is undoubtedly insane.

Mrs. Hurley entered the police station and coolly informed the officer in charge that she had murdered two of her children. This information did not surprise the officer as might have been expected, for it appears that the woman called at the station some time ago and informed the officers that she had made away with two of the little ones, but an investigation at that time showed that they had not been seriously harmed. Yesterday the woman insisted that she had committed a double murder, and her plea that the police go to her house and see for themselves what she had done was so strong that the officer at the station decided to send a policeman to the Hurley residence.

The woman gave the policeman the key of the house, and when he entered the kitchen a fearful scene was presented. The body of little May Hurley lay on the floor in a pool of blood, the head bearing marks of heavy blows. One glance was sufficient to show that the girl was dead, and near the body was Mrs. Hurley's 7-year-old son. He, too, was lying on the floor, and his head was covered with blood. At first the police thought he was dead, but when they examined him they saw that life was not extinct.

Dr. Tucker was summoned and on his arrival announced the girl's life extinct, as the police already decided from the appearance of the body. The doctor then devoted his attention to the boy, whose name is Thomas. He found that Thomas had sustained a severe concussion of the brain, but Dr. Tucker thought the injury would not necessarily prove fatal.

A further investigation by the police showed that Mr. Hurley had left his home at 12:40 o'clock in the afternoon to return to his work at Mr. Blaney's. Mr. Hurley says that at that time his wife manifested no sign of mental trouble, and that he is at a loss to account for the terrible affliction except that his wife suddenly became insane and attacked the two children at home. Mr. Hurley Mrs. Hurley was once in the Danvers asylum, and it is thought will be returned to that institution.

The weapon used by Mrs. Hurley was a heavy black walnut bootjack. According to Mrs. Hurley's own statement she was seized with a terrible pain in the head soon after dinner, and the noise made by the children provoked her to a fit of rage. She ordered the girl to help her clear away the dishes from the table. The thought suddenly ran into her mind that she would chastise the children for disobedience. She lost control of herself, seized a heavy bootjack, and beat the defenseless children over the head. The children fell senseless to the floor, and supposing they were dead, she realized what she had done. She slipped on a skirt over her wrapper and hastened along the railroad track, which runs along by the house, to the police station. She told the officers what she had done, and was locked in a padded cell while the case was being investigated.

Mr. Hurley, accompanied by Lawrence Waters, a friend, went to the house, where they found the two children on the kitchen floor, the girl dead, and the boy unconscious. The boy had sustained compression of the brain, and the doctors says that he will probably recover. There were finger-nail marks on the boy's throat, as though he had been choked, and his head and shoulders were badly bruised.

Mrs. Hurley is the mother of 10 children, eight of whom are still living. The sons and daughters say she was a kind and loving mother, who did everything for her children, and nothing could be said against her character. Neighbors also testify as to the woman's good character. Her husband was almost crazy with grief.

Nobody is able to explain the cause of the crime, but her husband said that she had suffered a good deal lately from pains in her head and chest. About 14 years ago she went insane, and was sent to the Danvers asylum for some months. She went there again about four years ago on her own accord, but the hospital authorities would not keep her there. She has told her husband several times, and the neighbors also, she was afraid o fanother attack of insanity, and she expressed her wish to be at the asylum again for her children's sake.

In an interview with Mrs. Hurley in the Peabody jail she talked in a perfectly intelligent way, and answered all questions rationally. In answer to a question as to why she committed the crime, she said: "I was so nervous. I had a bad headache, and it seemed as though my head would split. I asked the children to help me with the dinner things, but they kept on making noise and were very saucy. My husband has often twitted me and said that unless I made the children obey me and behave themselves, they would grow up just like I was. I suddenly thought I would follow his advice and chastise them for their disobedience. They were playing with the sewing machine, which made a noise that went through my head until I was crazy. When the girl again refused to help me with the dishes, I jumped up and seized the bootjack, near the stove, and struck them over their heads. They both dropped to the floor."

When asked about the broken plate found near the girl's head she said she did not hit her with a plate, as that fell from the table and was broken. Then she went on and spoke about the cause, attributing it all to nervousness. Asked if she realized what she had done, she said: "I thought that I had killed them, and I was sorry." She then told of going to the police station, and gave other particulars mentioned above. She became calmer as the interview progressed, and, when asked, said she did not know just how old she was. When her third child was born she had an attack of insanity, and was kept in the Danvers asylum for seven months. Mrs. Hurley is a tall, slender woman, and her husband says she is 42 years old.

The bootjack with which the crime was committed is very stout and heavy, and was made by Mr. Hurley some years ago.

Monthly Treasury Statement.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business Nov. 30, the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $1,127,473,487, which is an increase over last month of $16,506,565. This increase is accounted for by a decrease of nearly $8,000,000 in the cash on hand and an issue of about the same amount of bonds, which had been paid for in the preceding month. The cash in the treasury is classified as follows (cents omitted): Gold, $276,944,092; silver, $504,290,718; paper, $49,448,270; bonds, disbursing officers' balances, deposits in national banks, etc., $95,434,100. Total, $926,117,-182, against which there are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to $633,740,392, leaving a net cash balance on hand of $292,376,790.

Possible Catastrophe Averted.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.—The timely discovery by a special officer of a man in the act of starting a fire in the basement of John Wanamaker's extensive department store yesterday no doubt averted a serious conflagration and possibly serious loss of life. The building was crowded with thousands of people, about 90 percent of whom were women. Flames were seen to suddenly spring from a pile of wicker baskets and at the same moment an officer seized a man who was stooping over the baskets in the act of striking a second match. The fire was quickly extinguished. The man, who gave his name as Michael Morgan, was locked up. Two boxes of matches and a bottle of turpentine were found in his possession. Morgan said he had no home.

Big Bid For Louisvilles.

Louisville, Dec. 2.—It is more than probable that when the National league magnates meet in New York on Dec. 13, the franchise of the Louisville baseball club will be held by G. A. Vonderbeck of Detroit. The officials of the club yesterday received a communication from the Detroit man raising his previous offer of $40,000 to $45,000. It is not altogether unlikely that he will finally give the $50,000 asked, as the local magnates say they will not sell for a cent less.

Both Were Lynched.

New Madrid, Mo., Dec. 2.—The second of the two negroes who killed Alex. Lion in Madrid Bend, Ky., last Friday, was lynched here yesterday. The negro was caught at Dyersburg, Tenn. The friends of the murdered man stormed the jail, took the prisoner out and lynched him near the scene of the crime. The negro confessed that he killed Lion in order to get $100 which he understood he had on his person. The other negro was lynched Sunday night.

Murder and Attempted Suicide.

San Francisco, Dec. 2.—C. M. Mantell, said to be a solicitor for The Medical Record, was shot dead last evening at his home in Alameda by a young woman who claims to be his wife. The murderess then turned the revolver upon herself, inflicting a wound which it is thought will not prove fatal. Details as to the cause of the tragedy are lacking.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Anti-imperialists are signing protests in Baltimore.

General Merritt expects to leave for home Dec. 10.

Dec. 12 has been fixed as the day for the trial of Senator Quay.

The Sixth National bank of New York has merged with the Astor.

Chicago's new telephone company is getting many new subscribers.

The compulsory use of anti-toxine is to be recommended in Philadelphia.

Emperor Francis Joseph granted amnesty to many prisoners in honor of his jubilee.

The Berlin Post alleges that the United States has acquired a coaling station at Chiriqui, Central America.

France and Germany are said to be in a race for the possession of the countries bordering on Lake Tchad.

The president will meet the Cuban commission today, but the meeting will be entirely informal and unofficial.

The Florida legislature is unanimously Democratic. A lively fight for the United States senatorship is taking place.

Papers incorporating the Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain Railway company, with a capital of $4,400,000, were filed with the secretary of state at Albany.

While shoveling snow from a roof at Boston, Albert Hooper, 39 years old, fell a distance of four stories to the sidewalk, receiving inuries from which he died.

The Oliver Mining company gave its 2000 employes at Ironwood and Bessemer, Mich., 10 percent advance in wages. Similar advances at other mines are expected Jan. 1.

Ralph A. Obleness died at Athens, O., from inuries received in playing football. He was the quarterback on the eleven of the Ohio university. He suffered from a head collision.

It is rumored that Grant C. Gillett, the absconding Kansas City cattle king, has been captured in Mexico, and $100,-000 in cash recovered. The report is generally discredited.

The students of Princeton university passed resolutions abolishing hazing. An overwhelmingly majority prevailed, and the hazing question, it is believed, has been disposed of finally.

British steamer Holbein, from London and Antwerp, for Rio Janeiro, has on board the crew of the British steamer Clan Drummond, 1846 tons, which was totally lost in the bay of Biscay.

The city of Paducah, Ky., by a resolution of the city council, failed and refused to pay the interest due on $100,000 of the Chicago, St. Louis and Paducah railroad bonds on account of a technicality in the law.

MAY ULTIMATELY YIELD.

Spain Has a Few More Fine Points For Commissioners to Consider.

Paris, Dec. 2.—From information which comes from a well authenticated source, it seems unlikely that the peace commissioners will finish their work as soon as had been expected. It is probable that the negotiations will last considerably longer. Madrid has instructed the Spanish commissioners on three points, to which the Americans attach much importance. These are the cession of an island in the Carolines, the granting of religious freedom over the whole of the Carolines, and the cession of a cable and coaling station at Ceuta.

The Spanish government has instructed Senor Rios to grant none of these; and, while Spain may ultimately yield them all, it is argued that the American commissioners have no power to enforce their demands on points not covered by the protocol. Before Spain does yield, the negotiations are likely to be prolonged and the United States may have to give a substantial quid pro quo.

Anxious as both are to conclude their work, the peace commission did not hold a joint session yesterday. The next meeting will be held this afternoon.

This delay arose from the fact that the Spanish commissioners at Wednesday's session offered several urgent propositions, which called for special deliberation upon the part of the Americans. Spain asks the United States to grant for a term of five years to Spanish ships carrying Spanish goods or products to Porto Rico and Cuba the same privileges as American vessels engaged in the same trade may have; and she qualifies this request by a proviso that trade privileges be extended to Cuba as long as the United States government is dominant over that island.

This proposition and the arguments by which it was supported are considered strongly stated, and the American commissioners desire time for deliberation. Thus, though busy until nearly 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, they were not fully prepared, and Judge Day sent a message to Senor Rios requesting that the joint session fixed for yesterday afternoon be postponed until today.

Meanwhile the Spanish commissioners had been preparing a list of subjects for negotiation, supplemented by suggestions counter to and amendatory of the subjects the Americans submitted Wednesday. This came to the American commissioners yesterday in Spanish, rendering it even more desirable to postpone the joint session in order to give time for translation and consideration. The subject will be laid before the American commissioners today. Now that the first gust of grief and chagrin has passed the Spanish commissioners are meeting the Americans in a frank spirit that is helpful to an early completion of the negotiations.

Filipinos Are Dissatisfied.

Manila, Dec. 2.—The independent party of the Filipinos is not disposed to accept the result of the deliberations of the peace commissioners at Paris, judging from the tone of the native press. The Independencia publishes a particularly bombastic leading article to the effect that the Filipinos will "decline to permit their homes to be bought and sold like merchandise." It then repeats the readiness of the Filipinos to fight in defense of their rights and asserts that the government and people are unanimous in claiming nothing less than independence. The paper also claims that the Filipinos have uncontestible claims upon the island of Luzon, part of the Visayas islands, and the island of Mindanao by right of conquest. It concedes that the Americans helped the insurgents "indirectly by blockading Manila," but The Independencia claims that even without help the revolutionists must have ultimately won. Finally, The Independencia holds that Spain cannot cede the Philippine archipelago, "because it was never her's."

Still a Secret.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.—The will of the late John W. Keely, the inventor, was admitted to probate yesterday. It bequeaths the entire estate, valued at about $10,000, to the widow and also appoints her executrix. No reference is made in the will to the mysterious motor upon which Keely had been working for so many years. Stockholders of the Keely Motor company must now await the pleasure of Mrs. Keely for an explanation of the motor, there being generally entertained a belief that the inventor imparted to his wife information on the mystery which will be of value to the motor company.

Use of Improper Inducements.

Boston, Dec. 2.—The prison commissioners yesterday submitted to Governor Wolcott their report upon the escape of the bunco man, John Reed, which includes the information that Warden Bridges, with the concurrence of the board, has discharged Watchman Abbott on complaint of gross carelessness. The report finds that "we have received no evidence other than that an opportunity was afforded to escape, which would tend to show that the officer was induced by improper means to afford this opportunity."

Before a Grand Jury.

Boston, Dec. 2.—The United States circuit court grand jury reported yesterday. Among the indictments was one against Robert F. Shaw, former postmaster at Weymouth, for the alleged embezzlement of $2400 from the United States, while postmaster. George Badame was indicted for the alleged uttering of a counterfeit $2 bill. He pleaded not guilty. Henry E. Thompson and Thomas B. Ryan of New Bedford are indicted for the alleged uttering of counterfeit 25-cent pieces.

To-morrow's Almanac and Forecast

Sun rises—6:56; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—9:16 p. m.
High water—2:15 a. m.; 2:30 p. m.

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Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Eastern District.

On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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The Social Realm.

Four things a man must learn to do
If he would make his record true;
To think without confusion clearly;
To love his fellow men sincerely;
To act from honest motives purely:
To trust in God and heaven securely.
—Henry van Dyke.

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Mrs. Herbert Drake has resigned her position as soloist at the Moreland Street Congregational church, Roxubry, and left Quincy on Thursday for Coranado Beach, Southern California, to spend the winter months. Mrs. Drake is to be the guest of Mrs. A. W. Sheldon, of Manchester, N. H.

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The children are assured that they will have their holiday sunlight dance at Christmas. Mrs. Rhines has engaged Plumers' hall.

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Mr. Arthur Shaw of Braintree has been entertaining Mr. R. Quigly of New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blanchard of Weymouth Heights are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

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The Record says nearly all the buds were in attendance at the reception given by Mrs. Eben Stanwood for her debuntante daughter, Miss Audrey Stanwood, Thursday afternoon and evening at her home 322 Tappan street, Brookline. It was a glorious day and several hundred young people were present. With flowers galore the charming debutant was greeted by her hosts of friends. The flowesr were in such quantites that they furnished the only floral decoration needed, and a fine showing they made. Miss Stanwood was in a dainty white gown that set off her charms to advantage. She is a very bright girl and has a charm of manner that will make her quite as popular in larger social circles as she has been in her own particular set. Mrs. Stanwood was handsomely gowned in black lace and black jet.

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Mrs. Annie Hayden of Braintree has been entertaining Mrs. Sargent of Winchester.

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Miss Elizabeth Porter Gould of Huntington avenue, Boston, is to read her paper on Abigail Adams, before the Dorothy Q. Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution on Monday, Dec. 5. This lecture has been given in Quincy and is very entertaining.

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The Century club met last night in the Pilgrim church parlor, at Weymouth.

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The Pratt estate on Hancock street has been altered and improved since purchased by Mr. Wilson Tisdale and he moved in last week for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Tisdale have a very beautiful home and all their friends are calling to extend congratulations.

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Mr. Joel F. Sheppard of Braintree returned from New Jersey on Monday where he, with all his grandchildren spent a happy Thanksgiving with his aged mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hall are at home to friends on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, December sixth and eighth.

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Miss Alice Carpenter entertained the Puritana Whist club last evening at her home on Washington street, Weymouth.

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The Young Men's Social club, connected with the Wollaston Unitarian society gave a very pretty dancing party at Brasee's hall last evening. The matrons were Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith, Mrs. H. W. Lull and Mrs. E. H. Sprague.

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Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Hunting moved into their betautiful new home on the corner of Hancock street and Whitney road last week. The house is one of the handsomest in the city being a large yellow and white colonial, surrounded by a broad lawn and shade trees.

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Miss Floretta Vining was one of the suffrers by the severe storm Saturday night and Sunday. Her beautiful cottages at Hull were surronded by the ocean and considerable damage was done.

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Mrs. C. A. Pitkin and the Misses Pitkin of South Braintree have been visiting at Syracuse, N. Y.

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Adams Chapter, meets at the John Adams birthpace on Monday afternoon. Following the business meeting, an historical paper will be read by Miss Carrie E. Small, and chocolate and sandwiches served by the hostesses of the afternoon.

Miss Eva Clare entertained a number of friends at her pleasant home on Newbury avenue, Thursday evening. Whist and music were enjoyed and a fine collation served. Friends were present from Roxbury, Dorchester and Atlantic.

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Mr. John Shaw of this city continues ardent for Protection, and the Home Market club at its annual meeting re-elected him a vice president.

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Miss Jennie Dyer returned to her school in Ashburnham on Tuesday having spent Thanksgiving with her parents on Dyer Hill, Braintree.

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Rev. Francis Tiffany of Cambridge is to lecture on Monday night at the Wollason Unitarian church on "Soglie" a Swiss-Italian Mountain Hamlet. This is the second lecture in the course of four.

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The second lecture in the course at the Universalist church will be on oMnday evening by Col. Thomas, the popular postmaster of Boston.

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Mrs. C. A. King of Worcester is the guest of her brother, Mr. C. R. Safford of Clive street.

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Elaborate preparations are being made for the next social to be given by Winthrop J. Fearabay in Music hall, Atlantic. New music has been hired for the occassion.

Vesper Music.

The music at the vespers at the Unitarian church Sunday at 4 o'clock will include:

"The Mellow Eve is Gliding,"	Holden
"Come unto Me,"	Wagner
"Oh, Our God,"	Klein
"Consider and Hear Me,"	Pflueger
Solo—"Before the Throne of Glory,"	Nevin

Look Out for Him.

For the past few days a young man has been calling at houses at Nofolk Downs and Wollaston stating that he is the inspector of wires for the city and that he wanted to go through the bouse and see that everything was all right.

In several cases he has been permitted to enter but fortunately the people were wise enough to accompany the fellow on his tour of inspection, so that he had no opportunity to steal anything which was doubtless his object, for he was a fraud of the first water. The Commissioner of Public Works has charge of wires in the city and has sent out no inspector. Neither have the Electric Light or Telephone companies sent out an inspector. All persons in the employ of the Electric Light and Telephone companies are supplied with a badge, and if any man calls asking to look at wires make him show his badge, and if he cannot, turn the fellow over to the police. This fellow is described as a young man with a smooth face and is evidently a Swede.

Electrics to Nantasket.

No better way to see the work of destruction by the storm along the South Shore and at Nantasket than by making the trip on the electric street cars. The line through Weymouth and Hingham to the beach has been opened for travel and the trip affords a fine view of the wreckage all along the line. Cars leave Quincy for the beach at 10 minutes of and 20 minutes past the hour on week days and on the even hour and half hour Sundays.

Causeway Gone.

The famous Squantum causeway was almost entirely washed away by the storm. The retaining wall and fences are gone, and all that is left is a narrow passage way. It is estimated that from $1,000 to $1,500 will be required to put the causeway in shape again, and considerable more to do a permanent job.

—Brigham H. Roberts, who has been elected a member of Congress from Utah, is known to have several wives. When Utah was admitted as a state into the Union, it was with a solemn pledge that there should be no more polygamous marriages. Mr. Roberts contends that this pledge only referred to future conditions. On the other hand, certain congressmen consider that the election of a polygamist is a grave affront to the House, and that the question must come, when the Congress meets, whether a person who thus defies the law of the land, and the solemn pledges of his own state, is a suitable person to sit in Congress.

BORN

JENKINS—In Atlantic, Oct. 29, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins.

POLITICAL RESUME.

The Re-election of Mayor Sears Almost Certain.

Two-thirds of City Council Will be Republican.

Close Contest for School Committee-at-Large.

At no time since the renomination of Mayor Sears have we had any doubt as to his reelection. The belief is general that the Democrats could not have nominated a man this year who would have defeated him. The size of the majority will depend on the total vote polled. If the vote is small the majority will be small, but with an average vote Mayor Sears' majority may be larger than last year. It is a Republican year and it would not be surprising if all the Republicans at large for the Council are elected, four of the five being renominated. Councilman McGrath, however has been renominated by the Democrats and likely to lead his ticket with a good chance of election. Two other Democrats would be valuable members of the Council W. W. Jenness and ex-Councilman Claflin and they will run well. The letter from Mr. Claflin has strengthened him with Republicans but will causehim to lose Democratic votes.

Between John L. Miller and Dr. N. S. Hunting for School Committee at-large it promises to be a close race. Republicans and those who are opposed to so many professional men on the school board, will support Mr. Miller, but the popularity of Dr. Hunting will roll up for him a large if not a majority vote. There are at present on the School Committee four doctors whose terms do not expire, and one more would give them a majority. Again, Ward One now has one of the three members at large and there is some opposition to giving the ward another. Both gentlemen have never served on the board. Ward Two will send a new member, both parties having united on Fred H. Smith. In Ward Three Miss Mabel E. Adams will be reelected without opposition.

For Councilmen from wards there is no doubt but Ward One will reelect Messrs. Nash, Swithin and Packard. Ward Two will also reelect Messrs. Keith, Hultman and Newcomb.

Ward Three is close politically and five of the six candidates are without experience. Councilman Nicoll is likely to be reelected, and possibly his two Republican colleagues John L. Johnson and Daniel McLennan.

A great surprise happened in Ward Four last year when a Republican was elected to the Council. It would not be surprising this year if it sent two Republicans and left Councilman Cain at home. The Republicans have nominated well known gentlemen.

Ward Five will send three men of experience, Messrs. Pinkham, Jameson and Bryant, and Ward Six will reelect Councilmen Hill and Poland with Charles Alden a new Republican candidate.

It is almost certain that sixteen or two-thirds of the City Council will be men of experience, and that over two-thirds will be Republican.

No decrease of the "No" majority against licence is anticipated, but indications point to an increase.

Election Straws.

It was Councilman Keith, a brother of Candidate Keith, who offered the order in the City Council early this year to increase the Mayor's salary to $2,000 a year. At that time it was quite well understood that Mr. Keith would be the Democratic candidate for Mayor. But it was Mayor Sears and the Republican Council who immediately put their stamp of disapproval on the order.

Mr. Keith's friends yesterday sent out an appeal to the young ladies who went to school to Mr. Keith to remember him, and get their friends to vote for him next Tuesday. If the ladies could vote Mayor Sears would have a thousand majority.

It is now said that the A. P. A. element is out against Mr. Sears, and working the issue for all it is worth. Where one vote is lost by bigotism two may be gained.

--The effect of temperature upon the time-keeping character of clocks is said to be practically eliminated by the use of steel and nickel in combination, through the experiments of the international bureau of weights and measures.

AT NANTASKET.

Correspondence of One Who Saw The Destruction.

Those who have not visited the shore since the terrible storm of Saturday night can have no conception of the destruction wrought on that eventful night and the following day when, in the words of Longfellow:

"Colder and louder blew the wind,
A gale from the northeast,
The snow fell hissing in the brine,
And the billows frothed like yeast."

Not since the great storm that carried away Minot's light, has there been such a disastrous gale, and hundreds of people have visited Nantasket beach to view the scenes of death and destruction.

I went to North Cohasset Tuesday afternoon and it was my good fortune to fall in with Mr. Charles Hall who resides there and who was one of the first to be on the beach Sunday morning, when the wrecks were coming in. Mr. Hall kindly hitched up his little mustang, of which he is justly proud and carried me to Nantasket and over the beach, explaining as he went and telling of the thrilling scenes he witnessed only a few hours before.

Mr. Hall was one of those who helped to rescue the life saving crew after they had been thrown thirty feet into the air and then buried in the waves beneath their boat. He also helped remove many of the dead bodies from the beach.

The first thing noticed was a building floating in the water surrounded by household effects of every description. Out of this building the body of a man had been taken

The handsome maple trees along Jerusalem road were nearly ruined. The road along the beach for a distance of several hundred feet was entirely washed out. The electric car tracks were buried two feet deep with stones and gravel. Stones weighing from 50 to 200 pounds were thrown over the bar from the ocean into a pond and small buildings carried along with them.

The beach was lined with wreckage from one end to the other and men were busily engaged in saving spars and whatever they could that was of value.

Now and then a man claimed everything in sight but it didn't take long to show him that he "wasn't the only pebble on the beach," and that every man got what he could.

Imagine the houses along the beach, drifted from their foundations and set in all shapes, some in the street, half buried in sand, some entirely demolished, some standing on one end some floating bottom side up, some with a whole side taken out.

Hotels reduced to a mass of broken sticks; flying horses demolished like china dolls and the huge toboggan slide twisted into a demoralized tangle of wood and iron. All the piazzas and all light buildings were more or less demolished, and the scene was a sad one for the owners.

One man was swearing because he had lost all his hens, when his wife reproved him by saying: "Why John, the loss of the hens is small compared with the loss of our home."

Another man could find only a piece of board left of his cottage.

Fathers, mothers and children were hunting for lost bits of furniture that had been swept from their homes. Most of the houses were vacant but there were some occupied, and the occupants passed a night of terror that no pen can describe.

The ocean lay as peaceful and calm as if nothing had happened and no one would suspect it of making such sad havoc.

Far out upon the rocks lay the hull of a schooner spread out like a cod fish, while nearer the shore were the battered remains of other schooners, ground into slivers by the tossing of the waves.

The beach itself presented an interesting spectacle.

Teams of every description, cars, wagons sleds, wheelbarrows, baskets, bags and buckets were brought into use in gathering the coal that lay scattered all over the sand. Men, women and children worked with all possible speed to save what they could before the incoming of the tide.

Mr. Hall says, that while some of this coal doubtless came from the wrecked schooners, it is claimed that every storm for years has brought in more or less that has been lost off this coast; and scores of people get almost their entire living by watching the beaches and saving what the ocean brings to the shore.

Bushels of sea clams, as big as saucers, were gathered up and tons of sea-weed were piled high, ready for the farmers who will soon carry it away.

At Point Allerton the damage was not so great although some houses were inundated.

One thing that impressed me deeply was the quietness and solemnity with which everybody seemed to go about their business, men talked in low tones or walked about in silence as they viewed the awful results of the storm. And our thoughts again ran along the lines:

"Christ save us all from a death like this
On the reef of Norman's woe."

"C."

THEORY OF FOUNDERING

Gains Ground In Discussion of the Portland Disaster.

Final Plunge Was Probably Off Peaked Hill Bar.

But Few More Bodies Likely to Be Washed Ashore by the Tide.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 3.—What has become of the balance of the crew and passengers of the ill-fated Portland remains wholly a matter of conjecture, although it is practically certain that not a single soul survived after the steamer went to pieces Sunday forenoon.

The fact that none of her lifeboats has as yet been found, nor any of her life rafts, holds out to agonized relatives and friends a single ray of hope, to which they cling tenaciously, but as the realization of the awful sea which was running at that time is forced upon them, they are obliged to acknowledge that the chance of even a single person being saved is hopeless.

As to this chance of further recovery of bodies, there are many and conflicting opinions. The shifting sands of Cape Cod, the swift tides that sweep up and down the shore of the cape, the winds from every direction, and the height and nature of the waves have a most important bearing on this question, and yet only the most expert student of nature in her awful mood feels competent even to venture an answer to the question that is now being asked by hundreds whose dear ones sailed on the doomed vessel.

So many ships have been lost on Peaked Hill bar that it is indeed a veritable graveyard. It extends out from the cape a mile or more, and every vessel doubling Cape Cod gives it a wide berth. There are all sorts of theories as to where the Portland went down, and just at present the one most generally accepted is that, after being partially stripped of her upper works, she finally plunged beneath the waves, some five or 10 miles to the northeast of this bar.

Barring some wreckage at East Brewster, which came ashore Thursday morning, which cannot be identified as having come from the Portland, nothing has been picked up inside of Cape Cod. It may be possible that the steamer was still farther off the point of the cape where she went down, perhaps in deep water, and this theory is borne out by the fact that no large portion of the vessel has yet come ashore. Only the gingerbread work, so called, has been picked up, together with numerous life preservers.

It is a singular feature of the wreck, and one which puzzles many of the expert surfmen, that the first bodies were picked up just at the time, or a little before, the wreckage came ashore. Usually, in cases of wreck on the shores of Cape Cod, the upper portions of the vessel have been the first fragments to appear on the beach, and this also strengthens the theory that the steamer foundered some miles, perhaps five or six, off shore. Still another circumstance makes this theory even more tenable. All, or nearly all, of the bodies that have been recovered were but little bruised. If they had drifted down from Highland light, or further above, nearly everyone would have shown marks, at least on the face, but there were only a very few that were disfigured.

It seems plausible that the Portland foundered five miles northeast, or perhaps east of Peaked Hill bar, off High Head life saving station, about 9:15 Sunday morning, and that a greater part of the light upper work, with the assistance of a flood tide, was thrown off on the beach at Peaked Hill station, or just below it at High Head; that the bodies, after drifting west a short time, were whirled around the end of the cape by the tremendous ebb tide of Sunday afternoon, which tide did not affect the woodwork so much, and were finally cast up by the waves along shore. The westerly wind of Monday and Tuesday kept many out to sea, but the gale of Wednesday again brought them in, and on Thursday six or seven were recovered.

It is now thought there will only be a very few, if any, more bodies recovered until another easterly storm sets in. To support this latter theory as to why so few bodies are being recovered on a westerly wind is the peculiar action of the waves on a sandy shore. There seems no doubt that a number of bodies that have been seen in the surf, but not recovered, now lie buried beneath the sand, where they will remain until the next easterly gale. It is also conjectured that the tide swept a large number eight or ten miles out to sea, and as few of the coasting vessels running up and down the cape keep out as far, very few will be picked up, even if they come to the surface, which is unlikely, for the reason that bodies in deep, turbulent waters are inclined to sink.

Still another theory as to the wreck of the Portland is drawn from the wheel which came ashore at Orleans. It is what is called the spare wheel in the pilot house, and is kept in a cylinder about three feet behind the one commonly used, the steersman standing between the two. The wheel was lashed with a rope, and the knots indicated that only a seaman could have done it. It is thought now that no attempt was made to use this wheel, because the pilot house was probably washed away the first thing after the steamer's engines broke down, and she fell off into the trough of the sea.

A. Gosselin, Montreal.
John Jones, colored cook.
Madge Ingraham, colored, Woodford's.
Deck hand, name not known.
George Graham, colored porter, (at Wellfleet).
William A. Mosher, Rockland.
Mrs. George O. Chickering, Weymouth (at Easton).
Ansel Dyer, quartermaster.
Walter L. Bemis, Auburn, Me.
Captain Edwin Dunbar, Boothbay.
George B. Kenniston, Jr., Boothbay.
Mrs. Augusta Wheeler.

Up to date the following have been positively identified:

E. Dudley Freeman, Yarmouth, Me.
Peter Collins, deck hand, Portland.
Elizabeth M. A. Collins, Portland.
Susan A. Kelly, Dorchester.
Solomon Cohen, Portland.
George W. Delany, Boston.
Mrs. C. N. Mitchell, North Easton.
Mrs. Jennie G. Edmands, East Boston.

Supplies Exhausted.

Boston, Dec. 3.—More than 50 sailors who were shipwrecked in last Sunday's gale at Vineyard Haven or thereabouts have arrived in Boston by rail during the last two or three days, and have been given shelter, food and clothing at the rooms of the Boston Seaman's Friend society. So great has been the demand for such supplies that the stock of Captain S. S. Nickerson, the chaplain in charge of the institution, has been exhausted.

Boiled Down.

Governor Wolcott has ordered all bodies recovered from the wrecked steamer Portland to be sent to Boston for identification. This will obviate the long and tedious journey to Cape Cod by people anxious to identify the remains of their friends.

The Boston Towboat company has been awarded the contract for floating the steamer John J. Hill, ashore at Wollaston, and the ocean tug Tamaqua, ashore on Spectacle island. In both cases the vessels are so far up on the beach that dredging will be necessary before they can be floated.

Schooner Ann, Sullivan Me., for Boston, for whose safety much anxiety was felt, rode out the gale safely at Bass Harbor, Me., and arrived at Whitehead.

The British steamship Marstonmoor arrived at the Delaware breakwater, having in tow the British bark La Escocesa, which was bound from Iquique to New York, laden with about 2000 tons of soda, valued at about $65,000. The prize was picked up to the eastward of Cape Henlopen.

Schooner S. P. Blackburn left Newport News for Portland last Friday and fears are entertained for her. She is a staunch vessel and may have weathered the gale.

The schooners Flying Scud, Laurel and Marian were lost in a gale in Bonevista bay, N. F. The crews escaped, as the vessels were hugging the shore.

The Coastal mail steamer, which arrived at St John's, reports that the recent gale did great damage to waterside property and fishing establishments along the northern part of the island of Newfoundland.

The Merchants and Miners' Transportation company has purchased from the Mallory line the steamship City of Texas, to take the place of the steamer Fairfax, which was stranded last Sunday in Vineyard sound.

The Wilson liner Ohio was successfully drydocked at East Boston. A survey will be made at once to determine the repairs that will be necessary.

Schooner S. P. Blackburn, referred to as msising in a New Bedford dispatch, and the fishing schooner Fannie Hayden, for the safety of which fears have been entertained at Boothbay, both arrived in Portland harbor uninjured.

Barges Macauley, Navesink and Escort, which parted from the tug Herald and were dashed on the beach at Horton Point, Long Island, will be total wrecks. The crews of the vessels reached Boston yesterday and received a hearty welcome from their friends.

Advices from the wreck of the schooner Albert L. Butler at Provincetown show that there is no possibility of ever getting her afloat. Three men were lost.

Steamer Kite, with a large wrecking crew on board, left St. John's for Seal Cove, to assist in saving the cargo of the wrecked steamer Scottish King and in floating the ship if possible.

Pleaded Not Guilty.

Peabody, Mass., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Mary H. Hurley was arraigned before Justice Merrill yesterday on the charge of murdering her daughter Mary. She pleaded not guilty, and her husband stated that she would waive examination. The woman was held without bail to await the action of the grand jury, and later in the afternoon was taken to Salem jail. Had the law permitted she would have been committed to an insane asylum, but a previous hearing in a criminal court is necessary before a person charged with a capital crime can be admitted to an asylum. The theory of the government is that the woman, in a fit of maniacal fury, choked the girl after clubbing the boy into insensibility. The boy is expected to recover, and may be able to tell how the murder occurred. Mrs. Hurley says she was so confused mentally that she cannot tell much of what happened, but all she remembers is of striking the girl with a bootjack.

Manufacturer Kills Himself.

Haverhill, Mass., Dec. 3.—George W. Leighton, a shoe manufacturer here, committed suicide by shooting while in the Eagle House last night. Mr. Leighton engaged a room about 6 o'clock, and a few minutes later several pistol shots were heard. He was found lying on the floor unconscious and died two hours later. A letter addressed to his wife stated that things were going wrong and he feared a recurrence of an attack of insanity from which he had suffered five years ago. Mr. Leighton had been in business here for several years and was thought to be in prosperous circumstances.

Pelted Him With Stones.

Halifax, Dec. 3.—Justin D. Fulton of Boston had a narrow escape from serious injury at the hands of infuriated people of Glace Bay, C. B., who gathered in force at one of the meetings and turned on him so fiercely before it was over that he had to fly for his life. Several constables mounted the platform to stop the speaking, and an angry crowd rushed to the lecturer, who pushed his way to a side door to the street. The crowd poured out and pelted him with stones all the way to the hotel, which he reached on the run. Fulton received some painful bruises.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast

Sun rises—6:57; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—10:16 p. m.
High water—3 a. m.; 3:30 p. m.

Though the conditions have become somewhat unsettled, now promising partly cloudy to cloudy weather Sunday and possibly with rain or snow, fair weather seems most probable at this time, with variable winds becoming westerly, and probably somewhat colder than today.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS

Form a Large Portion of Secretary Alger's Annual Report.

Recommendations In View of Our New Possessions.

Refrains From Comment Upon Events During the War With Spain.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The annual report of Secretary Alger is a practically complete official history of the Spanish-American war. The secretary has given to the public not only all the official dispatches that passed directly between his own office and commanding officers in the field and camp, but has supplemented these with the short explanatory notes setting forth the reasons for various momements, and then, to complete the record of events, he has included in the body of his report, the report of General Miles, of all the generals who participated in the campaign in Cuba, Porto Rico, or the Philippines, and finally the reports of all the bureau officers of the war department. Nowhere is there shown a disposition to criticise, the official dispatches being allowed to tell their own story. Generally, the secretary finds much to praise and cause for sincere congratulation in the results obtained.

The report proper begins with what may be described as a chronological history of the war, consisting of a number of short paragraphs, beginning with the declaration of war on April 21, and setting forth the date upon which any event of importance occurred, but making no comment whatever upon the facts. The only exception to this rule is in reference to the casualties at Santiago. Some criticism having been been made that there was a lack of surgeons present, the report states that there were 140 surgeons in attendance and that of 1431 wounded, only 13 died of their wounds. Touching the surrender of Santiago, the report shows that Shafter demanded the surrender on the 3rd, and renewed this demand on the 4th. On the morning of the 11th, another demand was made. On the evening of that day General Miles arrived and on the 13th and 14th of July he, with General Shafter, met the Spanish commander, under a flag of truce, to discuss the surrender. On the afternoon of the 14th, General Miles left General Shafter's headquarters, and soon thereafter went aboard ship, preparatory to sailing for Porto Rico. July 17 Toral surrendered 23,000 men upon our terms, and the American flag was hoisted by order of Shafter.

The secretary, coming down in his history to the middle of August, when an order was issued and is now in execution to muster out 100,000 volunteers, says:

"Thus an army of about 250,000 volunteers and recruits for the regular army was called into existence, from civil life, and, including the regular army, the total force was 274,717 men. It was organized, armed and equipped (no supplies being on hand other than those for the regulars, save Springfield muskets) and 50,000 men of this force were transported by land and sea to battlefields in the trophies 10,000 miles apart, where they won their victories without a single defeat, and all within the period of 113 days, from the declaration of war to the signing of the protocol.

"This great achievement can be credited to no individual; it belongs to the nation. It was accomplished through the intelligence and patriotism of all who served, from the commander-in-chief to the private in the ranks. It also speaks volumes for the prompt, patriotic and intelligent assistance of the people, who furnished in so short a period the supplies necessary to prepare this great army for the field. To the heroic men who served in distant lands the country will ever offer a true meed of praise; but the mighty army in camp, ready and eager to take the field, should also be given equal credit. It was their presence, ready at an hour's notice for any emergency, that overawed the eneny and proved to him that further resistance would be in vain.

"The deaths in the army from May 1 to Oct. 1, including killed, died of wounds and of disease, were 2910, the smallest death rate recorded of any army in history, a remarkable fact when it is considered that over 50,000 of our troops, born and reared in the temperate zone, were campaigning in tropical climates, subject to rain and heat almost unprecedented."

The secretary says, of the volunteers, that, to furlough them in winter would be a hardship, so he recommends, that in lieu of the furlough, the officers and men be given two months' pay at the time of their discharge, thus admitting of their prompt discharge in their present camps in the south.

Under the head of increase in the permanet establishment, the secretary says:

"In view of the needs of a military force in the islands occupied by the United States it is earnestly recommended that the regular army be permanently increased to 100,000 men and the requisite officers; that a portion of this army be recruited from the inhabitants of those islands, to be mustered into the service of the United States, and commanded by the officers of our army, discretion, however, to be given to the president to make appointments of officers from the force so recruited.

"These men are acclimated, understand the language and habits of their countrymen, and their enlistment will not only give them employment, but also have the tendency to enable the government to get into closer touch with their people than it would otherwise be able to do. This would also relieve our own people from serving in those climates to a large extent, and would, moreover, enable the volunteers to be mustered out of the service and return to the avocations of civil life."

Another suggestion is that there should be employed in the United States service a constabulary force for the cities of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, who have had experience and can speak the language of the islands.

Secretary Alger thinks that the government will be greatly taxed to supply food to the destitute, especially in Cuba. The effort should be made, he thinks, to give the people work instead of allowing them to dwell in idleness, living upon charity. He says:

"Would it not be wise economy for the government of the United States to construct a substantial railroad, practically the whole length of the Island of Cuba, with branch roads leading to the leading cities on the coast. Such a road would, of course, cost a large sum, perhaps $20,000,000, but it would give employment to the people of Cuba, teach them habits of industry, be an inducement for them to cultivate their farms, and thus furnish supplies for the laborers and for market when the road is constructed. This, in my judgment, is absolutely essential to the pacification and development of the great island. It will bring its minerals, lumber and agricultural products to market and open up communication with all parts of the Island with the least possible delay. The road would be a good property, and when it has served its purpose for the government could be sold for its cost. If such an improvement is not made, the government will no doubt expend fully that amount in charity."

The secretary says that if this road is to be built, there is a necessity for a large appropriation to relieve the destitute. The question of sanitation of the cities should also have immediate attention, and a portion of the taxes collected in the island should be expended for that work.

Some recommendations that occur in the early portion of the report are that provision be made for a statue of General Grant; that Chief Clerk Tweedale be made a lieutenant colonel; that provision be made for the construction of the Lake Union-Washington ship canal.

The statement of expenditures and estimates presents some formidable figures. The expenditures for the fiscal year, ended June 30 last, were $62,534,784, and the estimates for the next fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1899, are $195,250,377. Of this great estimate the sum of $55,430,909 is charged to pay of the army. The estimates of extraordinary appropriations, required for the six months ending June 30, 1899, are $60,177,539, and the estimates for that period, combined with those for the next fiscal year, reach a total of $255,427,917. At this point the secretary includes in his report the reports of General Miles and all the other generals who took part in active operations. He then takes up the telepraphic and other correspondence relating to the war, and that matter occupies more than a fourth of the secretary's whole report. As already stated, the dispatches are allowed to tell the story of the war, without comment as far as possible, although in instances the secretary prefaces them with short notes explanatory of the reasons which led to their transmission.

An Interesting Question.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 3.—The new law under which street railway companies are required to pay to cities and towns a certain portion of their receipts and are relieved of the care of the streets will be tested in this city. The town of West Springfield yesterday secured from Justice Dewey of the superior court a temporary injunction restraining the Springfield Street Railway company from plowing snow from its tracks into the streets. Monday there will be a hearing on a petition from the West Springfield selectmen asking that a mandatory injunction issue compelling the street railway company to remove from the streets all snow piled up by its plows. The town authorities and railway officials refuse to remove the snow. The same situation exists in nearly every town in the state. The outcome of the hearing in this city may determine the settlement of the trouble in all other cities and towns.

A Gigantic Combine.

Pittsburg, Dec. 3.—Representatives of all the tin plate manufacturing concerns in America met here yesterday to arrange preliminary details of the combination that is to unite all the tin plate interests on this side of the Atlantic. The new company will have a capital of $50,000,000. The greater part of this will be represented by the value of the plants which are to be taken into the combine, but there will be left enough stock to provide a working capital of $5,000,000. The work of appraisement will commence next Monday, when 20 plants will shut down. On the following Monday 20 other plants will shut down and an invoice of their value will be taken in the same manner. When the appraisements have been completed a general meeting of stockholders will be held to elect directors.

Smothered by Coal.

Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 3.—Daniel Lynch of this city was buried under a mass of coal and smothered yesterday at a coal pocket. Lynch and William Quinn were at work in the screen box through which the screenings pass into cars placed directly underneath. Lynch in some manner got caught in the moving coal and fell into the chute. The coal kept piling in upon him, and he was soon buried under tons of fine screenings and he died before help reached him.

Informal and Unofficial.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The members of the Cuban commission, headed by General Garcia, called at the White House yesterday and were received by the president. The meeting lasted an hour and a half. The greeting of the president was very cordial, but the Cubans were received as citizens of Cuba and not as having an official status. Nothing could be learned as to the subjects of the conversation.

Not Interested In Union.

Chicago, Dec. 3. — Governor-elect Thomas of Colorado, who is here, when asked concerning a possible union of the eastern and western factions of Democracy, was emphatic in denying his interest in any such effort. Croker and Tammany in the east, in his opinion, were the cause of the recent defeat of the Democrats.

Slayer Horrigan Sentenced.

Taunton, Mass., Dec. 3.—In the superior court yesterday afternoon the plea of guilty of manslaughter was accepted in the case of Matthew Horrigar of Attleboro, indicted for the murder of a man named Cotter, and he was sentenced to a term in the state prison of not more than 18 nor less than 15 years

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

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A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, in said Commonwealth, and being lot No. 111 on plan of house lots on Cranch Hill, by H. T. Whitman, surveyor, dated August, 1897, duly recorded with Norfolk Plans, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the northerly side of Whitwell street at the southwesterly corner of lot No. 112 on said plan, and thence running in a northwesterly direction along said Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a northeasterly direction along lot No. 110 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southeasterly direction along lot No. 118 on said plan, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southwesterly direction along lot No. 112 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to point of beginning; containing six thousand, three hundred (6,300) square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to John Biesty by John Swithin, et. al., trustees, by deed dated November 15, 1897, duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds. Said premises will be sold subject to the restrictions recited in said deed and to a prior mortgage of $2,500 held by one Harwood; also subject to unpaid taxes, assessments and tax titles, if any there be. Further terms at sale.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Dec. 4—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—"Systematic and proportionate giving."—Mal. iii, 7-12.

Life is a continual receiving and giving. We receive from God, directly and indirectly, great blessings and gifts. We are expected in return to give, and even to give to God. Not that God needs our gifts, but that we need to make the gift. There is a feeling in every thoughtful soul that we must render something unto God for all His benefits. David's exclamation, "What shall I render unto the Lord for all His gifts to me?" finds an echo in every heart. Even the idol worshiping heathen in all ages has felt the operation of this same inward feeling and has responded to it. Freely we have received from God, freely we should give to God.

But how shall we give? What is the divine law upon this subject? It is undoubtedlly systematic and proportionate giving. This method is Scriptural, practicable, effective and has the promise of God's blessing.

1. Systematic and proportionate giving is Scriptural. In the Old Testament dispensation a tenth was the demand of God. Abraham probably gave a tenth of his substance to God. Jacob vowed to do so, and it may have been before this that he had failed to do what was required and customary. In Lev. xxvii, 30, it is directly and plainly asserted that a tenth shall be given to God. "All the tithe of the land, whether of the seed of the land or of the fruit of the tree, is the Lord's." In the topical reference the prophet Malachi fearfully arraigns God's people for not having given the tithe and declares that in withholding it they have robbed God. There can be no question about the law as regards giving in Old Testament times. In the New Testament Paul asks a stated weekly offering for a special purpose, and in another place declares that as God blessed the people they were to give.

2. Systematic and proportionate giving is just. It is right. It asks of no one what he is not able to give. It requires the least of those who receive the least and the most of those who receive the most. It sets aside so much as belonging to the Lord. It makes it His and not ours and removes the temptation to use it for ourselves.

3. Systematic and proportionate giving has the promise of the blessing of God. In giving regularly to God and in proportion as He blesses us we are filling a plain duty that is owed to God. Every duty brings its blessing. But God has promised a blessing for the fulfilling of this duty. "Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse that there may be meat in Mine house and prove Me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it." If we fulfill the conditions of this promise, we may also have the blessings.

Bible Readings.—Gen. xxviii, 20-22; Lev. xxvii, 30-34; Num. xviii, 20, 21, 24; II Chron. xxxi, 5, 6; Neh. xiii, 10-12; Math. vi, 1-4; John iii, 16; Acts ii, 44, 45; xx, 35; I Cor. xvi, 1-3; II Cor. viii, 9-15; ix, 6-11; Phil. iv, 15-17; Math. x, 7, 8.

Enviousness.

Possessing wealth is not necessarily sinful. That may depend upon the way it was gained, the way it is being used or hoarded, and whether it ought to be any longer retained or immediately, properly, gladly, fully diffused for the greatest good of the greatest number; but wealth is always dangerous. It is apt to beget love for its present holdings, which "love of money is the root of all evil," or to beget desires for more, which is the root of all covetousness, but covetousness has nothing to do with what a man has, for if he has it how can he covet it? But it is craving what he has not. Hence the poorest may be more covetous than the richest. He who has nothing may be wishing he had what belongs to some one else, which may be the root of robbery.—Christian Standard.

Religious Liberty.

In America the bitterness of religious prejudice has in great measure died out under the softening influence of perfect freedom of conscience, but this does not mean that we are sunk or are sinking into indifference and spiritual apathy. Our history has shown far more clearly and on a far greater scale than ever had been or could have been shown before or elsewhere that the less a man is forced by law to say he believes as to things unseen the more he will believe, and in so showing it has given a new hope to the world.—Catholic Standard and Times.

The Blessing of Work.

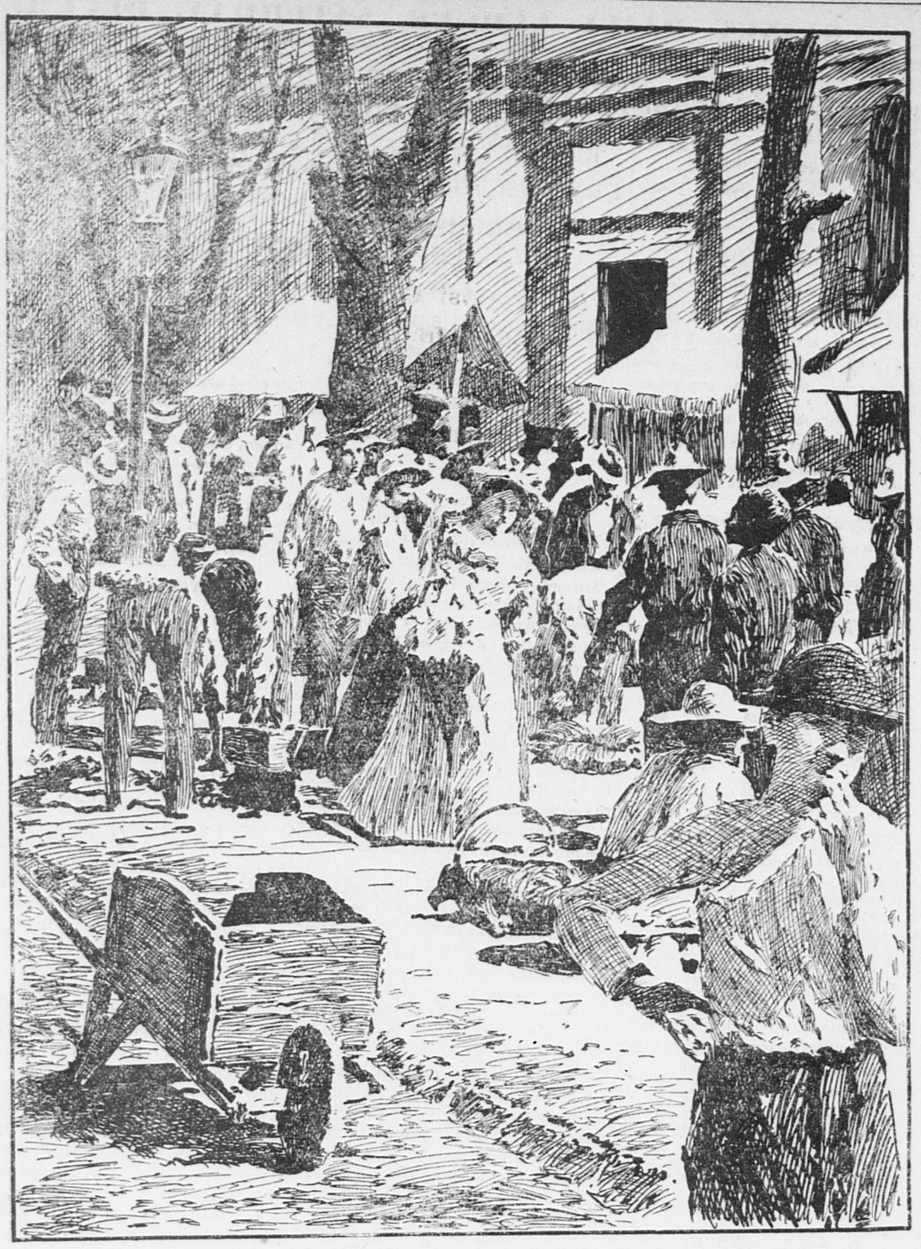
Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do that day which must be done, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work and forced to do your best will breed in you temperance, self control, diligence, strength of will, content and a hundred virtues which the idle will never know. —Charles Kingsley.

Army of the Future.

In line for peaceful marching,
Once we saw our boys enroll;
All the captains and the privates
Showed the grace of self control.
Every patriot in the nation
Of our manly boys was proud,
Loudly swelled the martial music,
And the drums were beating loud.

Now the bloody wars grow fewer
As faith and hope increase,
And foreign lands are learning
The happy arts of peace.
Boys, if you're fond of warfare
And really want to fight
Enroll yourselves together
Upon the scroll of right.

The country that has reared you
So tenderly and long
Can't see her sons enlisted
Upon the side of wrong.
So quick, my boys, be ready!
Your soldier's armor don;
The smoke of battle thickens,
Your line is marching on.
—Christian Work.



A MARKET SCENE IN PONCE, PUERTO RICO. From HARPER'S WEEKLY
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Time has made but a few changes in the methods of doing business in Ponce. Out in the harbor, which is an open roadstead, vessels come to anchor to load with rum, sugar, molasses, or tobacco, and are likely to anchor from one month to six. The houses stretch along the flat beach back into the country, mostly wooden affairs. One story warehouses, substantially built, and painted in tints of pink, yellow, or pale blue, front the principal streets, filed with bales and bags of rice, sugar, etc. for a considerable business is done in this port of entry, for the handsome city of Ponce.

Back in the country, at the foot of gently sloping hills, is the city of Ponce itself. It is a two-mile drive from the playa, through fertile fields, past sugar factories and other manufacturing buildings, past handsome houses set back from the road mid flowers and palms, or stumble down hovels and wooden shanties.

With the coming of Uncle Sam's soldiers, however, a magic hand seems to have touched this sleepy El Dorado. It has wakened, and the busy life of the North has invaded its streets. In the markets, instead of the old-time, easy-going method of doing business, one sees the brisk, lively banter of trade characteristic of the Americans rapidly establishing a foothold. The streets are filled with men and women who seem to be inspirited by a new energy, strengthened by more just and equitable laws, and it can be safely predicted that, aided by the boundless wealth which nature has so lavishly bestowed upon these kindly people, this fertile island will prove one of the most valuable possessions of the United States. Our illustration, taken from Harper's Weekly, shows a characteristic market scene of Ponce, dawn by F. Luis Mora, after a photograph. Here and there Uncle Sam's soldiers mingle with the crowd, and in the bright sunlight trade goes briskly on from day to day.

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MARY WENT.

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WALTER P. PINEL
is the Manager, and the store is right over here at number 20 Franklin street.
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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy.)

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	e 6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba	*6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	26	50	55	69
Monday	33	44	32	70
Tuesday	33	45	43	46
Wednesday	34	47	32	38
Thursday	43	42	35	31
Friday	39	43	35	26
Saturday	38	36	35	23

New Advertisements Today.

C. S. Hubbard—Flannels, etc.
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Skinner—Photographer.
E. B. Collins—Millinery.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.

The columns of the Daily Ledger are open for political correspondence from Republicans and Democrats alike. Articles for publication should be handed in early in the morning to secure insertion. The publishers will not guarantee to insert any letter on Monday unless it is received before 12 o'clock M.

Miss the Cars Now.

It is the Wollaston people who are now kicking because they have been deprived of their electric cars as all Neponset cars now go by the way of Hancock street. The reason for this is because the Sewer department trenches have blocked the tracks on Newport avenue and Farrington street, in such a way that changing cars is out of the question. Since Wollaston has had street cars it has come to depend upon them, and now that they are deprived of them there is a general howl.

The Defence Not Ready.

The criminal libel case of J. P. Landers against Gustave B. Bates has not come to trial as yet, for every time it has been called a continuance was asked for. This has been taken advantage of by the opponents to Mayor Sears who are circulating stories that Mayor Sears friends are purposely having the case continued until after the Municipal election. The fact seems to be that most of the continuances asked in court have not been by Mr. Landers but by Mr. Jenness who is counsel for Mr. Bates. The case was called in court again this morning when a letter was produced from Lawyer Jenness asking for still another continuance until next week.

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LETTER FROM CO. K.

They Hear They May Be Mustered Out.

The Provost Guard Has Returned from Duty.

Bread Again on the Bill of Fare —Interesting Notes.

With Co. K, 5th Mass.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 1.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

December dawned bright and clear in camp this morning and reminds us of one of our June days at home. Our company is carrying lumber from the railroad to the cook house to build a mess house, and by tomorrow the hammers will commence to fly, as every company is to build its own mess house and all start tomorrow morning. The mess houses are to be 50 by 25. They are to be directy in front the cook shack as they are called here.

There are four teams at work leveling the ground in the rear of the tents for a parade ground.

The detail from our regiment, who have been on provost guard, returned yesterday. Although they enjoyed their tour of duty they were pretty tired, owing to the way in which the guard work was divided. Two hours on duty, and four off, does not give a man proper time for sleep where it is for four days.

One advantage our regiment has over the rest is a bath house, or rather tent, which is Major Morrison's own idea, and the boys enjoy a good hot water bath as many times as they can get a chance, which is about twice a week.

Lieut Spear of Co. K was Officer of the Guard yesterday.

Capt. Neilson of Co. K is Officer of the Day today.

Last Sunday our whole brigade was reviewed by Gen. Davis and Brigadier General Lincoln and no company received more applause than Co. K.

There has been a piano put in the Christian Commission tent; and when not on duty Private Deslauries will be found playing all kinds of tunes.

The subject of great discussion in K Company the other evening was, what a monument in Greenville on tained on one side. It read something like this: "The world will yet see that the South was in the right," but of course our boys could not believe that.

We read of the great storm you had in New England. We got some hail, rain and snow Monday, but it did not amount to anything; only made it very disagreeable for a day.

The talk is that we are going to get mustered out with the 40,000 volunteers which the President has ordered to be mustered out but, we think it too good to be true.

We now receive our regular rations of bread which for the first week here we did not get but had hard tack three times per day.

When our detail came in from provost guard yesterday we noticed one of our men, Private Clements carrying a sword and thought perhaps he had been given a commission, but upon inquiry we found that in his wanderings he had made a trade for the sword. It is the one carried by Col. Walker of the 7th South Carolina regiment in the Civil war.

Corp. John R. Johnson left for Quincy today on a 20 days' furlough.

The detail for Regimental guard today is Sergt. McGrath, Sheehan, Studley, Sullivan, Briggs and Burns.

Guard detail for 24 hours: Sergt. Phillips, Clapp, F. E. Clark and J. G. Clark.

We had some fine baked beans for breakfast this morning and roast beef, potatoes, onions, bread and coffee for dinner. Private.

More No-License Meetings.

A Swedish meeting in the interest of No-License has been arranged for Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the Swedish Baptist church at Brewer's corner. Mr. A. Olson, a well known temperance worker of Minnesota will make an address also Frank Edwards of Lowell. The pastors of the various Swedish churches will also take part. All are invited.

At West Quincy at 7 o'clock on Sunday evening a meeting will be held in the Methodist church. Adresses will be delivered by Rev. C. W. Wilder and others. All are very cordially invited. Both of these services are under the auspices of the No-License committee.

By request of the Quincy Point people Rev. Edward Anderson will speak at the Washington Street church; he will deliver a temperance sermon specially prepared for last Sunday.

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OBJECTS TO CHANGE.

H. H. Faxon Says Municipal Affairs are Well Regulated.

To the Editors of the Ledger:

It appears that strong efforts are being made to turn over the control of our city government to a class of politicians whose greatest interest is centered in themselves.

In all my political experience of the last twenty years, I have never known of a more desperate struggle, by disgruntled aspirants for office and their political heelers, to upset our well regulated municipal affairs than a t the present time.

Any radical change would largely increase the heavy financial burdens which the taxpayers are now called upon to bear. Henry H. Faxon.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898.

Mayor Not a Stick.

Editors of the Ledger:

In a personal letter from Candidate Keith, which is published in today's Patriot and also sent to the voters through the mails in circular form, he claims that the credit given Mayor Sears for the many improvements we have had during the past does not rightfully belong to him. Would Mr. Keith have the citizens believe that he is speaking the truth when he gave utterance to those statements? Would he have the citizens believe that the Mayor of Quincy is simply a stick or figure head at City Hall, and has no directing power? That the credit for permanent sidewalks and other improvment made this year belongs to the subordinates who did the work? That he desires to become that stick or figure head next year? I think not! Is not the Mayor responsible for the acts of his department heads and subordinates? I think everybody, even Mr. Keith, will admit that he is.

Then if the Mayor is responsible for these acts, is he not entitled to and does not the credit for improvements belong to him? Certainly it does, and it is a weak argument on the part of Mr. Keith to issue such a statement.

In regard to the employment of labor during the past year, Mr. Keith wisely let it alone, for it is a fact that during Mayor Sears' administration the laboring men of Quincy have had more work from the city than ever before under any Mayor. A year ago in November there were less than a dozen laboring men in the employ of the city, while this year there was over one hundred. This was before the storm and there was work enough to keep these same men at work as long as the weather permitted. The time has gone by when the laboring men are led round by flattering promises before election, that never pan out, and they will stand by and support the man who has stood by them and had the directing power of the city affairs that made this work possible. Such a man is Mayor Sears, and the laboring men will support him next Tuesday.

Push.

A Surprise Party.

A very pleasant and social gathering was held at the residence of Mr. John McQuinn at 92 Water street, to bid goodby and Godspeed to Mr. Charles Martin who is leaving on a visit to his native town, Penryn, Cornwall, England. The gathering opened by a presentation of a very beautiful and costly ring, by Mr. Turner, in behalf of the company. A substantial supper was served, and refreshments were liberally supplied. The Quincy Male quartette rendered valuable services, also Mr. Charles Craig, Mr. Sam Tutton and others.

The following ladies and gentlemen were present: Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Warmington, Mr. and Mrs. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. H. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rendle, Mr. John Pierce, Mr. James Birnie, Mr. David Drummond, W. J. E. Glover, Mr. Robie and a host of other friends of Mr. Martin.

The Unity Club.

The usual large crowd was in attendance at the Unity club meeting on Friday evening at the Wollaston Unitarian church.

Mr. George H. Collyer was in charge of the arrangements. President Finch was in the chair and Mrs. Charles T. Baker was secretary, pro tempore.

The first paper was read by Mrs. R. R. Freeman. It treated of Rienzi, the last Roman Tribune; the Condottieri or companise of adventurers, and the removal of the Papal See.

Mrs. H. J. Gurney's paper was on Petrarch, and Boccaccio.

Miss Elizabeth Thayer told in an interesting manner the stories of Leonardo da Vinci and Giovanni Bellini, as also did Miss Lena Pfaffmann on Bellini and Costa.

—Relatives of the late Edward Austin, the millionaire who left the most of his property for the uses of education and charity, are trying to prove that he was non compos. 'Twas ever thus! But the consensus of opinion is that he was about as sane as they make 'em.—Dorchester Beacon.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

The arc lights at Quincy Point will be turned on tonight.

All the comforts of home at Mr. Wilson Tisdale's new residence.

Mr. Benjamin Johnson is at home sick in bed since Wednesday. He has a stomach trouble.

Mr. Henry P. Kittredge, George B. Holden, Walter B. Burrell are talking of a trip to Florida by the first of January.

W. F. McClader of 4 Marsh sreet, left this morning for Worcester to attend the funeral of his cousin Peter McCalder, who died suddenly yesterday from heart disease.

Rev. Edward Norton of the Congregational church was faithful to his duties Sunday morning. He walked to the depot for a train, but there was none and he walked to the church. Nine people assembled but no service was held.

A PHILANTHROPY NOT A CHARITY.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday at 3.30 o'clock will be in the interests of No-Lincense. The speakers will be C. H. Johnson and Melville Hayward. A large attendance is urged. Dr. C. T. Sherman will preside.

The gymnaium clases are now taxing the floor space of the gymnasium. It is a popular feature this season.

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Monday Eve., Dec. 5th.

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FRIDAY, Dec. 9, '98, at 1.30 P. M. sharp.

The Household Goods consist in part as follows: 3 Pine Chamber Sets, 3 Oak Chamber Sets, 3 painted Chamber Sets, Springs, Mattresses, Bolsters, Comforters, Sheets, Commode Sets, and the entire furnishings of 7 Chambers. Straw and Woolen Carpets, 3 Parlor Stoves, 3 Air-tight Stoves, Extension Table (10 foot,) 12 Dining Room Chairs, 75 Odd Chairs, Mirrors, Lamps, Ice Chest, 2 Crawford Ranges in good order, Large lot of Crockery and Tin Ware, Large Counter with Drawers, Curtains, 5 Tables with Marble Slabs, and a large variety of useful household goods.

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Promptly at 4.30 P. M. on day of above sale, on the premises the following carriages will be sold: 1 Covered Buggy, 1 Covered Phaeton Buggy, 1 Open Buggy, 1 Beach Wagon, 1 Tip Cart and Harness.

Mr. Nash will continue his catering business in the rear of the hotel.

Sale positive. Terms cash. Large assortment of goods.

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National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Office of the City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 29, 1898.

I CERTIFY that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated and to be voted for in the City of Quincy, December 6, 1898.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

For Mayor.

Mark ONE.

Harrison A. Keith, 18 River Street. Democratic.
Russell A. Sears, Elm Street. Republican.

For Councilmen-at-large.

Mark FIVE.

William E. Badger, 54 Crescent Street. Republican.
Frank W. Blanchard, Brook Street. Republican.
Rupert F. Claflin, 28 Greenleaf Street. Democratic.
Alexander Clark, 8 Payne Street. Republican.
Henry G. Fay, Willow Street. Democratic.
Richard R. Freeman, Grand View Avenue. Republican
William W. Jenness, Temple Street. Democratic
James E. McDonald, 52 Crescent Street. Democratic
Henry McGrath, 27 Pleasant Street. Democratic.
George A. Sidelinger, 3 South Street. Republican

For School Committee-at-large.

For Three Years.

Mark ONE.

Nathaniel S. Hunting, 214 Hancock Street. Democratic.
John L. Miller, Franklin Street. Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 1.

MARK THREE.

Harold B. Faxon, Chestnut Street. Democratic.
John W. Nash, 66 Washington Street. Republican.
Elisha Packard, 18 Elm Street. Republican.
John Swithin, 93 Granite Street. Democratic Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 2.

MARK THREE.

Fred P. Hill, 3 Edison Park. Democratic.
Eugene N. Hultman, 105 Washington Street. Republican.
Aubrey R. Keith, 18 River Street. Republican.
William Kierman, South Walnut Street. Democratic.
Arthur W. Newcomb, 25 Howard Street. Republican.
John S. Shaw, Quincy Avenue. Democratic

For School Committee—Ward 2.

MARK ONE.

Fred H. Smith, Washington Street. Democratic Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 3.

MARK THREE.

Robert E. Foy, Bradford Street. Democratic.
John L. Johnson, 22 Clark Avenue. Republican.
James E. Maxim, 15 Quincy Avenue. Democratic.
Daniel McLennan, 8 Federal Avenue. Republican.
Harry S. Nicoll, 85 Water Street. Republican
Edward A. Young, Payne Street. Democratic.

For School Committee—Ward 3.

MARK ONE.

Mabel E. Adams, 42 Franklin Street. Democratic.

For Councilmen—Ward 4.

MARK THREE.

Thomas F. Cain, 53 Copeland Street. Democratic.
John J. Dugan, 80 Common Street. Democratic.
John Evans, 24 Copeland Street Republican.
Mayo P. Fuller, 66 Crescent Street. Republican.
Thomas F. Hogan, 116 Willard Street. Democratic.
Michael Owens, 64 Willard Street. Republican.

For Councilmen—Ward 5.

MARK THREE.

Charles M. Bryant, Fenno Street. Republican.
Edward E. Jameson, Farrington Street. Republican.
William A. Jordan, 26 Taylor Street. Democratic.
Fred P. Loud, Beach Street. Democratic.
Walter S. Pinkham, Warren Avenue. Republican.
David J. Roche, 5 Carruth Street. Democratic.

For Councilmen—Ward 6.

MARK THREE.

Charles Alden, 20 Botolph Street. Republican.
John A. Duggan, 37 Atlantic Street. Democratic.
Walter P. Hill, Clive Street. Republican.
John E. Poland, Freeman Street. Republican.

To vote on the following, mark a Cross X in the square at the right of YES or NO.

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?" Yes | No | —

Nov. 29—6t p1w

STENOGRAPHY AND TYPEWRITING,
BOOKKEEPING,
And All Clerical Work.
MISSES A. B. and E. M. COTE,
Room 12 Durgin & Merrill Block, - Quincy.
Oct. 10. tf

WEYMOUTH.

Only three days of school this week on account of the storms.

Miss Helen Curtis of North Weymouth is substituting for Miss Wheeler at the High school.

A number of the Weymouth teachers have purchased tickets for the lecture to be given at Quincy High school next Tuesday evening, by Henry Houck, assistant state superintendent of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Charles Chubbuck and family attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. Newcomb of Roxbury on Wednesday evening.

Howard M. Dow has been engaged as organist at the Union church, Weymouth. The dedication of this church will be Tuesday, Dec. 13 the dedicatory sermon by Rev. Oliver Huckel, a former pastor, now of Baltimore.

The Boys' Brigade of East Weymouth held is meeting last evening in the vestry of the M. E. church.

Next week's attraction will be the entertainment at the Opera house, South Weymouth, given by the Priscilla quartette of Brockton and Miss Grace W. Joy of Providence, R. I.

Mr. A. J. Sidelinger, supervisor of music, will address the Weymouth teachers, next Tuesady afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Bicknell school, East Weymouth.

CITY ELECTION.

CITY OF QUINCY.

City Clerk's Office.

In accordance with provisions of Chapter 548 of the Acts of 1898, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of Quincy qualified to vote will be held on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1898

in the following places, namely:

Ward 1.—Council Chamber, City Hall.
Ward 2.—Hose House, Washington street.
Ward 3, Precinct 1.—Doble's Hall, Franklin street.
Ward 3, Precinct 2.—Old Steamer House, School street.
Ward 4, Precinct 1.—St. Mary's Hall, Willard street.
Ward 4, Precinct 2.—Hose House, Copeland street.
Ward 5.—Polson's Building, Newport avenue.
Ward 6.—Hose House, Newbury avenue.

The polls will be opened at 6 o'clock in the morning and will be closed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and all such citizens will, in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes for Mayor, five Councilmen-at-Large, three Councilmen from each Ward, one member of the School Committee at Large for three years, one member of the School Committee for Ward Two for three years, and one member of the School Committee for Ward Three for three years; also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question: Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?

Attest: EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 28. 6t 3-1w

POLLING PLACES.

CITY OF QUINCY.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 1, 1898.

IN Accordance with the provisions of Chapter 548 of the Acts of 1898, notice is hereby given that by a vote of the City Council, passed October 31, 1898, the polling places for the City Election to be held TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1898, in the City of Quincy, were designated as follows:

WARD ONE—Council Chamber, City Hall.
WARD TWO—Hose House, Washington street.
WARD THREE, Precinct One—Doble's Hall, Franklin street.
WARD THREE, Precinct Two—Old Steamer House, School street.
WARD FOUR, Precinct One—St. Mary's Hall, Willard street.
WARD FOUR, Precinct Two—Hose House, Copeland street.
WARD FIVE—Polson's Building, Newport avenue.
WARD SIX—Hose House, Newbury avenue.

Attest: EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 5, 1898. 24t

NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, Quincy, Mass., November 21, 1898.

ALL Persons having bills against the City of Quincy are requested to present the same to the various departments at once.

All persons owing bills to the City are requested to make a prompt settlement.

Respectfully,
RUSSELL A. SEARS, Mayor.

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for Coughs and Colds. This is not a Patent Medicine. Dr. Cushing's formula upon every bottle. Price 35 cts. Your druggist has it. If not, order of the Cushing Medical Supply Co., 580 Washington St., Boston, Mass. nov26-13t s

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Person's Tax Bill for 1898.

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the v lue of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in "A" towns, that is Abington, Ashburnham, Arlington, Avon, etc.

WARD ONE.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Hunt, Forest D., Abington, 5,000 feet, Bird street, $400.	$13 50
Lincoln, George W., Abington, 4,295, Manet ave., $400.	15 75
Rced, George, Abington, 4,000, at Great hill, $375.	28 35
Rice, James, Abington, 6,000, Willow farm, $500.	21 15
Burley, John, Ashburnham, 17,422, Greenleaf, $2,200.	39 60
Whall, Joseph S., Ashburnham, 20,174, Greenleaf, $2,525. 126,580, " est., $6,500.	236 25
Hartford, David F., Ashmont, 7,490, at Great Hill, $650. 7,160, Bay View ave., 550. 1,000, at Great Hill, 100. 6,223, Sea ave., 550. 5,468, " " 500.	67 50
Cobb, Sophia S., Arlington, 6,000, Rock Island, $400.	36 00
Oliver, Mathew H., Arlington, 3 acres, salt marsh, $200.	3 60
Alden, Elizabeth C., Avon, 4,005, Bay View ave., $350.	14 40
Bucknam, James A., Avon, 2,840, Island ave., $250.	4 90

WARD TWO.

Houghton, Amos R., and Clara J. Wright, North Adams, 5 acres, Winter, $800. 9,638 feet, Winter, $350.	$20 70

WARD THREE.

None reside in "A" towns.

WARD FOUR.

None reside in "A" towns.

WARD FIVE.

Faunce, Cornelius A., Abington, 5,039, Lot 9, Section 6, $350.	$6 30
Gannett, Joseph H., Abington, 5,772, Lot 41, $200. 5,000, " 49, $200.	7 20
Fletcher, John, Acton, 9,393, Lot 16, Sec. 4, $350. 9,600, " 17, " 4, 350. 7,812, " 1, " 5, 450. 7,812, " 2, " 5, 400. 9,375, " 3, " 5, 450. 9,375, " 10, " 5, 500. 7,812, " 11, " 5, 400. 7,812, " 12, " 5, 400. 9,375, " 2, " 5, 400. 13,721, " 3, " 5, 650,	78 30
Hussey, Emily, Alva, Florida, 5,000, Calumet, $300.	55 80
Pollard, David W., Ashland, N. H. 6,682. Lot 4, Sec. 5, $450. 7,803, " 5, " 5, 500. 8,693, " 6, " 5, 550. 9,463, " 7, " 5, 600. 10,068, " 8, " 5, 550.	47 70
Baker, Rutlf P., Amherst, 5,000, Farrington, $450.	44 10
Pridham, Mrs. R. T., Amherst, N. S. 6,426, Wendall, ave., $300.	5 40
Jameson, Nathan G., Antrim, N. H. 10,875, Lot 9, Sec. 4, $400.	7 20
Jameson, Nathan C., Antrim, N. H. 13,125, Lot 8, Sec. 5, $650.	11 70
Brackett, J. Q. A., Arlington, 8,703, Lot 8, Sec. 3, $450. 9,375, " 9, " 3, 450. 9,375, " 10, " 3, 450.	24 30
Greenwood, Adelaide, Ashburnham 5,000, Arlington, $500.	36 00
Sampson, Mrs. Margaret, Ashmont, 2,956, Phillips, $250.	4 50
Baker, Harrison C., Athol, 17,100, Lot 12, Sec. 1, $1,500.	27 00
Ginn, Percy E., Atlanta, Ga., 4,700, Elm ave., $300.	5 40
Attleboro Savings and Loan Asso., Attleboro, 5,000, Arlington street, $450.	53 10
Mulliken, Harry S., Auroro, Ill., 5,250, Morton, $350.	56 70

WARD SIX.

David, Charles F., Abington, 8,872, Billings Sub. $450. 10,173, " " 650. 10,032, " " 650. 9,894, " " 625. 9,069, " " 425. 6,921, Glover ave., 450. 6,891, " " 450. 6,849, " " 450. 6,792, " " 450. 6,561, " " 450, 6,505, " " 400. 6,476. " " 400. 9,466, " " 600.	$116 10
Muller, William A., Abington, 18,000, Ocean, $500. 23,000, " 600. 28,000, " 725.	32 85
Kimball, John F., Andover, 12,000, Henry, $500.	9.00

To be continued.

☞ A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

Report comes from Minot's Light that the tops of four wrecks were sighed at low water yesterday that had not previously been discovered.

NEW SOCIAL CLUB.

Braintree Soon to Have a Club House.

The committee, appointed to consider the advisability of forming a business and social club in Braintree, submit the following report:

After a thorough study of many successful business and social clubs and a careful consideration of all information obtained and of all interests involved in connection with such an undertaking, the committee unanimously report that it seems advisable to form a business and social club in Braintree; that such a club, if rightly organized and managed, will be of great benefit to its members and to the community. one, by providing, so to speak, a social exchange where we may come to know one another better and where our new neighbors may be introduced; two, by being a means through which the best sentiments of the community concerning social and public interests may be expressed; three, by bringing out the attractions and advantages of the town; four, by providing a place for recreation and social enjoyment.

They are further of the unanimous opinion that this business and social club must not be a place for the male members of the family alone, but that it should be so organized that the families of its members may enjoy in common its social privileges.

The committee have given careful consideration to the important question of a club home. They are of unanimous opinion that bowling alleys, spacious hallways, assembly hall, separate parlors and toilets for ladies and gentlemen, and good mechanical ventilation are not only desirable but necessary. No dwelling house in Braintree can be made to afford those facilities. To secure an existing hall for the club quarters has not been considered for a moment.

These conclusions of the committee have not been reached hastily or without due consideration. At the start its members were unanimously in favor of securing a private dwelling house; but, having come to the conclusion that the nature and facilities of the club house will have much to do with determining the club's character and memberships, they unanimously abandoned the thought of utilizing a private house. Further, it is very desirable that its membership represents the whole town and neighboring committees. The club should be established on such a plan and in such a home as will invite the representation.

Therefore the committee unanimously recommend for your consideration the following plan: (A brief summary of plan, by-laws and house rules recommended).

1. The club shall have a house especially designed to suit the needs of the best types of such clubs.

2. The house shall be located so as to be conveniently accessible on all street cars and steam railroads in Braintree.

3. The house shall contain spacious halls and stairways, reception rooms, cardroom, pool and billiad room, bowling alleys, ladies' parlors, assembly hall, ladies' and gentlemen's toilets; the house shall also have excellent mechanical ventilation.

4. The cost of the lot of land and house exclusive of furnishing shall not exceed $10,000.

5. The debt incurred in purchasing the lot of land and building the club house shall be bonded and the bonds be secured by mortgage and, if all of the bonds cannot be placed among the members of the club, a first mortgage shall be placed upon the property of the club for the balance of bonds not taken.

6. To defray the expenses of the club and to provide for the payment of the bonds and certificates of indebtedness, each member shall pay an entrance fee of $15 and an annual assessment of $18, the assessment to be paid in quarterly payment of $4.50 in advance

7. With this fee and assessment, the minimum membership must be one hundred to support the club in a proper manner.

8. The club shall be incorporated, so that the members will not be individually liable for the debts of the club.

9. The $1,500 from entrance fees shall be expended for the club-house furnishings.

1. The $1800 from annual assessments and $600, the estimated profits from pool and billiard tables, bowling alleys and sale of cigars, will meet the following estimated expenses of the club.

Annual payment to sinking fund	$300 to $500
Superinendent or janitor	500
Interest on $10,000	500
For entertainments	250
Taxes	150
Fuel, lights and water	200
Repairs and insurance	100
Incidentals, including printing, postage, etc.,	100
	$2,100 to $2,300

11 The form of government of the club shall be that of a corporation, similar to the Commercial club of Brockton, in which the mangement shall be vested in a board of directors elected annually.

12. The minimum age limit shall be eighteen years.

13. Persons having no real place of residence, business or study in Braintree may become non-resident members, paying half the entrance fee and assessment and having all the rights of active members, except that of voting, holding office or having any financial interest in the property of the club.

14. If feasible, athletic ground shall be secured and departments of athletics, etc., shall be organized by the Board of directors.

Persons over fourteen years of age shall be admitted to these departments by payment of an annual fee of $2 but these department members shall not be entitled to the priviledges of the club-house.

15. No gambling nor intoxicating liquors shall be allowed on the premises of the club.

16. Ladies shall be admitted to the club at all times and shall enjoy the full privileges of the clubhouse including the tables and alleys, until 7 P. M. one afternoon each week, under the following conditions: They must be sixteen years of age. One lady of each member's family will be admitted free: other ladies shall pay $1 each annually. Ladies not represented in the membership of the club may be admitted by paying $1 annually, provided they have been approved by the board of directors.

17. The use of the alleys and tables shall be so regulated that all members shall have an equal opportunity to use them.

18. There shall be an entertainment on one evening of each week except during the summer months to which both lady and gentleman members and visitors not residents in the town shall be admitted free.

19. The club shall hold a business meeting at a stated time each month except July and August at which there will be a presentation or discussion of some question of general public interest.

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This report is respectfully submitted:

WILL H. SHAW, FRANK H. DEARING,
WM. A. MCKEAN, WILLARD E. DOW,
ED. D. EMERSON, IRVING W. HORNE,
F. D. THAYER.

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MILTON.

The Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D. D., Bishop of Massachusetts will administer the rite of Confirmation in the Mission of Our Saviour, Ellsworth Hall, on Thursday evening, December 8th. Service at 8 o'clock. Everyone heartily welcome.

On Tuesday evening there will be an instructive stereopticon exhibit by I. J. Brown and Robert Forbes. A tour of England and France will be the order of the evening, with eighty views of the most interesting places as described by one who has the advantage of careful study and direct personal observation.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Gustave B. Bates for criminal libel was called, and upon the request of Mr. Bates' counsel was again continued until next Thursday.

James A. O'Conner of South Weymouth was fined $15 for assault on his wife.

Albert T. Hollingshead was arraigned for non-support of his wife at Braintree. Case continued untill next Thurseay.

—On Wednesday Capt. Gen. Blanco left Havana for Spain. No one will regret his departure.

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I had passed through her towns and no converse had met,
Though in converse my heart knew its fondest delight,
And so firm in my breast had dear friendship been set
That of friendship I thought I might challenge the right.

But soon was the change when to Richmond I came,
For the stranger here met with a heart like his own,
And he sighs that his verse will ne'er equal its fame
And give it for friendship the highest renown.

In the house on the hill a free welcome he found—
The welcome that told him its friendship was true—
And long shall the praise of its master resound,
While gratitude claims from his heart the just due.

Oh, woman, here, too, both in beauty and sense
Thou art blest with the boon which art cannot improve!
Thy looks and thy smiles such sweet favors dispense
That the heart of the stranger is tempted to love.

Then, Richmond, accept a stranger's farewell.
If the tear of regret of his love be the proof,
Long, long in his heart shall thy memory dwell,
And in age be the theme of the days of his youth.

—Bookman.

ROBIN HOOD'S END.

The new sheriff was a younger and more vigorous man, and Robin Hood preferred a foe of courage and resource. To outwit the old dotard who had recently died had ever been sufficiently easy. The newcomer was more worthy of his steel.

Many a time and oft Robin and his men were only saved by their knowledge of the Sherwood caves; none other held that secret. Indeed the fear of these secret caves was widely spread throughout the neighborhood, and many an old wife's story told of the sure and horrible death that awaited any man that entered them without having a clew.

Gradually, as time wore on, those of the old band who were still left rallied about their leader. In spite of the sheriff their numbers increased, and from their marauding expeditions they seldom came back empty handed. Children in Nottingham said that when they grew up they also would live in the forest like Robin Hood, and eat of the king's venison and be served with cups and plates of gold and have many to follow them.

But Robin had not forgotten the ill omen. Outwardly his mirth was as boisterous as ever. He played rough jests with his own men or with travelers who fell into his hands. It was not enough that he should take their treasure; he must also send them on their way in some purely ridiculous and fantastic attire or position, even as, many years before, he had sent the old sheriff back into Nottingham with his hands and feet tied and his face to his horse's tail.

His presence of mind in the moment of peril was as great as it had ever been. One never found him at a loss, nor did he seem to be thinking of anything beyond the present moment. Yet if by chance any spoke to him of what he should do in years to come his answer was always:

"There are no years to come. This year ends all."

Almost unconsciously his two most able and faithful followers—Little John and the Friar—came to have the same mind on this matter. They had no doubt that the end would come, but only of the manner of its coming. They knew now that they went in greater peril than ever before, and their terror was lest Robin should be taken by the sheriff. Had they spoken to him of it he might have laughed at their fears. Every night and day he kept his dagger by his side, and his mind was fixed that he would never be taken alive. As it was, every morning they asked themselves, "Will it be today?" and every night that they slept in the open, "Shall we be taken while we sleep?"

The autumn came, and already the trees of the forest were changing color. Now and again a party of young nobles would come down to the river with hawk on fist. Sometimes in the early morning the horn would sound the prise, but ere forester or keeper could reach the spot the fat buck had been borne away. The berries were ripening on the brambles and wood was being gathered against the coming winter.

A rich knight, bearing great treasure in his train, passed through the forest unscathed—aye, even without sight of Robin and his men. Others followed, and were also left unmolested. It would indeed have been said that Robin, as was his wont at times, had left Sherwood and was hunting elsewhere but for the shrill call of the horn in the early morning and for the missing deer.

It was as though so long as they could wrest a scant livelihood from the vert and venison of the forest, they were content to give up their war on men.

And this was because Robin lay sick in the caves, every day saying, "Tomorrow it will be well with me, and we will take the road again, and some traveling prelate shall pay for his sins." And when the morrow came, always his weakness returned. It was as if the life died slowly out of him, as the flame dies slowly in the lamp when the oil is nearly finished. The Friar had used such skill in herbs as he had, but to no purpose. One day he said to Robin:

"Have you heard aught of the prioress of Kirklees—she that was daughter of the old sheriff?"

"Many years ago," said Robin half dreamily, "she came to the forest by night. She would have the feather of the golden eagle that I wore in my cap—doubtless a wager, and one that I was willing enough that she should win. She was a slip of a girl then, and, to my thinking, recked little of the religions life. But with women"—

He broke off, gasping for breath, and then resumed with fury:

"A curse upon me that I can neither live nor die and lie thus betwixt and between! What of the prioress? How should she harm me or help me?"

"Her fame is great in these parts," said the Friar, "and daily grows greater. In surgery and physic she has such knowledge as God seldom gives to man. The lame go there and cast away their crutches, and the blind see, and the old become young again. There is not a house in Nottingham or Mansfield where they shall not tell you some great story of the wonders which she has worked."

"What avails it?" asked Robin. "Kirklees is far away, in Yorkshire. I have neither the strength of limb to walk thither nor to sit my horse. If you loved me, you would take of the nightshade in the forest and mix me a draft which should end all this!"

"That would I and speedily," said the Friar, "if the hand of death were indeed upon you, but it is not so. Happily, in the letting of blood alone would you find relief, and were I a surgeon we would make a trial of it. Say, Little John, are we already so sunken and enfeebled that we cannot bear our master to the priory of Kirklees in order that he may march back again with his arrows in his belt and ourselves behind him, as in the old times?"

"It shall be done," said Little John. And Robin, lying with eyes closed, said no word for or against.

So that night a litter was made ready and Robin was laid upon it, with his head on a pile of rushes and his body covered with the skins of wolves, for his natural heat had gone, and even in the day, when the sun was warm, he shivered. And every one of his men went with him. For, by reason of the activity of the new sheriff, the danger of the journey was great, and it was needful to have scouts out far ahead to be sure that all was clear.

Even so, and though they journeyed only by night, not once or twice was the alarm given, and only by a long detour did the band get through in safety. And when they drew near to the priory of Kirklees it was agreed that Little John and the Friar alone should bear the litter to the gate.

He would have strength enough himself to enter the presence of the prioress. But lest he should be recognized and some harm should befall him, he carried his horn hidden under his cloak. One blast upon it would bring the whole of his men unto his succor.

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The prioress' lodge at Kirklees was not one of the buildings that surrounded the cloister court. It stood apart on the right hand side, having a walled garden.

And there in the heat of the day the prioress walked, holding an illuminated book in her hands. She went slowly up and down the straight gravel walk under the trees. The hands that held the book were white and very thin; the face still kept somewhat of its old beauty, but changed. There had been a long struggle and the enemy was vanquished, but he was not dead and might yet arise again.

As she walked there one of her maidens brought her word that a traveler, sore spent, had been brought to the porter's lodge and from thence had been carried into the guest hall, and he begged the prioress would go to him and work a cure upon him that his strength might return and he might go on his way.

Even as she entered the guest hall she knew who it was that lay there, and yet not by one sign did she betray that she knew it.

Robin lay with closed eyes and breathing heavily. He was conscious vaguely of women's voices speaking near him. Then his position was changed somewhat. Through eyes that slowly opened he saw the glint of sunlight fall on polished brass and on a snowy napkin. He felt that some one was rolling back the loose sleeve of his tunic. Then he caught the sound of footsteps passing away in the distance. There was a deep silence, and when he opened his eyes all had gone save the prioress, who looked at him intently.

"Do you know me?" she said.

"Aye," said Robin feebly. "I pray you to open my vein and let blood that I may recover me from the sudden weakness which has fallen upon me."

She bent down beside him and said no word. He felt the sharp prick in the flesh of his bared arm, and then it seemed to him that he fell into a delightful sleep.

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His sleep was full of the happiest dreams, melting vaguely into one another. And they were all dreams of things that were past and over, as though the sleeping brain knew unconsciously that afterward there would be nothing.

Maid Marian stood by him, young and beautiful, in the days of her willful youth, and whatsoever she bade him do for her he did, though he knew that it was to his ruin and undoing.

He rode his great white horse through the forest on a very bright and sunny morning. All the birds were singing together and a feeling of well being was deep in his heart.

His men were beside him talking and laughing loudly. Suddenly out from their ambush sprang the sheriff's men, and Robin and his band fell upon them. That, too, passed.

And now it was a clear moonlight night, and Maid Marian stood by the ruined chapel and looked at him wistfully with that gentleness in her eyes which came to her when at last she loved.

And now, again by night, he swam the cold waters of the moat at the Baron De Troiley's castle, and the baron's archers shot afar or wide of him.

Now he was with the king's army. The thought had come to him that since Maid Marian was dead naught else mattered, and he swore and raved and drank and went forth on some errand that was thought to mean certain death, and returned from it unscathed.

And lastly, he was back again in the forest, and down the moonlit road came the torches with the funeral procession. His lips moved even in the swoon in which he lay.

"A bad omen," he whispered.

But in all these changing dreams there was one that never appeared to him—the woman of whom he had thought so little, who now, with white face and set teeth, bent by his side as he lay there unconscious.

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After the dreams there seemed to follow a long wave of darkness, and when this had passed and he had opened his eyes he knew that he was dying.

A vague wonder went through his mind whether it was by accident that she had taken so much blood from his arm, now tightly bandaged, or whether it was of intention, knowing him to be one deserving of death and thinking that in so doing she acted as the servant of God and the king.

It came into his mind as so much idle guesswork. It did not matter. It might be dismissed. His restless eyes gazed round the room. Close by him on the floor there seemed what looked like a shapeless blotch of green light.

As he gazed at it it slowly took shape, and he remembered. It was his green cloak, which had been flung down there and lay there in the sunlight, and under it he knew was hidden his hunting horn. Hard by the cloak was the narrow open window. In the distance from the chapel he could hear the sweet voices of the nuns singing.

Suddenly the thought came to him that he could not die like this, like a rat in a trap—a man that had fallen into the hands of a woman. With great pain and exertion he managed to crawl from his bed and once more hang the horn about his neck.

Then slowly he climbed into the window and leaned out. The fresh air fanned his face and seemed to revive him somewhat. For a few moments he knelt there, panting heavily, and then, bringing his horn to his lips, he blew a call. Faintly the sounds floated away into the distance. Then he fell back, and once more the swoon came back over him.

The first thing of which he was conscious was a confused sound. There was the screaming of women and the heavy tramp of feet. When he fully came to himself and opened his eyes, the great guest hall was silent, but there were many in it. The friar held him up. Little John stood by his side. At the farther end of the hall, in front of the heavy oaken door, stood the men of his band, ranged closely together and waiting his order.

"Give me water," said Robin.

It was brought him, and he drank.

And then, after a pause, Little John spoke.

"Master, since it is by the foulest treachery that you are now brought to this pass, I pray you to grant the last request that ever I shall make of you."

"Speak on."

"Firstly, that we may bear you hence to some safe place where haply you may yet recover, and then that we may burn out this nest of singing birds, so that not one of them is left alive, and not one stone of all their buildings shall stand upon another."

Robin smiled.

"Nay, Little John," he said. "When did we make war on women? When have we broken down the house that was dedicated to Our Lady? It is my command—and since I die and shall not recover, it is verily the last command that I shall give you—that you leave these women in peace and all their house standing even as it is now, taking nothing from them and doing them no harm, and that you carry me forth and bury me in the greenwood, where my life has been spent."

Then, at his bidding, they gave him his bow, and he would have strung it, but strength failed him. They bore him to the window and held him there upright. Then Little John strung his bow and gave it to him and put an arrow into his hand.

"See," said Robin Hood; "where this my last arrow falls there shall my last resting place be. There bury me."

Then with all his strength he drew back the arrow and loosed it. And it sped far away in the sunlit air of the evening, farther than eye could follow.

And so he fell back into their arms and died.—Barry Pain in New York Evening Post.

OUR WEEKLY FASHION PLATE.

FRENCH GOWN OF CAMELS HAIR FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

One of the season's prettiest combinations appears in French gown of sage gray camel's hair, with plastron, sleeve tops, and collar of pale blue mirrow velvet.

The skirt is of circular shape, closed in the back by means of small tabs and trimmed to simulate a tunic, with double-shaped ruffles cut very scant, and producing only waving lines, which are finished with a narrow stitched band of a darker shade of gray velvet.

Two similar flounces ornament the bottom of the skirt, which measures four yards. The ruffles of the tunic round narrowly up to the waist, which is stitched smoothly across the bust, where it is cut in deep points, under which are dainty frills of taffeta silk with needle work edge. The shoulders are encircled by a deep shaped collar, which droops over the closed sleeve-tops, trimmed in corresponding fashion. The same decoration is carried out around the collar, and finishes the wrists of the very small mutton-leg sleeves. Antique silver buttons adorn the points of the corsage as well as the straps of the skirt. The proper cut of the gown can be obtained only from the cut paper patterns published by Harper's Bazar, where the gown appears.

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The procession having divided into semi-circles, General Wood, in a few tactful words, opened the proceedings, delivering the court, in the name of the United States government, to the chief justices and his associates, and demanding from the public implicit obedience to the court's decisions and decrees. His pronouncement was translated by Captain Mendoza into Spanish.

Chief Justice Echeverria, replying, accepted the judicial office in the name of the justices, formally recognizing the United States as the supreme power, and declaring that the bench would render justice to rich and poor alike. The proceedings terminated with handshaking, after which General Wood's party was escorted to the entrance by the entire legal body. The first session of the first purely Cuban court was then opened .

Among Cubans the event is a matter for general congratulation. The local papers consider it the dawn of a new era, and express the hope that the judges, who are all men of legal acumen and profound research, may be able to show the world that the Cuban population has within itself the elements of good government.

The same papers are exceedingly complimentary to General Wood, declaring it "quite impossible that any other American could have secured a better grasp of the entire situation."

Colonel Valient, who has been appointed chief of the gendarmerie, made a record during the insurrection. He was the first to order his men to lay down their arms after the American occupation, and he has showed his willingness in every way to co-operate with the United States military authorities. He is exceedingly popular in the province, very energetic, and, though a comparatively a young man, widely experienced. His appointment is much applauded.

On Monday 150 men will begin to build the road to Holguin. The distance making allowances for necessary deviation, is 75 miles. General Woods is determined to facilitate the means of inter-communication for the towns in this end of the island, and, on the same day 100 men will begin a road to Guantanamo. In this case a distance of 40 miles must be covered. When the funds will allow, a road will be started to Manzanillo. These highways, once completed, will be of inestimable value for military and commercial purposes. To an American on-looker it seems amazing that the work was not done by the Spaniards.

Still Haggling.

Paris, Dec. 3.—Yesterday's session of the peace commission was a repetition virtually of several earlier meetings. When, after two hours of discussion taking a wide range, the Spaniards were pressed for definite statements, they pleaded that they had not received instructions from Madrid. Thereupon the Americans declared, in diplomatic phraseology, that it was useless to waste time in debate with men who were not empowered to make bargains. Although the adjournment was taken until today it is probable that there will be a further postponement to Monday.

Volunteer Forces Relieved.

Havana, Dec. 3.—The volunteer forces of Havana were relieved today of all further garrison duty. Recently they have only been called upon to furnish men for three posts, namely, the guard at the captain general palace, at the military governor's palace and at the headquarters of General Parrado. In future regular Spanish troops will mount guard at these places. This ends the active service here of the volunteers, who will shortly be disbanded, prior to the completion of the evacuation of Havana.

Debts Left Out.

London, Dec. 3.—The Paris correspondent of The Standard says: The peace commissions have agreed not to mention the Cuban or Philippine debt in the treaty, because it might lead to a misapprehension. The American commissioners have indicated to the Spaniards that these debts cannot possibly, in law, right or equity, be saddled upon Cuba or the Philippines, since the money employed was not for the benefit of the colonies, but to compel them by force of arms to suffer the oppressive Spanish rule from which they were seeking to free themselves.

Hale Against Annexation.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Senator Hale of Maine announces his opposition to the peace treaty which is being formulated in Paris. He is opposed to the acquisition of the Philippines, and his antagonism to the treaty will be based upon that section of the treaty which deals with the Philippine question. "The people of the United States," he says, "will find out that the commerce of the Philippines is very limited in extent; that they are inhabited by a people whose habits and wants forbid an increase of trade, and that, under the scheme of annexation presented to us, this trade is to be shared equally with Spain and all other competing nations. What is called the 'open door' policy cuts down the interest of the United States in the Philippine trade to a point where it makes no figure in our commerce. The entire trade of the islands, if we had it all—not the profit derived from it, but the whole amount of trade—will not, in any year, pay the expenses of the army and the navy that the United States will be obliged to maintain there."

Christian Sympathy.

Greensburg, Pa., Dec 3.—The following is a letter received from Admiral Dewey by Mrs. Noss of Mt. Pleasant, whose husband, Jesse Noss, was killed in the battle of Malate, July 31: "I wish to express to you my deepest sympathy. It must lessen your sorrow somewhat to know that your husband fell fighting bravely for his country, the noblest death a man can know. From the Olympia I watched the fight that fearful night and wondered how many American homes would be saddened by the martyrdom suffered by our brave men, and my sympathy went out to each and every one of them. Your loss has been sadder than the others, and I am unable to express the sorrow I feel for you. Tears came to my eyes as a read the sad story of the father who never saw his child, and then the loss of all that was left to the brave mother. It is hard sometimes to believe, but Our Heavenly Father, in His infinite goodness, always does things for the best, and some day, father, mother and daughter will be joined, never again to be parted."

HIGHLY ENCOURAGING.

This Month Promises to Close a Remarkable Business Year.

New York, Dec. 3.—Bradstreet's says: The business world enters on the closing month of the year with so many favorable and so few depressing features in sight as to leave little doubt that the year 1898 as a whole must hereafter furnish the basis for estimate when comparisons of large business are to be made.

Nearly all obtainable statistics and reports as to the volume of business point to the present year having heavily exceeded any former year in the amount of business done, and, though comparisons as regards prices are not so favorable as in earlier years, notably 1890 and 1892, when quotations of most staples were considerably higher, still the expansion in trade, due to the increased population and enlarged foreign demand for our products, has resulted in an aggregate volume of business done considerably in excess of any former year.

In the general business world the leading event of the week has undoubtedly been the placing of very large orders, estimated at between 500,000 to 700,000 tons, of steel rails, more than one-quarter of the entire country's annual production, at prices which are encouraging.

Foreign demand for our food products has continued an encouraging feature of the cereal situation, and wheat prices particularly are a little lower on the week, notwithstanding very heavy farmers' deliveries and increasing domestic stocks. Exports this week are the largest ever reported. Corn and oats appear to have temporarily parted company from wheat, and are higher on the week on improved speculative buying and enlarged export trade. The ocean freights' situation is slightly easier, and the supply of tonnage shows some enlargment.

The prices situation generally is encouraging, and advances largely outnumber declines. The arrival of winter weather in the south has tended to make smaller cotton crops estimates more popular, and enlarged speculative and spot purchases have advanced prices for this staple. Anthracite coal has been marked up in some markets.

The boot and shoe situation has been improved by the severe weather lately experienced, as has the outlook for rubber goods. Leather is steadier and hides are higher.

The print cloth market continues strong at the recent advance, but the woolen goods situation is still unsatisfactory, though a fair business is doing in raw wool at steady prices.

Active speculative and distributive business at the metropolis and large settlements on account of former business, thus reflecting effects of uniformly good collections and undeniably active business in most other sections of the country, combined to swell the total bank clearings for November—a short month with two holidays—to a total heavily in excess not only of November of any previous year, but also to a sum much larger than the month of January this year, which has heretofore held the record for monthly bank clearings.

Standing Army of 100,000,000.

Washington, Dec. 3.—General Miles has prepared the draft of a bill providing for a regular standing army of 100,000 men. The bill, it is said, will provide for an organization of 12 companies to the regiment, with an arrangement for a third lieutenant for each company in case of need for that officer. It will contain provision for a staff corps largely in accordance with the recommendations of the heads of the various bureaus as recommended by them in annual reports.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Charles Munn, a negro, was hanged at Helena, Ark. He was convicted of the murder of Frank Dubarry, a white farmer.

The secretary of war has directed that the 9000 Mauser rifles taken from the Spanish troops at the surrender of Santiago be disposed of.

B. J. Wefers, the famous sprinter, will no longer represent the New York Athletic club. He has bidden farewell to New York, and will henceforth wear the colors of the Boston Athletic association.

The dry goods store of H. N. Bradley & Co., at Denver, was closed under an attachment secured by the Merchants National bank of New York. The liabilities of the firm are said to be about $100,000.

The official returns of the late election in Wisconsin show that Edward Scofield (Rep.), for governor, received 173,096 votes, and Hiram W. Sawyer (Dem.), 134,332, making Scofield's plurality 38,737.

The projected increase in the German army means, according to Berlin dispatches, a yearly addition to the estimates of 8,000,000 marks. The peace effective footing will be gradually raised by 40,000 men, to be completed in 1903.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

Rose Coghlan contemplates a tour in "Carmen."

Bettina Gerard has joined Sam T. Jack's forces.

Nance O'Neil has gone to Honolulu with a company.

Sarah Bernhardt has celebrated her fifty-fourth birthday.

Hilda Spong is the new London beauty at the New York Lyceum.

Charles Hoyt is getting ready for a production of "A Dog In a Manger."

Sibyl Johnstone, who once created a sensation as Iza in "The Clemenceau Case," is dead.

George H. Broadhurst will produce his new play, "The Last Chapter," in January next.

The Theatre de l'Œuvre, Paris, is about to present a version of "Measure For Measure."

Edna Wallace Hopper will star next season in a comic opera that is now being written for her.

According to the Atlantic cable Lillian Russell is getting to be a heavyweight cantatrice, tipping the beam at 180 pounds.

James K. Hackett is the first male star Daniel Frohman has managed since he brought out E. H. Sothern a dozen years ago.

Miss Regina Newman, a young soprano from San Francisco, has made a hit as Rosina at the Stadt theater in Lubec, Germany.

Mrs. Fiske has arranged for four months' time in New York next season, intending to run "Becky Sharp" most or all of the time.

Blanche Walsh is to appear in a new drama with Melbourne McDowell, enacting a part which the late Fanny Davenport was to have assumed.

Eleonora Duse is to play "Hedda Gabler," "Nora" and Praga's "An Ideal Wife" this winter in Paris for the first time, and will be seen in the other roles of her repertory.

THE KINETOSCOPE.

A local negro thief got away with a fistful of gold pens. He is write in it.—Philadelphia North American.

Creek Indians, besides having schools and wearing clothes, kill one another at elections to remove any doubt of their being civilized.—Exchange.

Don't scold your boy because he doesn't know his geography lesson. Suppose he should ask you to bound the United States?—Kansas City Journal.

It is none too early for Hawaii to file applications to have a battleship of the United States named for this country.—Honolulu Commercial Advertiser.

The Cubans do not want to give up bullfighting, but if they once learn the beauties of American football the other will be too tame for them.—Scranton Republican.

The police of Newark, N. J., have picked up a man who talks fluently in an unknown tongue, and they are unable to understand him. Perhaps the fellow is talking golf.—Chicago Times-Herald.

"Speaking of the complaints against the weather bureau," remarked the observer of men and things, "it would doubtless please more people if the government would hire men to predict what next year's bicycle model will be like."—Detroit Journal.

Zangwill is another candid critic of the American people, a nation that seems to inspire a wild desire on the part of every foreigner to transform himself into a solemn preacher. It is lucky for these sermonizers that the American is a most good humored person.—Mexican Herald.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Stiff hats cover a multitude of soft brains.

The more some people tell you the less you know.

The patrons of a dime museum have but little faith in signs.

Logic proves or disproves all things, but it doesn't accomplish any of them.

The poverty of a girl's father has caused many a man to remain a bachelor.

When a man makes up his mind to marry, he uses more or less fiction.

About the hardest thing for a colored man to understand is a negro dialect story.

There may be a time for all things, but the wise man only tackles one thing at a time.

A doctor may give a patient hope, but he charges for the time it takes him to give it.

A woman seldom throws at anything until she is so mad that she can't see straight.

It's unnecessary for a man to be a brilliant conversationalist in order to hold his own in soliloquy.—Chicago News.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The king of Portugal while engaged in conversation has a habit of continually snapping his fingers.

The king of Barotseland is a tremendous swell. He dresses in a long blue dressing gown trimmed with red braid, trousers and shirt. On his head he wears a scarlet nightcap.

Queen Victoria has recently accepted plans for artistic teahouses to be erected on knolls surrounding Balmoral and commanding fine views. The roofs will be thatched with heather, and each cottage will contain a sitting room, a dressing room and a dining room.

Emperor William uses the largest visiting cards of any member of Europe's royal families. They are of heavy card, 6 inches long and 4 inches wide. On the upper line is the single word "Wilhelm," and on the second line are the words, "Deutscher Kaiser und Koenig von Preussen."

THE COOKBOOK.

A cup of chopped celery stirred into the dressing intended for stuffing a duck imparts to the flesh a flavor much like that of a wild one.

In baking cakes or gems in gem pans, if there is not enough batter to fill all the little pans, put water into the empty ones before setting in the oven to bake.

Rice contains more nutriment than any other food, besides being the easiest to digest. Most of us admit all the claims made for it, but refrain from using it on our tables, unless as the basis for an insipid pudding.

Homemade ice cream sometimes turns out buttery, to the dismay and surprise of the producer. To prevent this condition it is obligatory that the scalded and unbeaten cream should be put together and thoroughly chilled before the dasher of the freezer is turned.

Figures Don't Lie.

It doesn't take much knowledge of mathematics to figure out the facts about that dread disease—consumption. Statisticians long ago demonstrated that one-seventh of all the deaths in Christendom each year may be safely attributed to consumption and allied diseases.

There is an almost certain cure and a positive preventive for this fatal disease if taken in time. The story of what it will do is told in the following letter:

"About two and a half years ago, when I was at Flat Lick, Ky.," writes J. W. Jordan, Esq., of Corbin, Whitley Co., Ky., "I was taken with severe pains in the chest, after which I began to spit up blood and was also troubled with night-sweats. I was so short winded that I could hardly walk half a mile at once, and if I got the least bit wearied, I would have an attack of phthisic (asthma) and almost die for about two or three days. I concluded to try Dr. R. V. Pierce, and I related my case to him. He wrote me that I should take his 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I began using it and used about six bottles. I began to see that it was helping me, so concluded to continue its use. I did so and have improved both in strength and in weight. I have not had the phthisic, nor spit up any blood since last spring."

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BRAINTREE.

The foot ball players have had their annual "hair cut."

Remember the adjourned town meeting in the Town hall tonight.

Sunday was the first time in sixteen years that there was no service in the First church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daggett returned to Providence, R. I., the first of the week.

It is estimated that nearly eighteen inches of snow fell here during the two recent storms.

It is not often that we have good sleighing in Massachusetts before December first.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reviere are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a boy—born Monday.

Harry Sturtevant has returned from a six weeks' vacation and is at his old post on the street railway.

The meeting of the Literary club was postponed to next Monday evening at the home of Mr. A. E. Avery.

The Weymouth line of electrics was open to travel Tuesday afternoon and the Quincy avenue line is open today.

Cars were run at Randolph Tuesday, but did not make but one trip on account of the snow. They ran on time Thursday.

The factories of Stevens & Willis and D. B. Closson & Co. have been closed this week the firms having been taking account of stock.

The electric lights were turned on at the east and south parts of the town Tuesday night, but at North Braintree it could not be used till Thursday night.

The Thayer boys celebrated the closing of the season Saturday evening by a huge bonfire on the new campus and by marching through the streets counting the score, etc. The weather has greatly interfered with her schedule this year, but nevertheless she has played 12 games winning 6 and losing 6 and has also won one by forfeit. She has won however, nearly 50 more points than she has lost. She defeated, Weymouth High school, Adams Academy twice, Quincy High school twice, Brockton High and Harvard Scrub. She was defeated by Brockton High, Burdett, Comers, Atlantic A. A., Dean Academy and Hingham High school.

Mr. George H. Arnold was somewhat alarmed for the safety of his new greenhouse during the storm but by hard work and watchfulness it was saved.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Margaret Shaw were held Friday afternoon; Rev. A. A. Ellsworth officiated. Three selections were sung by a quartette composed of Mrs. Charles Kohler, Mrs. C. E. French, Mr. Edward Hobart, and Mr. Edward Woodward. The remains were placed in the Pond street cemetery.

There was no meeting of the Union Choral society on Wednesday evening owing to the severe travelling. Mrs. Shepard kept her engagement, however, only to find a dark hall. The next meeting will be at Weymouth Landing. Every member is urged to be present.

The Union Veteran Fire association will give a social dance tonight.

Mr. George H. Howes of Middle street was on the steamer Gate City that has arrived safely at Savannah.

Edwin F. Porter attended the second annual banquet of the Gute Zeit club in Fitchburg, Wednesday evening and told some of his best stories.

Chairman Clark of the Board of Selectmen tells us that the two snow storms that have taken place since last Saturday will cost the town $800.

The death rate thus far in Braintree has been below the average. Up to Oct. 25, only 74 had been recorded, against 92 for the same period last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Wilkins intended to go to Portland on the steamer Saturday night, but the threatening weather prevented. Had the captain used the same good judgment, a hundred lives would have been saved.

Boston Museum.

Charles Frohman presented William Gillette's latest comedy "Because She Loved Him So," at the Boston Museum last Tuesday night and it proved one of the most instantaneous and remarkable successes that gentleman ever had in Boston, which is saying a great deal. It was Mr. Frohman's "annual Boston Museum production," in pursuance of his promise that he would make the initial presentation of a new play each season at this historic house, of which he is one of the lessees and managers. It is within limits of reasonable statement to say that never in the history of theatricals were the Boston critics so unanimous in their superlative praise. The wise-eyed Transcript, to the astonishment of its readers no doubt, boldly and even fervently gave this advice: "If you like a good thing go and see "Because She Loved Him So" at the Museum," while the ever-cautious Advertiser simply revelled in such commendatory words as "Bright," "Charming," and "Faultless." Then the Herald broke into this paean: "The cleanest, neatest, brightest, and most amusing comedy this generation has seen," while the Globe is on record as saying that Mr. Gillette's play is "refreshingly wholesome and joyously effervescent," and that it gives "genuine delight." The Post summed up a glowing criticism by vouching that the new comedy was "a positive delight," and the Journal, in a rollicking mood, trumpets out that it is "mighty good fun." And so on down the list. All the criticisms of "Because She Loved Him So" fairly bristle with such sentences, and perhaps nothing stronger in praise of the play con be said here. For the acting there is nothing but encomium, and that is no wonder when these people are the players: J. E. Dodson, Edwin Arden, Arnold Daly, William Smith, Charles R. Gilbert, W. J. Constantine, Charles Eldridge, Roy Fairchild, Ida Conquest, Kate Meek, Leonora Brahan, Margaret Fielding, Margaret Mayo, Edythe Skerrett, and Bijou Fernandez. The second week of this delightful success begins Monday evening next, and there will be the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

Keith's Theatre

The bright little comedietta "An Awful Fix," presented by James Horne and a trio of able assistants will be the chief offering at Keith's for the week of Dec. 5. The piece contains a plethora of sparkling humor bottled up in its lines, which, in conjunction with a dozen absurd situations, brought in without straining, makes the farce quite entertaining. Gus Williams, one of the cleverest and most popular German comedians who has ever appeared on the stage in this country; Marguerita Sylva, a beautiful woman, who has been prominent in several of the light opera companies in recent years, and a talented chansonette; Billy Carter, expert banjoist and amusing comedian; John and Nellie Healy, and Powers and Hyde, in comedy sketches. In the biograph will be a series of interesting motion pictures, including military views and comedy scenes. This will be the 100th week of continuous presentation of this wonderful 19th century invention, during which time more than five hundred pictures have been exhibited.

Castle Square Theatre.

The coming week at the Castle Square theatre will be a most notable one in the history of this dramatic enterprise, as it will include the 1000th performance of the Castle Square Theatre dramatic stock company. In this number of performances no less than 70 productions are included, and on Wednesday, the 7th inst., the organization will have appeared for 83 consecutive weeks, having 12 performances each week. To commemorate the completion of this remarkable record, the management has planned to give on Wednesday, to the day's patrons, a grand musical festival, consisting of concerts from 12 to 2 for the matinee patrons, and 6 to 8 for the evening audience, by a military band of 100 men. Boston Cadet Band, F. E. Partridge leader; the Salem Cadet Band, Jean Missud, leader; and the American Band of Providence, D. W. Reeves, leader, will be brought together for this occasion for the first time on any stage, and the concert programs will be directed by the three leaders in turn. Those holding seats for the matinee and evening performances of Wednesday, can occupy them during these preliminary concerts without additional charge. The management announces a revival of the dramatized version of Anthony Hope's "Prisoner of Zenda" as the attraction for the coming week, and this famous play will again be seen with all the completness of its original production at this house.

Souvenir Night,

December 9th, 1898, to be held in MUSIC HALL, QUINCY. The opening night for the course of 5 Grand Socials and Ball to be given by the T. R. & S. A. A., will be noted as being a souvenir night. Every one being present on that evening will be presented with a souvenir stick pin made of the best Tubular Rivet and Stud that can be manufactured and will be fit for either Lady or Gent as an ornament. Don't forget the place or date, Music Hall, Quincy, Dec. 9, 1898.

Tickets for the Socials, Gent and Lady 50 cents. Extra Lady 25 cents. Season Tickets, Gent and Lady $3.00. Lady $1.25. Ball Tickets, Gent and Lady $1.00. Extra Lady 25 cents. The Season Tickets admits to the Socials and the Ball. Tickets for sale by the members of the Association and also at Durgin's Drug Store, Quincy.

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CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Holy Communion and sermon at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Choral evening song third in four series of history addresses on the Puritans at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Story of Oliver Cromwell." Grand missionary meeting Tuesday evening at 7.45 o'clock. Detailed notice elsewhere. The Archdeaconry of New Bedford will meet with Christ church Wednesday at 11 A. M. Communion address by the Rev. Percy Brown, rector of St. James church, Boston.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting in chapel Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Conducted by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The iron man Talus: with modern application." Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. No evening service. Temperance rally at 3 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "The ideal life." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Thanks-giving and thanks-living." At 7.30 the pastor will give a talk on old Bible lands with stereopticon views. All welcome.

SWEDISH METHODIST CHURCH,—Fort street, Rev. H. Larson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Mr. Frank Edwards of Lowell will speak. Sunday School at 12 M. Union No license meeting at 3 o'clock in Swedish Baptist church. Evening service at 7.30.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 11. Subject: "The Isthmian games and now." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "The devil of drink."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 6.45, and will close at 7.40, in time for the eight o'clock No-license meeting at Music Hall. Rev. H. C. Wright of Atlantic will speak.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 110 Hancock street—Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. U. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7. Subject: "The curse of spirituous liquors." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All welcome.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Morning services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Communion service at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7.30. The Scandinavians are invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street.—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "How a coward became a conquering hero." Lord's Supper at close of service. Bible School at 12 M. Service at Poor Farm at 2.30 o'clock. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "God's voice speaking in the recent snow storm." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M., followed by Holy Communion. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock in the interest of No-license. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock.

EAST MILTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. H. Rogers, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. Preaching by pastor. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "Lessons from the great storm." All welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Morning service, 10.45. Subject: "Our City." A plea for No-license. Sabbath School at 12.15 P. M. Children's Mission Band at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Union service at Methodist church in behalf of No-license at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Sunday School at 12 M., with adult class under the direction of Mr. Page, and the pastor's class.

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MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "A question of church membership." Sabbath School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Union temperance service at 7 o'clock in the Methodist church; address by Mr. Peach of Quincy.

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CONGRESS ASSEMBLES.

Passing of Money Budgets Will Probably Monopolize the Session.

Intense Interest In President McKinley's Message.

Legislation on New Possessions Will Probably Hold Over Until March.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The curtain rung up today at noon upon the closing session of the Fifty-Fifth congress. The war and the fruits of the American victory carry in their wake many problems which the national legisluature must solve. But though many questions may press for solution, the brief space covered by this session, which expires by limitation March 4, precludes the possibility of much being accomplished beyond the passage of the regular money budgets, the legislation for the increase of the regular army, which the administration deems necessary to meet the obligations imposed upon the country by the result of the war, and probably the enactment of a law to give a permanent territorial government to the Hawaiian Islands. This covers all the important legislation which the congressional leaders expect to see enacted at this session.

It is almost the unanimous sentiment of the leaders that no attempt should be made to legislate concerning the possessions acquired by the war with Spain at this session. There are earnest advocates of the Nicaraguan canal bill who will strive to secure its passage now, and they may possibly be successful, but neither it nor any one of the measures like the pooling bill, anti-scalpers' bill, etc., which have strong friends, will be allowed to interfere with the bills, the passage of which is deemed absolutely necessary to prevent an extra session.

The leaders at both ends of the Capitol have put their heads together, and the work of the session is to be entered upon with the idea of avoiding an extra session. With this purpose in view, the appropriation bills are to be given the road at both ends of the Capitol, and pressed through with all possible haste.

The two sub-committees of the appropriations committee of the house have been at work for a week. The deficiency bill, to meet the extraordinary expenses of the army and navy during the six months, from Jan. 1, 1898, to July 1, is ready to submit to the full committee, and the regular District of Columbia appropriation bill will be ready by the end of the week. It is necessary that the former should become a law before the holiday recess which, this year, is to be shorter than usual, and Chairman Cannon hopes to see it through the house and into the senate before the end of the present week.

The Democrats of the house have not disclosed their position, but it is not believed they will seek to obstruct an appropriation bill necessary for the maintenance of the army now in the field. Should there be a disposition to open up and prolong a debate upon the conduct of the war upon this bill it is safe to assume that the committee on rules will be invoked to bring in an order to close debate.

Intense interest was manifested in the president's message on account of the great importance of the many questions it had to deal with, and no presidential message in years, it is safe to say, was listened to with the eagerness and interest with which the reading of President McKinley's message was heard. The reading of the message occupied about two hours.

The first thing in order after Speaker Reed called the house to order was a call of the roll, to determine the presence of a quorum. A quorum having been developed, committees were appointed to wait upon the president and the senate to inform them that the house was ready to proceed to business.

Pending the arrival of the president's message, several new members, elected to fill vacancies caused by deaths or resignations, were sworn in, and immediately after the reading of the message was completed the house adjourned, out of respect to the memory of Messrs. Love of Mississippi and Northway of Ohio, who died during the recess. Tomorrow, or Wednesday at the latest, the house will plunge into its work. Chairman Cannon will have the deficiency bill ready, and it will occupy the attention of the house to the exclusion of everything else for the remainder of the week.

Senators express a determination to take up the work of the session vigorously in the beginning, with the hope of having it well advanced before the holidays, and they are counting upon taking up the appropriation bills at a very early date for the purpose of preventing an extra session, due to any failure on the part of the national budget. It is expected that the army deficiency bill will reach the senate during the present week, the understanding at the north end of the Capitol being that the house will dispose of it within a very few days after assembling. The committee on appropriations will bring it in early, for the double purpose of having it passed quickly and of testing the feeling of senators on questions connected with the war.

The first day's session was given almost entirely to the president's message, and there was great interest manifested in hearing the minutest details of the president's recommendations. After the reading of the message, the senate adjourned until tomorrow. Plans for legislation of general scope awaited the promulgation of this document, and as a consequence one hears far less than usual of measures to be introduced.

It is impossible to say what matters will occupy the week, but it is probable that some speeches may be delivered upon the policy indicated by the message and also that the calendar may be taken up.

There are many measures which have been reported and there will be no difficulty to find employment if the senate is disposed to settle to routine so early in the session. During the closing days of the last session, Senator Morgan gave notice of his intention to call up the Nicaragua canal bill at the beginnng of the present session. He unquestionably will redeem this promise, and would doubtless seek the first opportunity but for the possibility of change of sentiment in favor of having the government undertake the entire responsibility of building the canal. All indications are that this question will be one of the most prominent subjects under consideration during the session.

Opposition is developing to the bill which the Hawaiian commission will bring in and for which early consideration will be asked. There is a contingent in the senate opposed to constituting the islands into a territory, because of the apprehension that they may be converted into a state, and deliberate consideration of the subject will be asked.

While it is quite too early to reach a definite conclusions, there are decided indications of a disposition on the part of the senate to confine the session's work to routine measures and the appropriation bills, and it need surprise no one if the close of the session would demonstrate that this general policy had been pursued.

Tough Weather Out West.

Toledo, Dec. The worst storm on Lake Erie this season is in progress. A heavy snow has nearly cut this city off from the outside world. Wires are now down in every direction. Dozens of boats are in the bay, and fears for the safety of many of them are entertained. The wind is blowing a gale over the lake.

The snowstorm of Saturday was followed yesterday throughout the Ohio valley by rain and sleet and high winds. Telegraphic communication, railroads, and trolleys are badly crippled. The rain and sleet continue.

A special from Lima says: The severest storm in years has prevailed here, doing many thousand of dollars' worth of damage to telegraph, telephone and electric light companies. Poles have given away under the weight of the wet snow, and hundreds of wires are down and crossed so as to make them useless and dangerous. Trains on all roads are late. The heaviest snowstorm known in years has raged all day in Finlay, and street car traffic is entirely suspended and all railroad trains are very late.

Chicago to Be Flagship.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Secretary Long has decided to assign the Chicago to duty as flagship of the European squadron, which is now in process of selection. The squadron probably will include about five ships of different classes. While there will be some armored vessels among them, it is not likely that the battleship type will be represented, owing to the fact that these vessels are not designed for long cruises. Three ships will be sent to the south Atlantic station, and Secretary Long has under consideration the establishment of a south Pacific station, with a base at Valparaiso in summer and at Callao in winter.

Speculation on Debts.

Madrid, Dec. 5.—The government has not reached a full decision regarding the Philippines and Cuban debts, but the official gazette publishes an announcement that the drawing for the redemption of the Cuban bonds will occur on Dec. 10. The speculation in the Cuban and Philippine debts on the bourse has seriously displeased the cabinet. The rise in those securities is attributed to the report that the government will devote the indemnity received from the United States to the colonial indebtedness, regarding which no decisive resolutions have been taken by the ministers.

A Record Breaker.

Bangor, Me., Dec. 5.—This year will be a record breaker for the number of deer, moose and caribou shipped over the Bangor and Aroostook railroad. The deer record for October and November is 2695, or only 245 less than for the entire three months of October, November and December last year. The number of moose shipped is 148, breaking last year's record. While caribou are comparatively scarce in Maine, 41 were shipped in October and November, three less than in the same months last year. Five bears is the two months' record.

Scoundrel Sentenced to Death.

Glasgow, Ky., Dec. 5.—The jury, after being out 20 minutes, returned a verdict against Bob Brown of wilful murder, and fixed his punishment at death. Two months ago Brown killed his father-in-law, shot his mother-in-law, shot his niece, and two brothers-in-law, and in resisting arrest, wounded several members of a sheriff's posse. The motive for the deed was that Brown had been criminally intimate with his 13-year-old sister-in-law, and feared that she had told her parents.

Looking Toward Cuba.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Gradually the war department is shaping affairs preliminary to the complete military occupation of Cuba on the evacuation of the island by the Spaniards. Transports are being rent to Savannah as fast as the department is able to get them there. Preparations for dispatching troops to Havana are under discussion, but just how soon the shipment will begin the officials do not say.

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Belief That the Peace Commissioners Are Near a Settlement.

Paris, Dec. 5.—The United States and Spanish peace commissions held private sessions yesterday. Afterward representatives of both bodies predicted confidently that the treaty would be signed within a week unless unforeseen complications arose.

The American commissioners assert that there is no foundation for the reports, circulated in the United States and cabled back here, that President McKinley has forwarded to the American commissioners fresh instructions to insist unyieldingly upon a coaling base in the Carolines and that the Spaniards are endeavoring to renew their opposition to a cession of the Philippines. Both commissions recognize that the latter question is settled.

There is no doubt that the Spaniards will today report the arrival of their government's instructions, the absence of which caused an adjournment. Among onlookers there is scepticism concerning these instructions. It is believed that they constitute a diplomatic scapegoat, put forward by the Spaniards to cover the delay necessary to them.

The question of a coaling station for the United States in the Caroline Islands is not likely to prove a serious stumbling block. The Americans have not made it one of the demands, whose granting is essential to the conclusion of the treaty. Some of them are not enthusiastic in its favor, and none of them think Germany's negotiations for the Carolines are likely to lead to complications between Germany and the United States.

In French official circles it is asserted that, under the pope's award of 1885, Germany already possesses certain rights in the Carolines which would prevent Spain from selling us one of those islands. But this is a matter which has already been investigated by the Americans, who find that Germany's rights refer to certain fishing privilege rights of German citizens and their right to a coaling station to be agreed on mutually between Spain and Germany.

All this was set out in our foreign relations' book of 1886, and there is nothing to prevent Spain from selling us any island she chooses. She undoubtedly desires to sell the group, and might be willing to transfer them to the United States, if her price is paid.

Ten Years For Southall.

St. Paul, Dec. 5.—James H. Southall, whose dealings in fraudulent government time checks were said to have caused losses to firms and individuals all over the country to an amount aggregating $750,000, was sentenced to state prison for 10 years at hard labor. The specific charge against Southall was grand larceny, and his conviction was on one of a half dozen or more indictments.

Used Revolver on a Woman.

Boston, Dec. 5.—Michael Gorman, 27 years old, single, is under arrest charged with assault and battery upon Mrs. Susan E. Campbell. According to the story of the police, Gorman, becoming enraged over a note from some other person, which Mrs. Campbell read to him, drew a revolver and shot her under the right shoulder blade. The woman s not in a critical condition.

Bound For Manila

Gibraltar, Dec. 5.—The United States gunboat Helena, Commander W. T. Swinburne, which left Bermuda on Nov. 10 for Madeira, has arrived here and is coaling. The Helena is on the way to join the United States squadron under Admiral Dewey at Manila.

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City Council Business.

At tonight's meeting of the City Council the Committee on Public Buildings will report on the petition for a bicycle track on the Atlantic playground, and on the order for the bronze memorial tablet to John Hancock. The Committee on Streets will report on the orders for two bridges over Furnace brook, on the petition for a concrete sidewalk on Beach and Beale streets, and on orders for the acceptance of Goddard, Federal and Glover avenue, Blake street, the extension of Walker street and on the petition for repairs on Walker street. There will also be reports from the Finance and joint committees.

Crowds at Nantasket.

Thousands of people visited Nantasket on Sunday. Quincy and Wollaston were well represented. The Hingham street railway was fairly swamped and could not begin to handle the crowds. Open cars were run in bunches of six and eight. People were well paid for going down. The sight beggars description and for once the newspapers cannot do a calamity justice so far as descriptive writing goes. Nantasket beach is literally wiped off the face of the earth. The buildings and the white sand are gone.

The Keniley Case.

To the Editors of the Ledger:

In the editorial column of your issue of Saturday you called attention to the criminal libel case of J. C. Landers against Gustave B. Bates. In the first place there is no such case pending in court. Mr. J. J. Keniley has made a complaint against Mr. Bates, and on November 23 and November 30th at the request of Mr. Keniley's attorney, Mr. McAnarney, who had other Court engagements, the case was continued.

Mr. Landers has nothing to do with the case; and your statement that "the fact seems to be that most of the continuances asked in court have not been by Mr. Landers but by Mr. Jenness, who is counsel for Mr. Bates" is absolutely false. If the article was written by your court reporter and he was attending to his business he must have known it was not true. The case was continued Saturday at my request.

In large type you announced that the defence was not ready. If you had tried to ascertain the facts you would also have learned that the prosecution was not ready. Mr. McAnarney informed me that if I had not asked for a continuance he would have done so. We both had court engagements in Boston Saturday and went in on an early train. I never have, and trust I never shall, mix politics with my business.

Very truly,
W. W. Jenness.

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Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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Monday Eve., Dec. 5th.

Quincy, Dec. 1. 4t

LETTER FROM CO. K.

Our City Election Interests the Boys.—Foot Ball Game.

With Co. K, 5th Mass.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 2.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Another fine day in camp.

The work on our mess house is being pushed forward with great rapidity under the charge of Sergt. H. F. Barrett with eight of our men to help.

Yesterday was the first time for a long time that all the duty sergeants were on duty at the same time. Sergt. McGrath was sergeant of the regimental guard, Sergt. Phillips on guard at Division Headquarters, Sergt. Barrett in charge of building Co. K's mess house and Sergt. Mohan is no longer on duty with Co. K he is the 1st Battalion Sergeant Major.

Major Morrison is in command of the regiment while Col. Whitney is acting Brigadier General over the brigade in the absence of Brig. Gen. Lincoln who is home on leave of absence owing to the death of his daughter.

Lieut. Charles F. Spear of Co. K is acting adjutant of the first battalion in the absence of Lieut Coleman.

Tomorrow the foot ball eleven of the 5th Massachusetts play the 4th Missouri, or as they are known here the cowpunchers, at Greenville; this promises to be a fast game as the Missouri boys are sure of winning while the Massachusetts boys are confident that out of over a thousand men and all young men they can pick an eleven to win against the brigade. Corp. Gannon and Private Pirovano are to play. Corp. Gannon will be in the same position which he played in the Thayer Academy elevens of '96-'97, that of right half-back. Will send full report of the game.

Private Morrissey is getting to be quite a carpenter.

With Sergt. Barrett, Privates Morrissey, Gould and Newcomb at work, the mess house is commencing to take form and we predict that the other companies will have to hustle to beat K out, as they do in most every thing else. Privates R. F. Buckley and Colberg are on 24-hour passes today.

At the present time it looks as if Co K. with the 5th Massachusetts would spend Christmas in Camp Wetherill.

Some pretty good arguments are heard nowadays in Co. K in regard to the coming election in Quincy. Some favor the present mayor and some the Democratic candidate, while some of the knowing ones quietly say that Mayor Sears has a better chance to be reelected this year than he had to be elected last year.

Our supper last night consisted of beef stew, bread and coffee, and the way the boys came up the second time gave evidence the Co. K cooks know how to make the best beef stew in the regiment. This morning we had bacon, potatoes, hard tack and coffee, and for dinner today, boiled beef, sweet potatoes, onions, bread and coffee. If the readers of the Ledger could just stand and watch the boys as they file up to the cook house for their meals they would say with me that a healthier set they never saw.

We read a letter today from Corp. Hermanson who is in the St. Joseph hospital, Baltimore, Md., in which he said he was getting along nicely and expected to be out in two weeks.

Private.

Wollaston Cars.

The Wollaston loop of the Quincy & Boston will probably be opened to travel tomorrow. Mr. J. A. Bryne, the contractor, states that he will rush the work on the Newport avenue excavation if the weather is good, so that cars can be run through to Brook street. Supt. Weeks informs the Ledger that as soon as the Newport avenue tracks are passable he will run his cars to Brook street, Wollaston, where the passengers will transfer around the excavation at that point a distance of about 75 feet to another car.

☞ Bulletin 56 on concentrated feed stuffs is just being issued by the Hatch Experiment Station. It contains the analyses of all concentrated feed stuffs sold in Massachusetts. It tells all about adulterated cotton seed meal, and cautions every farmer to buy only the guaranteed article. Heilman's mixed seed, as well as a few other similar unmarked feeds, were found to be very badly adulterated with ground grain hulls. Purchasers are advised to buy only marked and branded feeds. Those unmarked are liable to be inferior. The bulletin states the amount of protein a genuine feed stuff should contain, tells the cheapest grain feeds at present prices, shows the comparative commerical values of all concentrated cattle feeds, and gives eight distinct grain mixtures for dairy cows. Farmers who do not receive the feed bulletins, should apply to the Director, Hatch Experiment Station, Amherst, Mass. They are sent free of cost.

Those who wish to have pictures framed in a stylish and substantial manner will do well when they go to the city to call at Eben Smith & Co.'s, at 188 Lincoln street, near the Old Colony station.

License at Brockton.

Six months of license at Brockton brings out some startling facts which are summed up as follows by the temperance people:

1st.—It has enormously increased drunkenness and crime.

2d.—It has already increased poverty and suffering, and the worst is yet to come.

3d.—It has not decreased the taxes.

4th.—It has not helped general trade.

5th.—It has made it necessary to increase the police force.

6th.—It does vast injury which no money can measure.

In support of the first conclusion they present these figures of the first six months of license, from May 1 to Nov. 1.

	In 1897.	In 1898.	Increase Under License.
Total Arrests,	503	1437	185 per cent
Drunks in court,	223	1017	356 " "
Assaults in court,	31	70	125 " "
Disturbances in court,	21	51	142 " "
Juvenile cases in court,	14	78	457 " "

And more drunks went home than went to court, for the orders of the police are not to arrest a man who is trying to go home and has a fair chance of getting there.

These people did not all come from out of town, either, though a good many of them said they did in order to try and save their reputations.

From May 1 to Nov. 1 the Poor Department took on 100 new families, as compared with 54 in the same time in '97. This is quite a serious matter when you stop to think of it, an increase of nearly 100 per cent. And this was summer time. The winter will treble this—it always does. And the bad results of drunkenness, wasted wages, lost jobs and idleness will go on increasing with time—they always do. From May 1 to Nov. 1, 1898, the Poor Department gave out in store orders $1,700 more than in the same time in '97. This was for groceries, shoes and clothing only. The license people say this was caused by the lasters' strike and the Spanish war. But the officers of the Poor Department say that the solefasteners' strike in '97 caused a greater demand on them than the lasters' strike in '98. And as for the Spanish war, who believes that this had any more "to do with the case than the flowers that bloom in the spring?"

We have not found a merchant who has sold any more goods because of the out of town trade brought here by the saloons. The men who are buying drinks are not buying other things with that money. They can't do it, you know. Fewer or cheaper goods sold! more bills, more rents uncollected! That is the effect of license on business.

What It Costs Boston.

Drunkenness cost the city of Boston, in the way of supporting the drunkards sentenced to the Suffolk county houses of correction the past year $115,802.79, according to a report just made to Mayor Quincy by Commissioner Marshall.

At Deer Island there were 8,447 committals for drunkenness, and the aggregate of the time served by the committed was 459,252 days, equivalent to 1,313 years. With a per capita cost of maintenance of $64.70, the cost of the maintenance of the above number was 75 per cent. of the total expense, or $111,212.71.

At the South Boston house of correction there were only 107 committals for the same offence, and the aggregate of the time served by those committed was 13,460 days, equivalent to 36 years. With a per capita cost of maintenance of $124.47, the cost of the maintenance of the above number was 7 per cent. of the total expense, or $4,590.08

It is estimated that about 3,000 persons are yearly committed to the Suffolk county jail for drunkenness, which would add at least 35 per cent. to the figures submitted by the commissioner.

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Dec. 5. 1m

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

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Election tomorrow.

Organ recital this evening.

Polls open from 6 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Christmas two weeks from next Sunday.

Vote early and thereby help the committees.

How the wind and rain did take off the snow.

Col. Thomas at the Universalist church tonight.

The Scandinavian Republican club hold another meeting this evening.

The gutters were ploughed out early this morning to carry off the water.

Republicans claim that Mayor Sears will be reelected with from 200 to 500 majority.

The fire alarm wires became crossed Sunday evening which was the cause of the continual striking.

The auction of the Reinhalter quarry was largely attended and was bid off to John Vogel for $8,000.

Invitations are out for the annual Business Men's banquet at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening.

Quincy Clothing Co. wish to state that they are showing over 2,000 ties in all the new Christmas styles.

The highest noon temperature in December last year was 62 on Dec. 11, and the lowest 21 on Dec. 24.

The Citizens No-License committee will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A.

A year ago today the noon temperature was 54 and the mercury rose above 50 on two other days in the week.

The first boat sleigh passed through Quincy last Saturday night, about 9 o'clock, named Gen. Washington.

The topmast of the Wollaston flag staff should be housed before it blows over and does serious damage.

Mr. Ralph J. Saxe of Wollaston who is travelling in the South, when last heard from was at Tyler, Texas.

The owner of the steamer John J. Hill, who lives at Detroit, Mich., has decided to attempt to haul her off this week.

A resident has wired off the sidewalk on South street head of Howard street, as the ground has settled into the brook.

And now Boston proposes to have a curfew law. It would seem as though it was about time for our Council to take the question up.

Some of the Quincy visitors were obliged to walk home from Hingham yesterday as the cars were so crowded they could not find room.

It was stated at a no-license meeting yesterday that two prominent druggists of this city had refused to place a no-license placard in their store windows.

Betting on the city election is light thus far. Keith money is being snapped up by the Sears men as fast as it is shown and there does not appear to be much about.

The high wind Sunday night crossed a number of the electric wires and in places on Hancock street where they passed through trees there was a constant stream of fire.

Owing to the large amount of political matter that is being sent through the mails, some of the letter carriers were put on Sunday and made a delivery in the morning.

The three master "Nantasket," ashore at Nut island, was hauled off by three tugs on Saturday afternoon and towed up to Boston, where she will be docked. She was but slightly damaged.

The regular edition of the Ledger, which will go to press early tomorrow afternoon, will have late news from all the polling places. Elections extras with the returns will be issued in the evening.

The attendance at the vaudeville entertainment in the Peoples' course on Saturday evening was the largest yet. Local hits were numerous and for a variety show it took well. This week Saturday there will be theatricals.

Several heavy teams got stuck on Hancock street between City Hall and Butler road Saturday evening in the places where the sewer trench had taken up the larger part of the street. With a day or two of good weather the trenches in these narrow places will be filled up.

Prof. Henry Houck of Pennsylvania, the assistant superintendent of schools of that state, will speak to the teachers of Quincy, and their friends, on Tuesday evening at the High school hall, on "The Educational Outlook." Mr. Houck was received with a great deal of enthusiasm at the State Teachers' Association, in Boston, a year ago, and a great treat is in store for any one in Quincy who is interested in education.

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New customers need no introduction, recommendation or security—nothing to embarass you in any way. We give credit cheerfully to all. Bring your family.

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About Puffs.

There are more kinds of puffs on earth than we ever imagine. First of all and worst of all is the newspaper puff, anybody can tell it at a glance. It doesn't sound honest. It sounds as if the man who wrote it didn't mean a word of it and used as many glowing terms to cover up his real opinion as possible. Then there's the puff that woman, woman fair (sometimes not so fair), uses to put powder on her face with, and any of the Co. K boys could tell you that they are more afraid to face that puff of powder than a shoot of powder in battle. Then there's the puff that many a man gives his own goods, particularly the cigar dealer who smokes. Then there's the ten thousand 50c. Puffs that a Boston Bluff is selling in Sunday's newspaper at 39c., and the two thousand just like them that we sell at 25c. made from the same silks with the same linings, in the same factories, by the same people. Some of the Quincy stores would call these good values at 50c. "How is it?" Well, we found we were getting rich too fast (and as we once before told you, we want to make our pile gradually) and so decided to cut down our profits and give it to you in the neck, and to show you what the Cheap Store (as everyone calls us) means by lowering her profits, we beg to state that we are showing over two thousand bright new Ties in all the shapes and styles at 25c. The best of them being the kind you pay 50c. for. The next grade at 19c. are the kind the Quincy stores ask you 23 and 25 cents for.

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At this store things are different; the fundamental principle of this business is to keep the interest of our patrons at heart, misrepresent nothing and sell the best goods the market produces at prices a little lower than those of the leading Boston stores. These methods alone account for the success of this business, and the confidence of the people have in our store system.

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The Republicans desire to forewarn the voters of the city against false and malicious campaign literature and rumors issued on the eve of election, and which, on account of time, admit of no reply.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Office of the City Clerk.

Quincy, Nov. 29, 1898.

I CERTIFY that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated and to be voted for in the City of Quincy, December 6, 1898.

EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

For Mayor.

Mark One.

Harrison A. Keith, Democratic. 18 River Street.

Russell A. Sears, Republican. Elm Street.

For Councilmen-at-large.

Mark Five.

William E. Badger, Republican. 54 Crescent Street.

Frank W. Blanchard, Republican. Brook Street.

Rupert F. Claflin, Democratic. 28 Greenleaf Street.

Alexander Clark, Republican. 8 Payne Street.

Henry G. Fay, Democratic. Willow Street.

Richard R. Freeman, Republican. Grand View Avenue.

William W. Jenness, Democratic. Temple Street.

James E. McDonald, Democratic. 52 Crescent Street.

Henry McGrath, Democratic. 27 Pleasant Street.

George A. Sidelinger, Republican. 3 South Street.

For School Committee-at-large.

For Three Years.

Mark One.

Nathaniel S. Hunting, Democratic. 214 Hancock Street.

John L. Miller, Republican. Franklin Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 1.

Mark Three.

Harold B. Faxon, Democratic. Chestnut Street.

John W. Nash, Republican. 66 Washington Street.

Elisha Packard, Republican. 18 Elm Street.

John Swithin, Democratic Republican. 93 Granite Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 2.

Mark Three.

Fred P. Hill, Democratic. 3 Edison Park.

Eugene N. Hultman, Republican. 105 Washington Street.

Aubrey R. Keith, Republican. 18 River Street.

William Kiernan, Democratic. South Walnut Street.

Arthur W. Newcomb, Republican. 25 Howard Street.

John S. Shaw, Democratic Quincy Avenue.

For School Committee—Ward 2.

Mark One.

Fred H. Smith, Democratic Republican. Washington Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 3.

Mark Three.

Robert E. Foy, Democratic. Bradford Street.

John L. Johnson, Republican. 22 Clark Avenue.

James E. Maxim, Democratic. 15 Quincy Avenue.

Daniel McLennan, Republican. 8 Federal Avenue.

Harry S. Nicoll, Republican. 85 Water Street.

Edward A. Young, Democratic. Payne Street.

For School Committee—Ward 3.

Mark One.

Mabel E. Adams, Democratic. 42 Franklin Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 4.

Mark Three.

Thomas F. Cain, Democratic. 53 Copeland Street.

John J. Dugan, Democratic. 80 Common Street.

John Evans, Republican. 24 Copeland Street

Mayo P. Fuller, Republican. 66 Crescent Street.

Thomas F. Hogan, Democratic. 116 Willard Street.

Michael Owens, Republican. 64 Willard Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 5.

Mark Three.

Charles M. Bryant, Republican. Fenno Street.

Edward E. Jameson, Republican. Farrington Street.

William A. Jordan, Democratic. 26 Taylor Street.

Fred P. Loud, Democratic. Beach Street.

Walter S. Pinkham, Republican. Warren Avenue.

David J. Roche, Democratic. 5 Carruth Street.

For Councilmen—Ward 6.

Mark Three.

Charles Alden, Republican. 20 Botolph Street.

John A. Duggan, Democratic. 37 Atlantic Street.

Walter P. Hill, Republican. Clive Street.

John E. Poland, Republican. Freeman Street.

To vote on the following, mark a Cross X in the square at the right of YES or NO.

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?" Yes | No |

Nov. 29—6t plw

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Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

National Granite Bank.

Quincy, Mass., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

$1.00 RIMLESS EYE GLASSES sold elsewhere for $1.50 to $2.00. Eyes tested free by skilled opticians; no guesswork. Open evenings at the old stand, J. EDWARD WILSON'S, 14 and 15 Tremont row, Boston.

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Boston, Dec. 2. 1y

ELECTION EXTRAS

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NO-LICENSE RALLY.

Mrs. Lake, Mayor Sears and Others Address Large Audience.

The wild storm Sunday night interferred somewhat with the grand no-license rally at Music hall, yet there was a much larger attendance than was expected, in fact a large audience. W. T. Isaac, E. D. Gourd, J. L. Melcher, F. W. Crane, Melville Hayward and James Moorhead were the ushers, and previous to the meeting there was a brief service of gospel singing led by Mr. W. F. Cummings. Theophilus King presided and the meeting opened with a prayer by Rev. H. C. Wright of Atlantic Methodist church.

Mr. King spoke briefly on the two words "Construction — Destruction," which all have daily to do with. The question for each of us to decide, is which line we will follow. His argument was in the line that a vote against license was for construction while a vote for license meant a vote for destruction.

Mayor Russell A. Sears said that the audience present was evidence we would have a cold water campaign. If there is any policy that will tend to uplift the people it was the sacred duty of the Mayor to so counsel his people. On the other hand it is his duty to oppose anything degrading that will tend to cloud the fair name of our city. The time is coming when our country is to become the most powerful nation on the earth. Foreign nations tell us we cannot stand when the test comes. We have got to prepare those who come after us to meet this. It is the boys of today we want to bring up in morality and temperance so that they can take up the burdens. In closing, he said he did not believe Quincy would ever go back to the regime of fifteen or twenty years ago. It was our duty on Tuesday to vote for that Mr. No who has the last place on the ballot but who usually runs ahead of the ticket.

Rev. W. W. Dornan spoke of the No-license question from a Christian standpoint and dared any man who was a Christian to go to the polls and put his name to "Yes" and may God help you and me to vote No, so as to lift it to a higher standing than ever before.

Before introducing Mrs. Barry Lake, a collection was taken for the cause.

Mrs. Lake spoke for an hour in a most interesting manner and held the closest attention of her hearers. She wondered who there was that wanted license in Quincy. We had heard from the business man, the chief executive and from the minister and they do not want it. She would like to meet a man who wanted to vote "Yes" and have a quiet matinee with him. The only ones who wanted it were the manufacturer and retail dealer. This question should be made a Christian, moral issue, and we would then be able to place men where they belong.

The liquor traffic was in direct opposition to the workings of God's law and will. The argument that the revenue derived from license is a benefit to the town or city is set aside by Carrell D. Wright, who says that every dollar revenue received by the United States from the liquor traffic costs the government $21. The city of Boston pays out $3 for every $1 it gets from the saloon. When we see the individuals wrecked by strong drink we see the handiwork of God destroyed, and the man who is responsible for it must some day stand before the great judge and answer for it. There is in this country one drunkard for every fifteen sober people. From the school of moderate drinkers we graduate 100,000 drunkards every year. They say that James J. Corbett licked John L. Sullivan but he did not. It was whiskey that did it. If but one man in Quincy was carried away by intemperance can we afford to stand the responsibility for the salvation of that one man. We are told to bear one another's burdens. What greater burden can a man bear than a weak nature? When we bear these men's weak natures we are performing God's will. Let us make this question a part of our religion, and do through the ballot, for it belongs to no class, creed or condition but a question of Christain citizenship.

Let us see to it that Quincy holds her own and say to the children that their fathers stood to help them to a more noble purpose in life and be noble citizens of this country. When you go to vote, vote with a sense of the high understanding that you are voting with God or with Satan, for homes and happiness or all that is opposite.

At the close of Mrs. Lake's address there was an outburst of applause that only subsided after she had again spoken a few words.

The meeting closed with singing a gospel song.

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To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
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SEARS VS KEITH.

Our City Now one of the Best—Those Who Want a Change.

To the Editor of Daily Ledger:

Another year has passed since we we were last called upon to elect our city government, and tomorrow we shall come up to the polls to pass judgment on their acts, either to commend and uphold them if they have been found faithful to their trust as viewed from individual standpoint, or if we consider that they have been found wanting, to take their office from them and give it to others.

But surely no citizen that voted for Mr. Sears one year ago, can but feel a just pride that he had a share in that election, if he will lay aside his personal ambition and consider that government is for the greatest good of the whole community, not for any one person or faction.

Then stripped of the personal view of some that did not get an office, and what do we find? One of the best city governments in the state, with a mayor who has been enterprising, honest and business like, giving to every citizen that approached him the utmost courtesy. And I believe we have got more solid good from the money expended the past year, than we ever have since Quincy became a city. Look at our long stretches of well made sidewalks on Washington, Hancock, Franklin and Crescent streets, and Newport avenue at Wollaston, and many shorter streets. Let us remember the advance movement of the Sewer Commissioners, after the inauguration of Mayor Sears.

Now if such results have been obtained the first year of his administration, is it not business to think that the second would be even more proficient? For what man in a new and responsible position but will at first make little mistakes, that can be averted with experience? If the foregoing is true, where is the opposition to his re-election?

Mr. Smith says he expected to be Chief Engineer, Mr. Johnson thought he was the best man for Chief of Police, Mr. Conceit thought he was the only man that should be Commissioner of Public Works. But gentlemen, just think. You are only individuals out of over four thousand voters; that you have little more right to claim any position than hundreds of others and that the number of places that the Mayor has to fill are limited (yet numerous enough for the taxpayers to sustain). And as the charter gives the Mayor a free hand in such matters, you must do the same. If he had appointed men to the principal offices that were inferior, then you would be justified in opposition. But I think the intelligent voters are scarce that will say that our Commissioner of Public Works, City Treasurer, City Auditor, City Solicitor, Sewer Commissioners or Water Commissioners appointed by our Mayor are not efficient and faithful officials.

Now, if we find that Mr. Sears has been faithful to his trust, and we are asked to vote for another man to displace him, is it not fair and our just right to look into his credentials? First we ask the candidate if he has experience. He answers, "None in this line, but I was a high school teacher twenty-two years, and I have been one of the Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library." Yet either position could be filled with very poor material to make mayors of. "O, but I have been elected to the School Committee." But, we must know that a majority rules there, so here is little at stake. But in the office of chief executive of our city, he must act for himself. He is more powerful than the combined strength of two-thirds of the City Council in the appropriation of money, and in almost any capacity. But my fellow voters, in my judgment the most important question to ask is, where does he stand on the temperance question. We know that Mr. Sears has taken a firm, square stand on that all important question, and we know that he will not only enforce the law, but will uphold it, and be an example to our young men. This is the one question that effects our homes, and what effects them for the bad, is a blow to our glorious old Commonwealth and the nation.

But the friends of Mr. Keith say, if we vote No, he can't change it. Admitted. But he can wink at much, and destroy the whole No vote. What business man, having a responsible position to fill, and a candidate presented himself, that had many of the requisites for the position, but had a very intimate friend who was known to be a pickpocket and stood for all that was evil in a community. Would that candidate get the position. No, never.

So now, the voters are confronted with a man nominated by the Democratic party, that may have all the characteristics needed for the office, but he has a bosom friend that we know will rob and will feed and fatten on the misery of our home, and that friend is the liquor traffic. He stands supported by the element that would fasten the saloon once more on our city.

How can a man vote No on this question, and then vote for a candidate for Mayor that is silent? So, we must judge him by his friends. If you want the liquor element to rule, if you want the worst element of office seekers to fill the offices, then vote for Mr. Keith. But if you want the strict enforcement of the No-license law, and good clean city government, the employment of Quincy labor on our public works, if you want a man of family and loving home life and a taxpayer, and one that is for a broad, liberal improvement of our city, then vote for Russell A. Sears.

Yours, John L. Miller.

A Curse to Scotland.

The Rev. David Kerr of the Calvary Baptist church when exhorting his hearers Sunday to vote to a man for No-license, said he rejoiced that he was called to work in a city like Quincy, which was for the prohibition of strong drink, and also had newspapers which helped the church in this and other good enterprises. Prohibition, he said, is and ever will be, so long as the people vote for No-license, the distinguishing glory of this city and nation. As a Scotchman, said the preacher, he was proud of his country and its glorious history. But its history was in a no small degree robbed of its glory and its people heavily taxed and ruined by the ever increasing sale in every city, town and village of "John Barley Corn." Edinburgh, he said, which was the capital of Bonnie Scotland, and the queen of cities for architectural beauty and unsurpassed universities of learning, where he worked for years as a city student missionary was by reason of unenforced drinking laws sadly responsible for the awful misery, death and eternal destruction of thousands of families annually.

Power of Public Opinion.

The services at Bethany church Sunday morning were enriched by special music, including three solos and a quartette selection. Rev. E. N. Hardy preached a temperance sermon from the text, A sceptre of righteousness is a sceptre of His Kingdom. He said at the outset that the church should be aggressive. He considered public opinion stronger than Presidents, Governors and Congress. The following five propositions were advanced and argued: 1. No principle is settled until it is settled right. 2. A principle which is true, if adhered to, will be settled right. 3. No real progress until public opinion backs the principle. 4. There is a naked goodness and a heart open to conviction. 5. There is a true aristocracy who hold the sceptre of power. The speaker also considered the creation, agitation and crystalization of public opinion, and urged all to use influence to make public opinion on election day.

Card from Mr. Keith.

To the Citizens of Quincy:

It has been the experience of Quincy and other places, that just before election all kinds of slanderous reports and accusations are launched upon the public, too late for contradiction. This has been so common that the stories circulated at that time are rightly designated as "campaign lies." If any such appear against the Democratic candidates, it may safely be said in advance that they are untrue or they would have been heard before. If any appear against the Republican candidates, I assert that they will not come from any friend of mine.

I congratulate both parties that the campaign up to this time has been quiet and decent.

Respectfully,

Harrison A. Keith.

Shaw Pleaded Guilty.

Robert F. Shaw of Weymouth Centre, a former postmaster, adheres to his former confession. Saturday forenoon, in the United States Circuit Court, before Judge Lowell, he pleaded guilty to the indictment found against him charging him with embezzlement of Government funds. Sentence will be imposed later.

In the early English plays a board with a name on it indicated the locality of the scene.

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Souvenir Night,

December 9th, 1898, to be held in MUSIC HALL, QUINCY. The opening night for the course of 5 Grand Socials and Ball to be given by the T. R. & S. A. A., will be noted as being a souvenir night. Every one being present on that evening will be presented with a souvenir stick pin made of the best Tubular Rivet and Stud that can be manufactured and will be fit for either Lady or Gent as an ornament. Don't forget the place or date, Music Hall, Quincy, Dec. 9, 1898.

Tickets for the Socials, Gent and Lady 50 cents. Extra Lady 25 cents. Season Tickets, Gent and Lady $3.00. Lady $1.25. Ball Tickets, Gent and Lady $1.00. Extra Lady 25 cents. The Season Tickets admits to the Socials and the Ball. Tickets for sale by the members of the Association and also at Durgin's Drug Store, Quincy.

Quincy, Dec. 2. 1-6t—p-1w

TODAY'S COURT.

Joe Mattson was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

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LOST—In Wollaston, a small Greyhound puppie, without collar. Return to H. E. FISKE, 17 Winthrop avenue. Wollaston, Dec. 5. tf

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HURRICANE'S RECORD.

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Ample Proof of the Integrity of Inhabitants of Cape Cod.

Orleans, Mass., Dec. 5.—With the sending to Boston of all the remaining bodies recovered from the Portland, the interest in the recent disaster to that steamer has lost some of its force, and Cape Cod is gradually getting back into a condition to meet another destructive blow. So accustomed have the inhabitants of that sandy arm of Massachusetts become to scenes of wrecks and loss of life by drowning that even the carrying down at one surge of those terrible billows of over 150 souls makes scarcely more than a week's sensation.

Still Cape Coders have lost too many dear ones by the angry storm on the sandy shores to lack sympathy for those to whom the blow came so suddenly, and every inspiring relative and friend has been given ungrudgingly every facility for reaching the isolated life-saving stations separated by long stretches of deep sandy roads.

Yet in no case has an extra dollar been charged or any attempt made to obtain undue profit from the sad and mournful visitors. Even in the second storm of Wednesday, when the whole cape was being swept by a gale, scarcely a jot less severe than that of Sunday, the first of the hunters for lost ones were cheerfully driven through the rain, sleet and driven sand for many, many miles without murmur or complaint.

Not a whisper against the good name of even the most grasping beach comber has been heard, and it is most gratifying and speaks well for the integrity of the inhabitants that every single article of value found on the bodies has or will reach the rightful claimant.

The week was a bitter and heartrending one, and there are still prospects that the recovery of more bodies after the next easterly gale may prolong the agony, but the sharpness of the loss is gradually becoming dulled, and after every particle of evidence has been discussed and carefully gone over as to the why and wherefore of Captain Blanchard's fated decision the whole matter is looked back upon as one of those inscrutable acts of a stern providence.

The 24 bodies from the steamer Portland which have been picked up from High Head life-saving station along the beach to Chatham are now lying either in the sacred precincts of a saddened and bereaved family or on the way there. The generous hand of the commonwealth of Massachusetts has reached out, as it has done many times before, and helped the poor and comforted the afflicted, and those who dear ones still are beneath the waves have at least part of the burden of sadness lifted, for they know that the long, tedious journey to Orleans or Provincetown is now unnecessary and that in future all those recovered will be sent direct to Boston.

It will be days, and probably weeks, before the record of the destruction from Sunday's hurricane is finally completed, and even then there will be some who have refused to give up hope of seeing some of their lost ones. The fact remains, however, and each day's events continually emphasize it, that the storm which rushed up from the Jersey coast a week ago Saturday night and hung over southeastern New England a greater part of Sunday and finally disappeared far down over the provinces was the most destructive atmospherical disturbance that ever passed along the American coast for loss of life, as well as from a financial standpoint.

As has been said, the record of that gigantic whirlwind has not yet been closed, but from what is known is it safe to say that it caused the death of at least 250 human beings, and destroyed property worth more than $1,000,000.

The exceedingly sharp watch for wreckage kept along the cape shore from Wood End to High Head is practically a means of saving about every fragment of the illfated Portland that may be borne in on the waves. Two very important additions to the list of articles washed ashore were a section of a liferaft and a gold headed cane. The owner of the latter may possibly be ascertained through the marking of the knob, "Nov. 27, Toronto, 1887." This was picked up between High Head and Highland light. The fragment of a liferaft was found between Peaked Hill and Race Point station. The barrel is 14 feet long, and the framework extends out two feet at each end. On the barrel is painted, "249 cubic feet, 24 persons."

The heavy surf of Saturday night and yesterday brought in the body of one more victim of the illfated Portland, that of Oren Hooper of Portland.

Agent Williams of the steamboat company made a tour of the beach yesterday from Race Point life-saving station to Highland light. Mr. Williams' object was to personally view and identify all the wreckage from the steamer, and obtain as much information from the mass of broken timbers and other damage as possible. He also looked over the documents which were supposed to be invoices of the Portland's cargo, but he quickly found the papers valueless, as they all bore a date of 1896.

The preachers in all the local churches in nearly every town along the cape spoke of the awful disaster in their sermons yesterday.

There still remains at Provincetown the body of one of the sailors taken from the rigging of the Lester W. Lewis, whose identity is as yet unknown.

Concerning Life Preservers.

Portland, Me., Dec. 5.—The attention of United States Inspectors Pollister and Merritt was called to the report that the life preservers which have come ashore from the wreck of the Portland were old and filled with grass. The inspectors denied that there was any appliance on the Portland not in accordance with the government requirements. In addition to the cork life preservers, the Portland had 115 of the LeDuc improved tule life preservers, which are packed with a reed which grows on the Pacific coast. Inspector Pollister said that he had himself tested the tule life preservers and found that they were as good, if not better, than the cork. In all respects, he said, the Portland was well equipped with the apparatus which the government requires and it was in good condition.

Pentagoet Probably Lost.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 5.—Captain Charles E. Dyer of the schooner Jordan L. Mott of Rockland, Me., says he sighted the steamer Pentagoet off Peaked Hill bars at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Pentagoet's course was due north, which would head her for Cape Elizabeth. She was loaded less than half her capacity, which brought her very high out of the water. Captain Dyer says that it was impossible for her to steam dead against the wind at the rate it was blowing Saturday night and Sunday, as she only steams 10 knots an hour. The opinion among the seafaring men here is that the Pentagoet, like the Portland, foundered, but farther off shore.

The Missing Walker.

Gloucester, Mass., Dec. 5.—Tidings are anxiously awaited of the schooner F. R. Walker of this port. Reports from Cape Cod indicate that the vessel foundered in that vicinity. The Walker sailed from this port, on a haddocking trip, some time over a month ago. She was at Portland, Me., about three weeks ago, where she sold some of her fish and refitted. The owners of the vessel expected her home about the time of the gale, and if she has foundered she probably was on her way here, and getting in too close, could not work off shore again. The F. R. Walker was commanded by Captain Frank Miller, and carried a crew of 14 men.

Found the Quinnebang.

Newport, News, Va., Dec. 5.—The British tramp steamer Trojan reports having found the barge Quinnebaugh, said to have been lost in Sunday's storm, at anchor at sea, about 200 miles northeast of here. She was in perfect condition, not leaking and had ample provisions aboard, but there was no sign of the crew, the only living thing on the vessel being a cat, which was taken off. The Quinnebaugh's rudder was jammed hard to port, and though the Trojan worked at her 19 hours, she was unable to tow her in, the cable parting. The crew was taken off by a passing vessel.

Located In Mexico.

Chihuahua, Mex., Dec. 5.—Grant G. Gillett, the missing Kansas cattle plunger, whose sudden disappearance startled the financial world, arrived in Chihuahua on Nov. 23 and left on the morning of the 24th for Durango, where it is stated he deposited a large sum of money in the bank. He remained only a short time in Durango, where he bought a return ticket to Chihuahua. At Jiminez he was met by his attorney, C. R. Troxel, and the two remained together until they reached Chihuahua. They arrived here last Monday. Troxel left Thursday on the stage for the west. Gillett is still in the city. Gillett will be arrested immediately upon the arrival of the authorities from the states.

Of Course!

London, Dec. 5.—James Bryce, member of parliament, and author of "The American Commonwealth," in reply to a question whether, in his opinion, the United States constitution permitted the holding of colonies, said: "I should think that, notwithstanding the language used by the United States supreme court in a famous case more than 40 years ago, the means may be found whereby the United States can hold the recently acquired territories without violation of the constitution and without conferring upon them the privileges of states or territories for which they are obviously unfit."

Under the Stars and Stripes.

Havana, Dec. 5.—The American forces having previously taken charge of Sancti Spiritus and Trinidad, in the Santa Clara province, the Stars and Stripes were officially, and with impressive ceremonies, hoisted over the city hall and the military, government and other public buildings in those cities. When the flags were unfurled, the bands played the "Star Spangled Banner," and the soldiers and large crowds of citizens cheered enthusiactically.

Mass Meeting of Strikers.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 5.—There was a mass meeting of the strikers here last evening. The speakers included John H. Murray, local agent; John F. Tobin, president of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union of America; Horace M. Eaton, secretary of the same organization, and William Thorne, president of the Glass Workers and Laborers of Great Britain and Ireland. There was intense enthusiasm, and there is no prospect of the strikers giving up the fight.

Steam Pipe Burst.

New York, Dec. 5.—A steam feed pipe in the boiler room of the Mallory line steamship Alamo exploded as the steamer was about to leave her pier in East river Saturday night. Patrick Murphy, an engineer, was scalded to death, and five firemen were killed. The Alamo was bound for Galveston. She was formerly a government transport. She was just out of Roche's shipyard, where she was renovated.

A Fabrication.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Henry Rochefort, editor of The Intransigeant, having declared in that paper that General Horace Porter, United States ambassador to France, recently said England had financed the Dreyfus syndicate with a view of dividing and weakening France, General Porter, on being shown the paper, replied that Mr. Rochefort's statement was a fabrication, pure and simple.

Night Bombardments.

Madrid, Dec. 5.—An official dispatch from the Visayas Islands announces that the insurgents are redoubling their attacks upon Iloilo. The government's advices say: "The rebels now have their guns trained on the city and fire on the defenses nightly. Our troops maintain a spirited defense, and have killed large numbers of the enemy."

A Youthful Suicide.

Providence, Dec. 5.—Warren H. Chace, a boy 17 years of age, committed suicide yesterday by taking strychnine. His act was discovered, but in spite of all efforts made to counteract the effects of the poison, the boy died. The loss of his position led him to commit the deed.

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He says further, the point to direct attenion is not the nerves, nor heart, nor lungs, nor kidneys, but the stomach, the first cause of all the mischief.

The remedy to use for indigestion and weak stomachs is not some cathartic, but a remedy which will digest the food, increase the flow of gastric juice, absorb the gases, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will accomplish exactly this result in any case of stomach trouble, because these tablets are composed of the digestive acids, aseptic pepsin, Golden Seal and bismuth, pleasant to taste, and not being a patent medicine, can be used by anyone with perfect safety. I believe Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any form of indigestion and stomach trouble except cancer of stomach.

Full size packages of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents or by mail from F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. A book on stomach diseases together with thousands of testimonial will be sent by addressing above or call on your druggist for them. 5-7-9.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Arthur Stirling, the well-known actor, died at London.

The Bloomsburg (Pa.) novelty works were burned. Loss $60,000.

Boston was chosen as the place of meeting of the Alpha Chi Omega society for its next annual meeting.

Seven persons were burned to death in a fire which broke out in the small hamlet of Xenthal, Germany.

The big nail mill of the F. A. Godcharls company, at Milton, Pa., was almost entirely destroyed by fire. Loss $100,000.

The Italian steamer Montevideo of Genoa, 2098 tons, has been totally wrecked on Lobos island, on the coast of Peru.

The death is announced of Sidi-Mohamed Taleb Bey, brother and heir presumptive of Sidi-Ali, Bey of Tunis. He was in his 78th year.

Thirteen men were seriously burned by an explosion of gas in the Buttonwood shaft of the Parrish Coal company at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

On account of a fog, a second section of a freight was run into by the third section at Walkerton, Md., and seven trainmen were hurt.

Advices to the committee having in charge the arrangements for the Atlanta peace jubilee indicate that the celebration will be highly successful.

Complete official returns from all the counties in Colorado show that the majority of Charles S. Thomas, (fusion) for governor, over Henry Wolcott (Rep.), was 43,384.

A dispatch from Stuttgart announces the death there of Princess Augusta of Saxe Weimar, daughter of the Fifth Duke of Richmond and Gordon, and sister of the present duke.

The government of Nicaragua, as a result of the collapse of the United States of Central America, has published a decree declaring Nicaragua to be an independent sovereign state.

David Stuart Erskine, Thirteenth Earl of Buchan, died in his 84th year. He is succeeded in the title and estates by Shipley Gordon Stuart Erskine, Lord Cardross, now in his 49th year.

Schooner Luther Garretson arrived at Norfolk waterlogged, deckload of lumber and both anchors gone, with the chain. She anchored 20 miles east of Hatteras through the storm of last week and held all right.

A fire, which occurred in the government dockyard at Ferrol, Spain, gutted several buildings, and a number of bombshells exploded. The loss is estimated at 4,000,000 pesetas. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Manuel Sanclements, the recently elected president of the republic of Colombia, has relinquished his office for a period of 60 days. It is thought most likely that he will not again undertake the cares of government, owing to his extreme age.

Queen Victoria visited Netley hospital and presented medals to the invalid soldiers who took part in the recent Soudan campaign. General Kitchener accompanied her and introduced the wounded soldiers to her.

The condition of Tom Lansing, the pugilist, who was stricken with paralysis several days ago, as a result of a blow from the glove of Jack Root, in a fight at Chicago, is serious. It is feared softening of the brain has begun.

Thurlow Weed Barnes has brought suit against the American-China Development company for $1,000,000 for services in obtaining railroad concessions from the imperial Chinese government, through the Chinese minister at Washington.

The work of cleaning the streets of Havana under American auspices has begun. Over 100 men are engaged in sweeping the main thoroughfares. The refuse is taken to Paula wharf, where it is towed out to sea in scows and dumped 10 miles away from land.

The postmaster general has directed the division of the United States into seven districts, with one agent or more in each of them, for the better arrangement of the rural free delivery system. The eastern division comprises the New England states, New York and Pennsylvania.

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy.)

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 1
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs. h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
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10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
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MEMORABLE EPITOME.

"Peace Treaty Can Contain Anything Which Victors Put Into It."

How Judge Day Summed Up Attitude of Americans.

Peace Commission Making Good Progress, Without Noteworthy Friction.

Paris, Dec. 6.—The American peace commissioners held a long conference yesterday and had only a brief recess for lunch before going to the foreign office to meet the Spanish commissioners at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The Americans apparently had changed the form, if not the substance, of some of their demands, as a result of their deliberations during the past three days.

Secretary Moore of the United States commission was engaged far into the night in revising the draft of the treaty of peace.

The joint commission was in session for over four hours. Much of the discussion concerned details as to the guaranteeing of the rights of Spanish citizens in the ceded colonies. The debate was occasionally energetic, and the Spaniards, on emerging, appeared to be dejected.

Secretary Ojeda, of the Spanish commission, when questioned after the meeting as to the progress made, answered excitedly: "I am almost mad. I cannot talk. We are making progress." The American commissioners declined to say anything further than that the progress made was satisfactory.

The Spanish commissioners have received authority to bind their government on certain matters; but there are yet important questions on which their instructions are unsatisfactory, and it is likely that many of the details involved in the change of sovereignty in the Spanish possessions will be left for settlement by the regular diplomatic processes when relations between the two governments are resumed.

The history of the document which will certify the passing of the oldest colonial power in the world, and the advent of the newest was epitomized by Judge Day last evening in a single sentence:

"A peace treaty can contain anything which the victors put into it."

The Americans had listened for hours with their customary patience to the technicalities convoked by the Spaniards with their customary shrewdness and persistency against every proposal making for the dismemberment of their empire. Darkness had come on, and the liveried attendants mobilized by the French authorities had placed a tiny lamp at the elbow of each commissioner. Senator Frye, whose unconcealed contempt for diplomatic quibblings excites the astonishment of the punctilious Castilians, had stalked home, his patience exhausted. The burden of the Spanish arguments was that matters outside the bare cession and evacuation of the conquered territories, which the Americans proposed to cover by the treaty, were beyond the legitimate and customary scope of a peace treaty. Behind this bulwark Senor Rios fortified himself, bombarding his opponents with a supply of arguments and precedents which inspired the freely expressed admiration of the Americans. Finally Judge Day summarized the American position in the foregoing memorable utterance. It was given and taken in good spirit, and from that moment the proceedings were entirely friendly.

The session accomplished much. Eight open questions were canvassed, seven being practically settled without noteworthy friction.

The commissioners decline to say what conclusion was reached, but the bargain for a coaling station in the Carolines was not cemented, and, according to present prospects, it is likely to fail. The temper of the Americans in this matter is: "We made you a good offer for an island, you may take it or leave it." The Spaniards seem disposed to leave it.

The Americans do not regard it as a prize which they can demand as one of the natural fruits of the war, while the whole policy of the Spaniards is to confine the negotiations as narrowly as possible to the letter of the protocol signed in Washington, and to exclude all extraneous matters. The result of this policy may be the leaving of many details involved in the change of sovereignty over the various possessions to settlement by the diplomatic processes when normal relations between the two governments have been resumed.

The Spanish cimmissioners insisted at the previous meeting that the settlement of the status of Spaniards, who remain in the colonies was a problem so closely akin to cession that it could not be logically separated from the latter, but should be considered next to the question of cession, and before such matters as coaling stations and religious toleration. They appealed to the Americans, having gained all the great points, to be generous on the minor ones. Accordingly the American commissioners were conciliatory yesterday on the order of procedure as to the status of Spaniards remaining in the lost colonies.

The Spanish commissioners continue fighting, tooth and nail, to procure every possible pecuniary and other concession. The Americans had already promised to guarantee the return of Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos. Yesterday Senor Rios proposed that the United States should pay the expenses of shipping them to Spain, arguing, with his customary ingenuity, that this was a duty of the Americans as a matter of course. The American commissioners thought the request unreasonable and a good deal of time was consumed in discusssing the question.

Another problem, entailing long debate, was the disposition to be made of the Spanish munitions of war in a number of military posts outside Manila, which the American army have not captured. The Spanish commissioners contended that Spain should be permitted to ship such munitions home. The Americans replied that, as the United States had conquered the Philippines, these munitions were the spoils of war. The Spaniards finally waived their quibble.

They appear resigned to the inevitable, and now seem to realize that their best policy is to save as much of the wreck as their keenness in raising technicalities can secure for them.

The question of the status of the Spaniards in the West Indies and the Philippines who wish to remain there was nearly settled, as well as certain commercial questions, involving the rights of shipping under the Spanish flag, which will be given advantages.

Henry Succeeds Brooke.

San Juan, Dec. 6.—General Henry and his staff arrived here last evening from Ponce. General Henry went immediately to the palace, where he had a long conversation with General Brooke, who introduced the members of the insular cabinet. These officials tendered their resignations, but General Henry asked them to continue at their posts. In the afternoon General and Mrs. Brooke and General and Mrs. Sheridan, with the members of General Brooke's staff, went on board the Berlin. A large crowd assembled to witness the embarkation. The forts saluted as the transport passed out of the harbor. Very general regret is expressed at General Brooke's departure. He did excellent work here. General Henry's coming is popular.

Looks Well In Print.

Washington, Dec. 6.—The secretary of state has received a copy of a decree recently issued by the Empress of China, having for its object the better protection of foreign residents in that country. The decree says in part: "From the opening of ports to foreign trade to the present time, foreigners and Chinese have been as one family with undivided interests, and since missionaries from foreign countries are living in the interior, we have decreed many times that the local officers must protect them, and that the gentry and people of all provinces must sympathize with our desire for mutual benevolence; that they must treat them truthfully and honestly, without dislike or suspicion, with the hope of lasting peaceful relations."

Good Enough For Them.

Muskogee, O. T., Dec. 6.—In the United States court at Wagoner, Judge Springer passed sentence upon three persons convicted of complicity in the floating of over 97,000 of fraudulent warrants of the Creek nation. Ellis Childers, ex-treasurer of the nation, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary and fined $10,000, to be paid into the Creek treasury. Burrell Cox and James Eagan, two of Childers' accomplices, were sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

"Seething With Sedition."

London, Dec. 6.—The correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at Paris says: According to trustworthy news from Madrid Spain is seething with sedition, born of bankruptcy and ruin. One of the best informed men in the kingdom assures me that the chances of revolution are increasing by leaps and bounds. Carlism exists in three provinces only, but the disaffection toward the present government is co-extensive with the entire Spanish race.

Too and Fro.

Washington, Dec. 6.—The Scorpion has sailed from Port Royal to Tompkinsville and the Cassius from Barbados for St. Thomas, homeward bound from Brazil. The Hist has sailed from Caimanera for Gibara. The Culgoa, one of the vessels purchased as a supply ship by Admiral Dewey, was placed in commission at Manila. The Marietta has arrived at Port Barrios, the Peoria at San Juan, the Helena at Gibraltar and the Glacier at Caimanera.

A Victory, Says Flower.

New York, Dec. 6.—Perry Belmont was elected president of the Democratic club at the annual meeting of that organization last night. Roswell P. Flower presided, and in the course of a brief speech said: "We Democrats are not cast down by the recent election. In fact we consider the vote cast in this city was a great surprise to the Republicans. We look upon this vote as a victory for the Democratic party in this state."

Cubans Making Calls.

Washington, Dec. 6.—General Garcia, with his staff, called at the war department yesterday to pay his respects to Acting Secretary Meiklejohn. The Cubans had previously seen Secretary Gage, and conferred with him at length upon economic questions relating to the administration of affairs in Cuba. They professed themselves very well satisfied with the reception accorded them.

Five Men Killed.

Pinole, Cal., Dec. 6.—The nitro-glycerine house of the Hudson Powder company blew up yesterday, killing Superintendent Kennedy and four Chinese, the only workmen in the building. Four tons of nitro-glycerine exploded, demolishing the building. Kennedy was superintending the mixing when the explosion occurred.

After Chinese Territory.

London, Dec. 6.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: France has made demands at Nankin that are equivalent to the alienation of a valuable portion of the Yang-Tse valley. The viceroy of Nankin stoutly refuses to accede.

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Mother Found Her Daughter With Clothing on Fire.

Death Was Probably Caused by Inhaling Flames.

Suffering From Nervous Prostration May Have Led to Probable Accident.

Avon, Mass., Dec. 6.—Miss Katie Turner met a tragic death at her home yesterday; whether the result of an accident, caused by nervous prostration, or suicide, cannot be definitely stated.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner and lived on East Main street. About 5 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Turner was awakened by the smell of smoke coming from the direction of the cellar. Going to the foot of the cellar stairs, she was horrified upon finding there the body of her daughter, wrapped in flames. A broken kerosene lamp was lying at her side, indicating that this was the cause of the fire.

Mrs. Turner summoned her husband, who had prepared to take an electric car for his daily work in Brockton.

The flames were extinguished, and the body of the girl, who in all probability was dead when discovered, was removed upstairs. Every effort was made to resuscitate her, all to no avail.

A physician who was summoned expressed the belief that Miss Turner's death resulted a few moments after her clothing caught fire and was caused by her inhaling the flames.

The parents refused to make any statement regarding the affair.

It is known that for several weeks the unfortunate young woman had been suffering severely from the effects of nervous prostration, her mind having been at times in such a state as to make her subject to very strange actions.

As the body was nearly fully dressed it leads to the belief that Miss Turner may have been aroused by the fire alarm, her nerves become affected and that she fell downstairs, thereby meeting her sad fate.

She was 20 years old and one of the best known and most highly respected young women in town. Besides her parents she is survived by a brother, Charles I. Turner.

Keough's Bail Reduced.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 6.—The city of Holyoke has brought four suits against James C. Keough, ex-tax collector of that city, the papers being filed by City Solicitor Callahan of Holyoke. The suits aggregate $505,000, this amount covering what Keough failed to collect in taxes for the city. Keough will probably be released from the local jail on $40,000 bail, that figure having been allowed yesterday by Justice Dewey from the original figure of $115,000.

Another Portland Victim.

Chatham, Mass., Dec. 6.—The body of a passenger of the Portland was washed upon the shore near Old Harbor station yesterday. The body is that of a man 50 years of age, 5 feet 4 inches tall, quite bald, but what hair there is is black, dark side whiskers and moustache. The clothing is a dark blue suit, russet soes, stand-up collar, and a Masonic pin in the necktie.

Seventy Miles an Hour.

Bennington, Vt., Dec. 6.—A hurricane visited Bennington, increasing in velocity until the wind was blowing 70 miles an hour and sweeping everything movable before it. A number of buildings were blown down and the roof of Lyons Bros.' knitting mill was blown off. The new brick car house of the electric railroad at North Bennington was wrecked.

Eighty-Eight Years Old.

Dedham, Mass., Dec. 6.—The Society for the Apprehending of Horse Thieves held its 88th annual meeting last night for the choice of officers. The organization, early in the present century, fulfilled its mission, which is so aptly outlined by its title. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $992.36. David Neal was chosen president.

To Become a City.

Portland, Me., Dec. 6.—By a 3 to 1 majority, the citizens of the town of South Portland yesterday voted to accept the enabling act, under which the town will become a city.

Domestic Discord and Death.

Indianapolis, Dec. 6.—May Lindeman, the wife of Harry Lindeman, a young man of 19 years, was found dead yesterday with a bullet through her heart. Lindeman had rushed out of their room, shot in the knee. He was arrested, charged with the murder of his wife. He denied his guilt, and claimed that his wife shot him and then shot herself. The couple had not lived peaceably together, and it is thought the shooting was due to jealousy.

The Fayerweather Will.

Washington, Dec. 6.—In the matter of the petition of Emma S. Fayerweather for a writ of mandamus and a restraining order to be directed to the circuit court of the southern district of New York, the United States supreme court yesterday refused to make the order. The case involves the bequest of the late William G. Fayerweather to a number of educational institutions. Yesterday's opinion is in the interest of the colleges.

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Boys' Mittens, Wool	5, 10, 25 cts
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Men's Wool Socks,	15, 25, 50 cts.

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At this store things are different; the fundamental principle of this business is to keep the interest of our patrons at heart, misrepresent nothing and sell the best goods the market produces at prices a little lower than those of the leading Boston stores. These methods alone account for the success of this business, and the confidence of the people have in our store system.

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CARRIAGES.

Promptly at 4.30 P. M. on day of above sale, on the premises the following carriages will be sold: 1 Covered Buggy, 1 Covered Phaeton Buggy, 1 Open Buggy, 1 Beach Wagon, 1 Tip Cart and Harness.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	40	26	37	34
Monday	50	33	54	40
Tuesday	—	33	40	56
Wednesday	—	34	40	50
Thursday	—	43	43	39
Friday	—	39	50	52
Saturday	—	38	56	48

New Advertisements Today.

F. J. Pierson—Gents' furnishings.
Geo. W. Jones—Rubber goods.
Boston Branch Grocery.
Williams' jewelry store.
People's course.
Tax Collector's notice.
C. B. Underwood—Dentist.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Who gets that $100 bet.

George Briggs of Appleton street is in New York for a few days.

The gutters at Wollaston have all been plowed out and the cross walks cleared off.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Grace E. Bowles of Atlantic to Angus Polson of Neponset on Dec. 14.

Mrs. Thomas D. Sears and daughter, Alice, of Brewster, are visiting for a few day at Mrs. C. C. Mueller, River sreet.

The large elm tree in front of the Dr. French estate in City Square is split down the centre and is in a dangerous condition.

Ex-Mayor Charles Francis Adams, 2d, will be one of the ushers at the wedding of Robert Treat Paine at Washington next Wednesday.

The Daily Ledger will give you the election news promptly tonight. Ward returns will be printed as fast as received by special messengers.

All members of Bethany church and numerous friends unite in extending congratulations to their pastor; a little daughter entered his home Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Hamilton Thayer will give an exhibition of water colors at her home on Hancock street, Wollaston, on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Some fine apple trees have been cut up for fire wood since the big storm and some trees blown down have done a good deal of damage in falling on fences.

Mr. James A. Miller, father of Mr. V. L. Miller, the well known Wollaston grocer, died at his home on Fayette street, Wollaston, on Sunday, of heart trouble.

The Rev. Rush R. Shippen of Brockton lectured before a large audience at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Monday evening on "Wagner and the Bayreuth Festival."

E. W. Branch of Quincy was elected one of the officers on the executive committee at the annual meeting of the Sunday School Superintendents at Berkley temple, Monday.

Prof. Henry Houck's lecture on "The New Education," at the High school hall tonight is likely to be very well attended. No one, interested in education, can afford to miss it.

The Swedish mass meeting for No-license at the Baptist church was the largest of recent years. All the Swedish ministers took part, and Frank Edwards of Lowell made a telling speech.

The residents of Brook street, Wollaston, hope that work on the sewer will be stopped until spring and the street cleared off so that traffic can be resumed on it. This street, which is the most travelled one on the plains is almost wholly blocked to traffic. In case of fire upon it or any one of the adjacent streets the consequences would, necessarily be serious. But little work can be done on the sewer after the frost gets into the ground, so little, in fact, that it hardly pays to make the attempt.

The mints of the United Staes coined 1,914,000 silver dollars during the month of November. There were also coined 4,053000 one-cent pieces.

DOUBTFUL AT NOON.

Surprisingly Large Vote for Keith Being Polled.

Sears Men Confident of a Good Majority.

Some Quiet Work for License Which May Decrease Majority.

The Republicans who have been very buoyant and confident of victory since the nominations, wore more serious faces this morning when the real test came. Some in party were confident that Mr. Keith would poll a big vote and reduce the majority, and this added an element of doubt. But both sides went to work in earnest in all the voting places, and carriages are bringing the voters to the polls in large numbers. The total vote will be big, especially in Wards Five and Six. In Wollaston there is an effort to down Bryant for the Council.

MORE VOTERS THIS YEAR.

There are at the City election this year 139 more voters than last year a total of 4,196. The vote cast in 1897 was 3,427, and in 1896, 3,593.

	Voters 1898.	Voters 1897.	Vote cast in 1897.
Ward One,	777	747	643
Ward Two,	596	589	506
Ward Three, precinct one,	469	443	388
Ward Three, precinct two,	410	395	344
Ward Four, precinct one,	408	419	388
Ward Four, precinct two,	441	428	368
Ward Five,	613	582	431
Ward Six,	482	454	369
The City,	4,196	4,057	3,427

VOTES OF THE PAST.

The Mayoralty votes of 1896 and 1897 are given below and will be handy for reference when the return comes in tonight. It will be observed that Mayor Sears had just 300 majority last year in the city, and that he carried Ward One by 93; Ward Two by 64; Ward Three, precinct one, by 15; Ward Three, precinct two by 88; Ward Five by 135, and Ward Six by 132; and that he lost the Ward Four precincts by 225 and 2 respectively:

	1897. Sears,	1897. Hodges,	1896. Hammond	1896. Adams,
Ward One,	360	267	294	346
Ward Two,	283	219	264	251
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	197	182	162	236
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	212	124	204	155
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	71	296	192	187
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	179	181	237	162
Ward Five,	276	141	137	336
Ward Six,	248	116	153	215
The City,	1,826	1,526	1,643	1,888

WARD ONE.

Warden Packard rushed things in Ward One this morning so that the balloting began at 6.02, allowing ten minutes to vote before the departure of the first train to Boston. Over one ballot per minute was cast during the first hour.

The election officers in this ward are all experienced, but they have many more votes to count than other wards and in fact twice as many as some, but counting began early and the result is expected before six o'clock.

The officers are Messrs. Packard, Kittredge, Coyle, Furnald, Dunn and Goodridge. The Police Officers Newcomb and O'Brien.

At 7 o'clock the vote was 70, at 8 o'clock, 143; at 9 o'clock, 234; at 10 o'clock, 316; at 11 o'clock, 381; at 12 o'clock, 436; at 1 o'clock 501.

The total at 1 o'clock was 104 in excess of the vote at the same hour at the State election and will probably go over 600 before 4 o'clock. The number of names on the list is 777. Both parties seem well pleased with their success in getting out their voters.

The election officers were pleased with the lunch served at noon.

WARD TWO.

The indications are that the Quincy Point ward will not cast as large a vote today as a year ago for at 11 o'clock today but 277 votes had been cast. This is 23 less than a year ago at the same hour. Mr. Keith, the Democratic candidate, entered the polling place at 11 o'clock and after passing the time of day with those about took his ballot and entered a booth. It did not take him long to mark his ballot and he left the building almost immediately after voting.

Counting of the ballots was commenced early this morning, and while the result of the count was not given out it was in the air that out of the first 250 votes counted Mayor Sears led by 15 votes.

Mr. Hultman the warden in this ward believes in getting through early and the counting will go merrily on, so that the result of the head of the ticket will be known early.

The election officers on duty are: Eugene C. Hultman, Timothy J. Carey, W. H. Sampson, Jr., Daniel J. Ford, Maurice R. Newcomb, George Weston.

Police— Officers Dyer and Denward.

WARD THREE.

The South Quincy wards are probably the hardest to figure, for there are so many elements at work all figuring is merely guess work.

In Precinct one at 10 o'clock 169 votes had been cast. This is the Democratic precinct and it was rumored that in the count of 150 Mr. Keith was a little ahead.

In Precinct two 100 votes had been counted at the same hour and it was said here the voting was running about even, with Mr. Sears in the lead if anything.

The box in Precinct one is jumping at times, and at 10 o'clock although the box registered 169 it was said there were not as many votes cast.

In Precinct two, in transporting the box, the handle became bent, and at the fiftieth vote it broke, and from that time out an old soap box was used for the ballots. A count is being kept, however, and at 10 o'clock 150 votes had been cast.

The election officers on duty are: Precinct one—Denis J. Ford, W. W. Parry, George D. Cahill, Abel Nutting, James H. Sullivan, W. F. McCalder.

Police Officers — DeForrest and Bradley.

Precinct two — Peter W. Dakers, John Boyle, Thomas Higgins, Murdock A. Campbell, Price Morris, Francis Morrison.

Police—Officers Cameron and Curtin.

In Ward Three, precinct one, at 1 o'clock the vote was 327, and rumor said Mayor Sears was leading. In precinct two at the same hour 265 votes had been cast and 200 had been counted. Those counted are reported to give Mayor Sears a majority of 15.

WARD FOUR.

It is the West Quincy wards, in which the claim has been made that Mr. Keith would receive anywhere from 250 to 300 majority. This claim was made two days ago. Today there is a different feeling as to how the Ward will go, for the tide is seemingly turning in favor of Mr. Sears. Even Mr. Keith's friends admit that Mr. Sears is gaining ground in this the Democratic stronghold, and that they cannot hope to get over a majority of 200 for Mr. Keith. Republicans say 186 will be about the figure.

Voting was quiet during the early morning hours, and it is believed that the vote of this ward will not be as heavy as usual, for there will be many stay at homes.

In Precinct one, 126 votes had been thrown at 9.15 and at that hour there was no one in the polling place outside of the election officers and party tellers.

In precinct two, the Republican precinct 167 votes had been cast at 9.30. There was more of a crowd in this precinct about the polls, but everything was quiet. The box here is not working right as now and then it jumps one or two numbers.

The election officers on duty are: Precinct one — Cornelius Crowley, John R. Gourd, Virgil Fuller, J. W. Burke, James Rooney, John Williams.

Police—Officers Gordon and Hinchon.

Precinct two—Nathan Ames, T. J. Dumphy, W. D. Burns, Matthew Lyons, W. H. Teasdale, H. W. Campbell.

Police—Officers Sandberg and Milford.

Counting was commenced about noon.

At 1 o'clock precinct one, the Democratic precinct, had cast but 252 votes which is 27 less than a year ago. Counting here had not been commenced.

It was said, however, that Mr. Keith was being cut.

In precinct two, 300 votes had been cast at 1 o'clock, an increase of 10 over a year ago. In this precinct the Swede vote is cutting Mayor Sears.

WARD FIVE.

The indications at Wollaston this morning were that a very heavy vote would be thrown, possibly exceeding that of the State election. Last year Sears received 276 and Hodges 141 votes, making Sears' plurality 135. There seems to be no reason why Mayor Sears' plurality should fall below that figure this year. Ex-Councilman Bryant has been putting in strong work for Candidate Keith. Mr. Bryant is one of the Republican nominees for the Council. It is claimed by the Keith leaders that they have cut Sears' plurality down to less than 100.

But the real fight at Wollaston is not over the candidate for Mayor but over the effort of a goodly number of Republican, who are dissatisfied with Mr. Bryant, to give him a shaking up. It hardly seems as though their efforts could possibly be successful in view of the large Republican majority which has got to be overcome.

Several of the anti-Bryant Republicans have openly signified their intention of supporting one of the Democratic nominees, Mr. William A. Jordan, whom it will be recollected, ran on the State ticket for Representative to the General Court. Mr. Jordan is a bright young man and a pusher.

The result of the Bryant fight, which to a certain extent is warmed over from the Republican caucus, is awaited with the keenest interest by the entire ward. Should he be defeated it will be more in the nature of a miracle than anything else. But he has a strong following and is putting up a good fight.

The whole campaign, although the most exciting one ever carried on in the ward, has been a still hunt. Every man who has a vote has been buttonholed by the leaders of both factions.

But then, Wollaston without some kind of a rumpus upon its hands would be a dreary place indeed.

WARD SIX.

The indications are that the Atlantic ward will again cast over 400 ballots.

At 7 A. M. 112 had voted; at 8 o'clock 187 and at 9 o'clock 226. A report was widely circulated early in the morning that Walter H. Ripley, one of the fire department was out against the administration, but it was doubted, and probably no votes were influenced.

The usual election officers on duty: Messrs. Hall, Drew Martin, Duggan, Weymouth and Nelson, and they expect to declare the result early.

The first vote was cast by Stephen M. Bennett.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE
Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

To be Launched.

The contract for floating the steam r John J. Hill has been awarded to the Boston Tow Boat Co. The steamer will be jacked up, placed on ways and then launched. She will have to be moved a distance of 2,000 feet before there will be enough depth of water to float her. To see this boat jacked up and launched will be a sight worth seeing. Thousands of people have already visited the beach to see her. Work will be begun on her very shortly.

Faxon a Missionary.

Mr. Henry H. Faxon visited the Scandinavian Republican club last evening, and it is said that he accomplished much for the reelection of Mayor Sears. He was graciously received, and was allowed by vote to address the meeting. He spoke as father to son, and invited questions from all, and some who were lukewarm towards the Mayor were convinced that to oppose him at the polls they would be voting against their own best interests.

The Wollaston postoffice should have a general delivery window, similar to those in other offices where mail to non-box holders can be delivered without inconveniencing the several hundred box holders as is now the case. The Wollaston office has over 600 boxes. It is a great inconvenience and waste of time for people who own boxes to be kept waiting at the delivery window while the clerks are sorting through handfuls of "general delivery mail" for some one who does not have a box. A "general delivery" window would obviate this growing nuisance and be a boom to the box holders.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for Dec. 5:
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A. L. BAKER,
Collector.
Quincy, Dec. 6, 1898. 5t

Dental Notice.
ON and after MONDAY, Dec. 12th my Dental Office will be at 198 Hancock St., corner of Saville, 6 doors north of City Hall. Electrics pass the office. Hours: 8.30 to 12 A. M., 1.30 to 7 P. M. Painless Extraction. Set of teeth, $10.00.
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How The Spanish Lose.

So many men were drafted for the Spanish army that very few were left to work in Spain's vineyards.

The markets of Europe are nearly bare of supplies of Dried Spanish Fruits, including Raisins of course. This tends to make higher prices on all kinds of dried fruits, but California competes successfully for this trade now. "What the Spanish lose" you gain — in clean, fresh, fat CALIFORNIA Raisins AT THE OLD PRICE!

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Quincy, Dec. 1.

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LAST Week Mary and everybody else were invited to call at the Quincy Second Hand Variety Store. They went, and Mary tells us that she was delighted with what she found. She bought an excellent stove for half its value, a chamber set for a remarkably low figure, and small ware in abundance for almost nothing. In fact, she was so well pleased, she sent her husband, who bought all the tools he could carry off for a few dollars.

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Nov. 21. 1m

THE CITY COUNCIL.

A Debate of the New Plumbing Ordinance.

Billings Road Appropriation Referred to 1899.

Increase for Police Causes Debate But is Passed.

Long debates lengthened Monday night's Council meeting out until after 10 o'clock. Councilman Cain and Prout were absent.

JURORS DRAWN.

Assisted by Councilman McGrath, Mayor Sears drew Arthur T. Brasee, Albert Keating and William W. Cushing as traverse jurors.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The Water Commissioners asked for $1,000 for maintenance for the balance of the year. To Committee on Finance and Water Supply.

The Commissioner of Public Works asked for an appropriation for removal of snow. To Finance Committee.

The Managers of Public Burial Places asked for $200 to carry them through the balance of the year. To Finance Committee.

The City Auditor reported he had bills for the support of Poor of 1897 but no money. To Committee on Finance.

The City Auditor reported that an appropriation was needed for removal of snow and for State and Military Aid. Laid on the table until later when an order for $2,000 was offered.

PETITIONS

The American Telegraph & Telephone Co. asked for a relocation of poles on Willard street. Laid on table until later when an order for the same was offered.

The New England Telephone Co. petitioned for a location for one pole on Hancock street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Nicoll presented a petition of James Moodie, Jr., for a refund of $4.62 taxes illegally paid. To Committee on Finance.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Commitee on Finance reported an order refunding Willard Walsh $41.96 taxes. Ordered to second reading.

The Committee on Finance reported reference to next Council on order for $2,500 for Billings road.

Councilman Sidelinger stated the reason of the report was because the Committee was opposed to passing such orders so late in the year when the work could not be done until the next year.

After some debate, in which Councilmen Jameson, Packard, Hill, McGrath and Merrick participated, the report was laid on the table.

The Committee on Finance reported a slight amendment to the order for $400 for a steam fire alarm whistle at Wollaston, in relation to the borrowing of the money, which was adopted. The order was later passed to be ordained.

The Committee on Finance reported no legislation necessary in the matter of letting the contract for paving Hancock street. Adopted.

The Committee on Finance reported an order transferring $170.24 for the payment of a coal bill of the Water department for 1897. Adopted.

The Committee on Streets recommended that orders for $500 for two bridges over Furnace brook, the acceptance of Goddard, Federal and Glover avenues extension of Walker street and acceptance of Blake street, be referred to the next Council. Adopted.

The committee on streets reported leave to withdraw on the petition for repairs on Farrington street. Adopted.

The joint Committees of Ordinances and Health reported favorably on the ordinance regulating plumbing which took its second reading.

Councilman Clark offered an amendment so that the soil pipe should be not less than 15 feet from any window and not less than 5 feet above all windows.

Councilman Badger and Poland also offered amendments to the order covering the same matter.

The Council spent considerable time discussing the amendment, after which both were killed, and the ordinance was accepted as reported.

The Committee on Ordinances reported an amendment to the order, fixing the salary of the Inspector of Plumbing at $1,000 per year, which provided that the Inspector shall furnish his own team and shall not engage in the plumbing business. The amendment was adopted and the order passed to be ordained.

The Committee on Ordinances reported as correctly engrossed the order refunding Charles Stetson $238.38 taxes. Passed to be ordained.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported leave to withdraw on the petition that the Atlantic playground be repaired and a bicycle track built.

Councilman Hill moved that the matter be referred to the next City Council. His motion was lost and the report of the committee was adopted.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported ought to pass on the order providing for a bronze tablet to be placed on Adams Academy to mark the site of the birthplace of John Hancock, the first signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Upon motion of Councilman Newcomb the order was passed under a suspension of the rules.

BILLINGS ROAD.

The adverse report of the Committee on Finance on the order appropriating $2,500 for Billings road was taken from the table.

The report was opposed by Councilmen Poland, Hill and Jameson, and favored by Councilmen Packard, Sidelinger, Freeman, Parker.

The question on the acceptance of the report was put and declared carried. It was doubted, but verification removed all doubt as the vote was overwhelmingly against.

FAREWELL PARTY.

Councilman Little offered an order that the President and Councilmen Willard and Merrick and such others as they may desire, be a committee on closing exercises of the Council of 1898. Voted.

MORE FOR POLICE.

Councilman Willard offered an order making an additional appropriation of $65 for special police for the benefit of Wollaston Park.

Some opposition was developed but upon roll call the order passed 15 to 2 as follows:

Yeas—Clark, Freeman, Hill, Hultman, Jameson, Keith, McGrath, Merrick, Nash, Newcomb, Nicol, Packard Parker, Sidelinger, and Willard—15.

Nays—Poland and Swithin.—2.

WANT LIGHT.

Councilman Hill offered an order that the Commissioner of Public Works require the Electric Light Company to restore lights at Atlantic, it being eights days now since the storm.

Councilman Newcomb had an amendment added to include other parts of the city not yet lighted, and the order was passed.

INCREASE OF SALARY.

Councilman Packard offered an order amending the ordinance concerning salaries, to increase the pay of the Overseer of the Poor from 400 to 600. Referred to Committee on Finance.

Adjourned at 10.10 for one week.

Squantum Causeway.

A Ward Six correspondent writes: The Squantum Causeway is not wholly washed away. It is true that the old fence which has been patched up from time to time the past twenty years was carried away, but the roadway although consideraby washed by the sea is perfectly passable for carriages. The most damage was done at the Squantum end, by a large section of a wharf, which drifted across the bay from South Boston and acting as a battering ram took down a large section of the fence, and finally drifted across the road. The tracks of the Quincy & Boston street railway do not seem to be disturbed, and considering the force of the wind and sea at this very exposed point, the causeway has stood the shock remarkably well and can be easily repaired again.

Organ Recital.

An audience of nearly 300 assembled in Bethany church Monday evening at the organ recital by Jennie Hocking Hunt, the organist of the church. She was assisted by Miss Ella M. Clarke contralo. Mrs. Hunt gave four numbers on the programme, opening with a sonata by Mendelsohn. Perhaps the most pleasing was Rink's "God save the King" with variations and finale. There was also an offertoire in C by Wely, and offertoire in D flat by Salonie, and concluded with the grand overture to William Tell by Rossini.

Miss Clarke is a favorite with the congregation at this church and her three contralto solos were very pleasing. Her numbers were: "Repentance" by Gounod, "Let Thine Hand Help Me," by Handel, "Ave Maria," by Luzzi, and "If I were a Voice" by Woodbury.

K. of H. Officers.

The following officers were elected by Merrymount lodge, No. 617, K. of H. for the coming year:

Dictator,—Charles W. Purdy.
V. Dictator,—Benjamin Carter.
A. Dictator,—Charles Hersey.
Reporter—Walter J. S. Thayer.
F. Reporter,—Joseph W. Stancombe.
Treasurer,—Charles Crane.
Chaplain,—James Moodie.
Guide,—Malcom Stewart.
Guardian,—Arthur H. Sylvester.
Sentinel,—Edwin Young.
Trustees, Quincy Tirrell, C. Nash, Welcome Blake.

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OUR POST OFFICES.

Interesting and Educational Lecture by Col. Thomas.

Col. Thomas' reputation as an interesting speaker was not diminished but much enhanced by his fine effort at the Universalist church last evening.

As he, himself said, the subject of post offices was not one on which it is easy to wax eloquent; nevertheless, what otherwise might have been dry details was often kindled into real eloquence by the speaker's earnestness and felicitous expressions. Many new and interesting facts about the postal service were given and so presented that they enlisted the undivided attention of all present.

Sketching the history of the inception and development of the post office department, he gave a resume of its various branches and methods of business, and pointed out some of the advantages of the latest improvement in the service, closing with a vivid word picture of the system as conducted in the Boston office.

The work of the post office in the war, and the faithful labors of those who followed the flag to Porto Rico and Manila, were set forth and a strong plea entered for more harmony in this department.

This course of lectures was designed to be educational and helpful to people generally, and certainly Col. Thomas contributed his share in this direction. To most every one present it was a new revelation of the vastness, importance and accuracy of a great and popular branch of the public service, and of the faithful and efficient work of many thousands of employes engaged in transmitting and receiving letters to and from all parts of the world.

Expressions of approval and delight were general at the close of the lecture and many lingered to thank the talented and able speaker for the pleasure they derived from his address.

Col. Thomas was introduced by Rev. E. C. Butler in his happiest manner. There are introductions of all grades of goodness, from the commonly good to the uncommonly best. Mr. Butler is usually best on such occasions, but in this instance he was uncommonly best. It was bright, witty, sparkling, sensible and most appropriate, and gave the right pitch to the lecture which followed.

Exceed the Voters.

The total number enrolled in our public school as per report of Supt. Lull for the four weeks ending Nov. 23, was 4411 and the daily attendance of 4217 is in excess of the total number of voters in the city. Even in winter months the daily attendance at the school is large, the per cent being 96. The number of tardinesses and dismissals is small considering the chances. The report:

	Whole Number at Date.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissals.	Truants.
High	397	376.2	94.2	23	27	0
Adams	403	385.0	95.9	14	21	0
Coddington	443	435.0	96.6	7	27	1
Gridley Bryant	339	318.9	95.5	11	25	0
John Hancock	431	413.5	96.9	9	29	0
Lincoln	409	394.6	98.1	8	17	0
Mass. Fields	274	257.2	95.	10	21	0
Quincy	370	350.5	95.2	10	27	0
Washington	281	269.4	94.9	11	26	0
Willard	746	715.8	96.8	10	46	0
Wollaston	318	301.7	95.7	5	46	1
	4411	4,217.8	96.1	118	312	2
COMPARISONS.						
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Souvenir Night,

December 9th, 1898, to be held in MUSIC HALL, QUINCY. The opening night for the course of 5 Grand Socials and Ball to be given by the T. R. & S. A. A., will be noted as being a souvenir night. Every one being present on that evening will be presented with a souvenir stick pin made of the best Tubular Rivet and Stud that can be manufactured and will be fit for either Lady or Gent as an ornament. Don't forget the place or date, Music Hall, Quincy, Dec. 9, 1898.

Tickets for the Socials, Gent and Lady 50 cents. Extra Lady 25 cents. Season Tickets, Gent and Lady $3.00. Lady $1.25. Ball Tickets, Gent and Lady $1.00. Extra Lady 25 cents. The Season Tickets admits to the Socials and the Ball. Tickets for sale by the members of the Association and also at Durgin's Drug Store, Quincy.

Quincy, Dec. 2. 1-6t—p-1w

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Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

There is a cafe in Venice which has never been closed night or day, for 150 years.

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As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get a *free* trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

BOUND TO TALK.

Mrs. Avery's Attempted Arguments Fell Upon Unwilling Ears.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 6.—A rally was held in city hall last evening under the auspices of the Democratic and Citizens' workingmen's parties, in the interest of W. J. Plunket for mayor. At the conclusion of the addresses, Martha M. Avery of Boston ascended the platform and attempted to make an address in the interest of the socialist-labor party. The speakers and those who had been on the platform were just retiring to the anteroom when Mrs. Avery began to talk. Mr. Murray of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union again came upon the stage and said that Mrs. Avery had broken up strikes in New Bedford and other places, and that the working people of Marlboro were law-abiding citizens. In the name of good order he asked all to leave the hall.

Mrs. Avery continued speaking, but was jeered and hissed by the crowd, which started to leave the hall, and she did not leave the platform until nearly all the lights had been extinguished. She then descended, but continued her talk through the entry, down stairs and into the street, where she was followed by a large crowd.

Mrs. Avery has been very persistent in her endeavors to speak to the shoe workers of Marlboro during the present labor troubles, and the leaders of labor organizations here have refused her requests in a very diplomatic manner.

The Bicycle Contest.

New York, Dec. 6.—Frank Waller of Boston is the only contestant who has broken a record up to the present time in the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden. He now holds the world's record for continuous riding. He left his wheel at 4:10 o'clock yesterday afternoon, having ridden 314 miles and 8 laps in 16 hours and 10 minutes without dismounting, beating last year's record of 272 miles made by Stephane. Waller took a short rest, losing two places in the contest, Pierce, followed by Miller, passing him. At the end of the 17th hour Pierce was about five miles behind Waller's record of last year. Falls are more frequent this year than last. Eight spills occurred yesterday.

Afraid of Fever.

New York, Dec. 6.—Transport Mississippi arrived yesterday from Santiago and San Juan with 23 passengers. The Mississippi, on her arrival at San Juan from Santiago, reported that yellow fever existed on board. Five men, said to be suffering with the fever, were landed at San Juan, and were sent to the quarantine hospital. Seven others, suffering with malarial fever and other complaints, were landed for treatment. Health Officer Doty decided to hold the steamer for a thorough disinfection and cleansing.

Will Be None Better.

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 6.—The United States navy department has awarded to the Watson Machine company of this city a contract to build and set up a full set of rope-making machinery. The government plant is to be located at the navy yard at Boston, and is to be one of the most complete in the world, and capable of making all sizes and kinds of rope.

Big Railway Deal.

St. Louis, Dec. 6.—The Republic says: Negotiations for a general consolidation of all the street railways in St. Louis are in progress in this city and New York. Brown Bros. of New York are to finance the deal, which involves millions of dollars.

Marchand at Fashoda.

Cairo, Dec. 6.—A dispatch from Fashoda announces the arrival of Major Marchand, who left Cairo for that point on Nov. 13, accompanied by Captain Baratier.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Spaniards admit the loss of Capiz in the Philippines.

The Columbia (S. C.) Daily Register has suspended publication. The Register was the oldest newspaper in the city.

Dr. E. De Josipevies, minister for Croatia, Esclavonia and Dalmatia, in the Hungarian council of ministers, has resigned.

Ex-Congressman R. B. F. Peirce, general manager of the Indiana, Decatur and Western railroad, died suddenly at his home at Indianapolis.

Simonson, Whiteson & Co. of Louisville, doing business under the name of the New Mammoth, assigned. Assets and liabilities each about $100,000.

The Spanish evacuation commissioners have notified the United States commissioners that the evacuation of the province of Puerto Principe is complete.

During the past week five bodies have been picked up on the beach between Florence and Wariner, Ore. They are supposed to be the bodies of the sailors of the wrecked Atlanta.

In a Graeco-Roman wrestling match at Cincinnati, Hali Adlal, the Turk, threw Tom Cannon in the first bout in 48 minutes and in the second in 18 minutes, winning the match straight.

Fire at Chicago badly damaged the Lincoln theatre. The Westminster hotel was also damaged. Total loss, $65,000. The audience had left the theatre but a few minutes before the fire broke out.

A strike of telegraph operators employed by the Grand Trunk railroad is threatened. The men have been negotiating with the company for some weeks, looking to more pay and shorter hours.

Detroit has never suffered such complete isolation from the outer world as during the past 24 hours, caused by the worst storm experienced there, so far as its effect upon electric wires is concerned, in 13 years.

Chairman Walker has called a meeting of the house committee on currency and banking for tomorrow, which is expected to ascertain the opinions of the committee on currency legislation. Mr. Walker is not sanguine of anything being done at the present session, as he considers the time too short for the consideration of so comprehensive a subject.

Prince Waldemar, eldest son of Prince Henry of Prussia, Emperor Williams' brother, was recently attacked by a serious throat trouble. Professor Von Bergmann, who was summoned to attend him, decided that an operation was necessary, and this has been successfully performed.

WEYMOUTH.

At the semi-annual business meeting of the Y. P. P. S. C. E. of the Union Congregational church, held Sunday evening, the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing six months: President, — Ernest M. Vaughan; Vice President, Chrissie M. Alhf; Corresponding Secretary, Edgar H. Bowles; Recording Secretary, Charles H. Willoby; Treaurer, Edgar H. Bowles.

Miss Irma Skilton has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Vermont.

Extensive preparations are being made for the dedication of the new Union church. The exercises will be held a week from today.

Thousands of people passed through Weymouth Sunday en route to Nantasket.

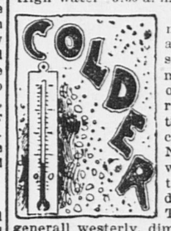
Dec. 5:—The funeral services of Mrs. George Q. Chickering who lost her life on the ill fated steamer Portland, were held at the First Baptist church Sunday at 3 P. M. Rev. F. B. Cressey officiated, and spoke at length upon Mrs. Chickering's life, and endeavored to console the family in their grief. The church was filled with sympathizing friends and mourning relatives. The interment will be at Turner, Maine.

At the rink Saturday evening the East Weymouths defeated the New Bedfords in a hard fought game of polo by a score of 1-0. Each team scored one point but the New Bedfords lost theirs by making three fouls. Lincoln of the Providence team played with the East Weymouth team and put up a great game.

William Clapp of Walnut avenue is confined to his bed by illness.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—12:21 a. m.
High water—5:30 a. m.; 5:35 p. m.



The weather last night was fair in all districts, the storm having moved to the mouth of the St. Lawrence. The indications point to fair, colder weather in New England, which will last through Wednesday and probably Thursday; winds generall westerly, diminishing in force.

The dew that is annually deposited on the surface of England is equal to five inches of rain.

BORN.

HARDY—In Quincy, Sunday, Dec. 4, Miriam, a daughter, to Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Noah Hardy of Saville avenue.

DIED.

DAWES—In San Francisco, Cal., Mr. Richard Cranch Dawes, aged 60 years.
BARRY—In Milton, Dec. 3, Mrs. Martha H. Barry, widow of M. Olcott Barry, and daughter of the late William and Rachel G. Worthington.

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Wollaston, Dec. 5. tf

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Quincy, Dec. 5 tf

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Quincy, Dec. 2. tf

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TO LET—Cottage house, No. 29 Granite street, 8 rooms, three minutes' from City Square. Apply to H. M. FAXON, 4 Adams Building. Sept. 30—tf

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There are more kinds of puffs on earth than we ever imagine. First of all and worst of all is the newspaper puff, anybody can tell it at a glance. It doesn't sound honest. It sounds as if the man who wrote it didn't mean a word of it and used as many glowing terms to cover up his real opinion as possible. Then there's the puff that woman, woman fair (sometimes not so fair), uses to put powder on her face with, and any of the Co. K boys could tell you that they are more afraid to face that puff of powder than a shoot of powder in battle. Then there's the puff that many a man gives his own goods, particularly the cigar dealer who smokes. Then there's the ten thousand 50c. Puffs that a Boston Bluff is selling in Sunday's newspaper at 39c., and the two thousand just like them that we sell at 25c. made from the same silks with the same linings, in the same factories, by the same people. Some of the Quincy stores would call these good values at 50c. "How is it?" Well, we found we were getting rich too fast (and as we once before told you, we want to make our pile gradually) and so decided to cut down our profits and give it to you in the neck, and to show you what the Cheap Store (as everyone calls us) means by lowering her profits, we beg to state that we are showing over two thousand bright new Ties in all the shapes and styles at 25c. The best of them being the kind you pay 50c. for. The next grade at 19c. are the kind the Quincy stores ask you 23 and 25 cents for.

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HOW IT IS VIEWED.

Senators and Representatives Give Opinions on the Message.

Trying to Poll the Senate on Philippines Question.

House Has Already Settled Down and Is Prepared For Business.

Washington, Dec. 6.—Following are some of the opinions expressed by members of congress upon the president's message:

Many senators excused themselves from expressing an opinion at length upon the message, on the ground that they had not been able to give careful attention to all the details. Republican senators were, however, willing to express themselves in a few general words of commendation.

Senator Cullom regarded it as "a painstaking, entertaining and accurate historical review."

Senator Platt commended expressions of a determination to increase the standing army and to maintain order in Cuba until the Cubans can take care of themselves.

Senator Wolcott said it was an admirable document.

Senator Lodge said it was able and excellent.

Senator Foraker: A good presentation of facts, generally, but a little indefinite on the question of Cuban independence.

Senator Perkins: An able resume of the situation and of the facts leading up to the war.

The Democrats were even more averse than the Republicans to discuss the paper. Senator Jones of Arkansas was an exception. He found in the message a number of points which did not accord with his views. One of these was the proposition to continue the volunteer army in existence until the standing army can be increased. "Some of us do not favor the increase of the standing army," he said, "and the president has no right to assume that a majority stand with him on that proposition." The senator also questioned the president's right to hold the volunteers in service beyond the time of signing the peace treaty. Senator Jones interpreted the president's expression upon the finances as a pronouncement for the gold standard and for the retirement of the greenbacks, and said that he did not believe that anything like a majority of the American people would endorse him in this respect. Senator Jones also expressed surprise at the absence of any recommendation concerning the Philippines.

Senator Pasco also commented upon the absence of any reference to "points concerning which we most desire information."

Senator Teller said there would be disappointment over the failure of the president to outline a government for the Philippines. "But," he remarked, "it is wise for the president not to indicate his views on that subject, for that is purely and properly a legislative question, and one that should be left to congress." Senator Teller further said: "The friends of bimetallism, either national or international, will find no encouragement from anything that the president says in his message. The president, in the most emphatic way, indicates his intention to maintain the gold standard."

Chairman Dingley: The message gives a clear presentation of the existing situation and valuable suggestions that will aid materially at the proper time hereafter in solving the different problems before us. It is to be noted that the president states that our revenue laws are working well, with no suggestion of any needed modification.

Representative Richardson (Dem.): The president makes an interesting and satisfactory review of the Spanish war, but it is disappointing that he failed to tell us what we are to do with the new possessions. Three-fourths of the message relates to foreign affairs. Banking and currency and all official reform legislation, so properly promised in 1896, ge no mention, and our condition in respect to these matters is to be left unchanged.

Representative Bingham (Rep.): Strong as the president is in the esteem of the people, his message will insure greater confidence and strengthen his recommendations to congress in carrying out a wise and Christian policy in connection with the many obligations the war has forced upon us.

Representative Barry, the Democratic floor leader, was called from the house by the illness of his son and asked to be excused from expressing his views on the message.

General Wheeler (Dem.): It is a clear and comparative resume of events which transpired during an eventful period of our country's history. It will be referred to as one of the noted state papers.

Representative McMillan (Dem.): On the most important question confronting the nation—what shall we do with our newly acquired possessions—the president's message reminds me of the caption of the last chapter of Johnson's Rasselas, "The conclusion in which nothing is concluded."

Representative Bland (Dem.): I might remark that on the great leading issue, which is and will be the paramount question, the free coinage of silver, the message is ominously silent, but no proposition on the money question can be considered without at the same time considering this question.

Representative Cummings (Dem.): It is a clear, concise statement of facts without speculation, suggestion or recommendation. I have an idea that the real message will be sent in hereafter.

Following are some of the opinions expressed by members of congress upon the president's message:

Representative Hitt, chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs: The president has summarized and solved in an able and felicitous manner many of the questions in men's mind everywhere, touching the immense and rapidly succeeding recent events and the situation in which the nation finds itself. His simple proposition to let the new possessions alone under just and firm governments by the military arm which conquered them gives us time for plenty of discussion of all the propositions for their permanent government. The problem of governing the Cubans he deals with gently and hopefully, and everybody will wish that his forecast of stable government there will be realized sooner than ever yet has happened to a Spanish-American population.

Representative Walker (Rep.), chairman of the committee on banking and currency: I am asked what I think of the currency and banking features of the president's message. I do not see that it has any such features. I have not been able to detect any. It contains only one recommendation as to the currency, repeating that of a former message to change the legal tender notes into gold certificates which would have no effect on the banking and currency situation, but to add to the burden of taxation without in any degree favorably affecting the general banking and currency situation.

Representative Grosvenor (Rep.): The contribution to history in the elaborate recitation of the events of the war is in good taste and devoid of boasting or vanity. The comment upon the incidents of the war and the valor of our men, and the fine work of all our seamen and artificers will be found fully justified by the facts. The views of the president upon the question of currency reform will meet the intelligent sanction of sound money men of all parties.

Senate and the Philippines.

The senators who have not arrived here include the majority of those who either have not made up their minds as to the Philippines and the $20,000,000, or decline to say what they will do. An enlightening poll of the senate is therefore impossible.

By their public utterances these following senators have committed themselves to the peace treaty as it will be laid before the senate: Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Burrows, Carter, Chandler, Clark, Cullom, Davis, Deboe, Elkins, Fairbanks, Faulkner, Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Gear, Hanna, Hansborough, Hawley, Hoadsay, Lodge, McBride, McMillan, Mantel, Mason, Morgan, Nelson, Platt (Connecticut), Platt (New York), Perkins, Penrose, Pettus, Pritchard, Proctor, Quay, Rawlins, Shoup, Sewell, Simon, Spooner, Teller, Thurston, Warren, Wellington, Wetmore, Wilson, Wolcott; total, 48.

This list includes those senators who are known to be privately not enthusiastic over the payment of the indemnity or over the demand that Spain not only relinquish the Philippines, but also cede them to the United States: Chandler, Faulkner, Hawley, Mason, Rawlins, Spooner and Warren.

These following senators are against the ratification of the treaty as it stands: Allen, Bacon, Bate, Berry, Caffery, Chilton, Clay, Hale, Hoar, Jones (Arkansas), Kenney, Kyle, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Mills, Morrill, Pettigrew, Roach, Smith, Tillman, Turpie, Vest, Sullivan, White; total, 25.

Finally these senators are either themselves uncertain as yet, or have refused to say what they will do: Butler, Cannon, Cockerell, Daniel, Gorman, Gray, Harris, Heitfeld, Jones (Nevada), Martin, Mitchell, Money, Murphy, Pasco, Stewart, Turley, Turner; total, 17. For the treaty, 48; against the treaty, 25; doubtful, 17; necessary to ratification, 60.

Senate Proceedings.

Through the courtesy of the vice-president, the members of the joint high commission were admitted to the floor of the senate yesterday, and were the recipients of much attention. Just before the session was called to order, several well-known members of the diplomatic corps appeared in the diplomatic gallery. Among them were Sir Julian Pauncefote, with a party from the British embassy; Mr. Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, and party, and Mr. Ye Pum Chin, the Corean minister. All were interested spectators of the opening scenes of the session, and attentive listeners to the reading of the president's message. During the recess of three-quarters of an hour, while the senate was awaiting the presentation of the message from the president, the members of the joint high commission held an informal levee, greeting personally nearly all the members of the senate.

In the House.

An early debate on the war question is expected in the house, in connection with the deficiency appropriation bill, which is devoted exclusively to items for the army and navy. The bill was practically completed yesterday, and will be finally passed on in committee today, and then presented to the house. Chairman Cannon of the appropriations committee says that he hopes to begin consideration of the bill on Wednesday or Thursday, and to pass it before the end of the week. He hardly thinks there will be any general opening up of the war question just now, although if the debate runs into such channels, he thinks it might as well come now as any time.

Representative Fitzgerald of Massachusetts introduced a resolution instructing the secretary of the treasury to investigate the circumstances in connection with the recent disaster to the steamer Portland, "to determine whether due care and vigilance were exercised by the officials of the company owning and controlling that steamer in allowing her to proceed to sea on the evening of Nov. 26, and to make particular inquiry in regard to the character of the lifeboats and life preservers used upon this steamer."

General Wheeler of Alabama introduced in the house, through Representative Stallings, a resolution, providing that, "in recognition of the patriotic devotion and bounteous benevolence of Miss Helen Miller Gould, to the soldiers of the army of the United States during the war with Spain, the thanks of congress are hereby tendered her and congress hereby authorizes and directs that a gold medal with appropriate designs be prepared by the director of the mint, and that said medal be presented to her by the President of the United States at such time and in such manner as he may determine."

Mr. Moody of Massachusetts introduced two bills to amend the war revenue act by providing that the "express and freight" clause in schedule A shall be changed so that express companies doing an annual business of less than $100,000 shall pay an excise tax of 1 percent of their earnings, in lieu of the stamp tax. Express companies earning more than the amount named shall continue to be subject to the stamp clause.

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

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Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

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r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba	7 49	r
r 7 26 ad		7 43	8 30 cba	8 49	r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba	9 49	r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba	10 49	r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30 cba	11 49	r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30 cba	12 49	r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30 cba	1 49	r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30 cba	2 49	r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30 cba	3 49	r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30 cba	4 49	r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00 cba	5 19	r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17 da	5 36	r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba	5 49	r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba	6 19	r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17 da	6 36	r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba	6 49	r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba	7 19	r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 05	7 30 cba	7 49	r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba	8 53	r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba	9 49	r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba	10 53	r
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r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba	6	r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	8 30 cba	8 49	r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba	12 49	r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba	4 49	r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	5 30 cba	5 49	r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba	6 49	r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba	8 53	r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba	10 53	r

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MAYORALTY CONTESTS

Unexpected Happened In Some of the Cities of Massachusetts.

Social Democracy Defeats Big Field at Haverhill.

Labor Men Carry Marlboro and No-License Wins at Brockton.

Boston, Dec. 7.—There were a number of surprises in the municipal elections held in 16 of the 32 cities of the state yesterday, and the greatest were at Brockton and Haverhill. In the former city, which last year voted for license by over 600, the strong campaign by the temperance advocates not only turned the city to no license, but rolled up a majority against liquor selling of 2100.

In Haverhill, the Socialist-Democrats defeated a large field of candidates for mayor, including the present incumbent, and gained seats in both legislative branches.

In other cities there was little change in the license vote, although at Springfield and Fall River there was a heavy falling off of the no-license vote.

One of the features of the election was the victory of the shoe-labor men in Marlboro, their candidate winning over the Republican, who was supposed to have been supported by the manufacturers. The labor troubles in that city are now likely to be acute.

A comparison of the license vote follows:

	1898.		1897.	
	Yes.	No.	Yes.	No.
Brockton	2592	4724	3621	3248
Fall River	6304	4110	6229	5345
Fitchburg	1893	2086	1869	2356
Gloucester	1814	1529	2173	1295
Haverhill	2990	2738	3466	2783
Lawrence	5106	3269	4363	3897
Malden	1639	3404	1610	2821
Marlboro	1539	1021	1516	982
New Bedford	4093	2523	4340	2316
Northampton	1218	1138	1321	1007
Pittsfield	2297	1615	1985	1817
Quincy	1191	2124	1194	2047
Somerville	1596	3501	1626	3815
Springfield	3912	2274	4262	3171
Taunton	2292	1527	2429	1595
Waltham	1821	1896	1656	1860

Haverhill.

Haverhill, Mass., Dec. 7.—The result of the election proved to be a great sensation, as John C. Chase, the candidate of the Social Democracy, defeated five other candidates, including Morse H. Dow, the Republican candidate, his plurality over the latter being 350. The socialist party also gained three seats in the board of aldermen, and three in the council, besides electing a number of minor officers. As in previous elections, the Republican candidate was beaten, while the regular Democrat, Mayor Chase, only received 977 votes. The Social Democrats came within seven votes of their own estimate. The city again voted for license by a reduced majority.

Marlboro.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 7.—The municipal election resulted in a victory for the Democrats, and an endorsement, by a good majority, of the workingmen's side of the present labor controversy in the shoe industry, Edward J. Plunkett, the candidate of the Democrats, as well as the workingmen's candidate, being elected over Walter B. Morse, the Republican candidate, by a vote of 1471 to 1197. The board of aldermen in 1899 will stand 5 Democrats and 2 Republicans, all the former being also Citizens' Workingmen's candidates, while the council will stand 7 Democrats and 6 Republicans and 1 Citizens' Workingmen's candidate. In the latter body one of the Republicans elected was also a Citizens' Workingmen's candidate, while five of the Democrats elected were endorsed by the labor organization. The city voted again for license: Yes, 1539; No, 1021.

Brockton.

Brockton, Mass., Dec. 7.—The great event of the municipal election here was the overturn of the license vote of last year, the city again voting against the sale of liquor by an overwhelming majority. As soon as the result was known there was a great demonstration throughout the city, jollification meetings being held, at which nearly every minister in the city spoke, as well as other prominent citizens. Bells were rung and the Y. M. C. A. closed the evening with an enthusiastic meeting. E. W. Low, the Republican candidate for mayor, was elected, his vote being almost twice the plurality over his Democratic opponent, E. G. Brown. The aldermen stand five Republicans and two Democrats. License vote: Yes, 2592; no, 4724. Vote in 1897: Yes, 3621; no, 3248.

New Bedford.

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 7.—Charles S. Ashley was elected mayor for the fifth time by a plurality of 728 over Samuel E. Bentley. With Mayor Ashley are elected the six aldermen on his ticket and 18 out of 24 common councilmen. The feature of the campaign was the nomination of a straight Republican municipal ticket for the first time in the city's history, but although New Bedford is the banner Republican city of the state in national and state elections, this ticket was rejected by a large majority. License vote: Yes, 4093; no, 1523.

Northampton.

Northampton, Mass., Dec. 7.—The election called out a good vote, and the mayoralty contest was very close. Ex-Mayor John L. Mather, who served in 1897, defeated Joseph L. Fowler by only 21 votes. There was little interest in the other contests. The city went license by a majority of 80, while last year the majority was 304. Four Democrats and three Republicans were elected to the board of aldermen. Fourteen Republicans and seven Democrats were elected to the common council.

Fall River.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 7.—A feature of the city election was the shattering of party lines, and the contest was deemed the most uncertain in years. Mayor Jackson was re-elected by about 50 majority. The falling off in the Republican majority from the last city election is accounted for by the better Democratic organization, and the dissatisfaction arising from the financial difficulties with which the 1898 administration was forced to contend. License: Yes, 6304; No, 4110.

Fitchburg.

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 7.—The Citizen temperance party carried the city by a wide margin, electing the candidate for mayor, Samuel Anderson, by an overwhelming majority over Edgar F. Belding, the independent Citizen candidate. The Citizen temperance party also elected four out of six aldermen, and the city voted no license for the sixth consecutive year, although by a reduced margin. The street railway question was an important factor in the election of both mayor and aldermen.

Somerville.

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 7.—In the municipal election George O. Proctor, the Municipal league candidate for mayor, defeated Alderman L. Herbert Huntley, the regular Republican candidate, by 1269 votes. The election was one of the most surprising held in the city as far as results were concerned for many years. License: Yes, 1596; no, 3501. The aldermen elected are six Republicans and three Municipal league. In the council seven are Republicans, eight Municipal league and one independent. The school committee stands: Three Republicans and one Municipal league.

Springfield.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 7.—The Republicans elected their candidate for mayor by a plurality of 803, city clerk, treasurer, members of the school committee and the entire board of aldermen. The council stands 11 Republicans and seven Democrats. The city went for license by a majority of 1638, and voted to adopt the law providing for pensioning firemen. The vote for mayor: Dwight O. Gilmore (Rep.), 3423; David Power, (Dem.), 2620; Adolph Mielicz, (Soc.-Lab.), 436. The vote on license: Yes, 3912; no, 2274.

Taunton.

Taunton, Mass., Dec. 7.—The municipal election aroused but little interest, the re-election of Mayor Nathaniel J. W. Fish being a foregone conclusion. His plurality, however, was reduced 600 votes from last year. The majority for license was also reduced, but as usual the Republicans elected the city council and school committee. There were a number of interesting contests for the city council. The license vote: Yes, 2292; no, 1527.

Pittsfield.

Pittsfield, Mass., Dec. 7.—By the re-election yesterday of Major William W. Whiting, and the election of three aldermen and five members of the city council, the Democrats scored a close victory, and on a joint ballot have control of the city government for the ensuing year by the narrow majority of one vote. The license vote was very decisive, only one ward giving a majority against the sale of liquor.

Waltham.

Waltham, Mass., Dec. 7. — Mayor George L. Mayberry was elected chief magistrate of the city for the fourth time, the Republican candidate, Otis M. Gove, being defeated by an overwhelming vote. The city also voted no license for the fourth consecutive year. The city council will stand next year 15 Republicans and six Democrats. There were but few spirited contests for minor offices.

Malden.

Malden, Mass., Dec. 7.—The municipal election here resulted in a complete overthrow of the Independents, who have carried the city for the past two years, the Republicans not only electing their candidate for mayor, Charles L. Dean, but also every alderman, and all but two councilmen. There was no contest for the school committee. The city went strongly for no license.

Gloucester.

Gloucester, Mass., Dec. 7.—There were five candidates for mayor and many exciting aldermanic contests in the election, which resulted in the election of L. W. French, Republican candidate for mayor. The city again voted "Yes." The act authorizing the city to borrow $150,000 for highways was rejected, 1493 to 1086.

Lawrence.

Lawrence, Mass., Dec. 7. — Mayor Eaton (Rep.) was re-elected and the 1899 government will be: Aldermen, two Republicans, four Democrats; council, 10 Democrats, eight Republicans. The license vote: Yes, 5106; no, 3269.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:01; sets, 4:12.

High water—6:15 a. m.; 6:45 p. m.

Moon rises—1:26 a. m.

A storm of moderate energy was central last night in southeastern Canada, moving northeastward. Light snow was falling in many sections of the lakes and the St. Lawrence valley. The disturbance will disappear to the northeastward today, followed by clearing weather in New England. Fair, cold weather is indicated for this district through Thursday; probably continued fair Friday; westerly winds.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	40	26	37	34
Monday	50	33	54	40
Tuesday	41	33	40	56
Wednesday	40	34	40	50
Thursday	—	43	43	39
Friday	—	39	50	52
Saturday	—	38	56	48

New Advertisements Today.

Washing wanted.

Good Afternoon.

The election of Mr. Keith emphasizes the fact that Quincy desires frequent changes in city officials or else that it is almost impossible for a Mayor to please his own party in the appointment of officials. Perhaps it is the former, but more likely the latter. The responsibilities of the office seems too great for individual success. With scarcely an exception, no one outside of the politicians criticise the appoitments of Mayor Sears, and most of them are of his political party. But some of the workers for the Mayor's success last year were disgruntled because they could not dictate the appointments and because the sweep was not more general. It then becomes a battle for the spoils. If Mayor Keith seeks to retain in position efficient officials or to reward the Republicans who supported him, he will incure enmity in his own party at the outset and yet he will not obtain the independent support at the next election unless he does It is a trying position to a man and he earns the honors of the office. No Mayor of Quincy ever strove harder to please than Mayor Sears, no Mayor has accomplished more for the city. And yet no one in Quincy has been surrounded during the year with more perplexities. The executive chair of the city is by no means a bed of roses. For two or three months at the start he is beseiged by those wanting office: then it takes two or three months to get started: little can be accomplished during the heated months of the summer; and with the fall the Mayor even though he has fulfilled the duties of the office faithfully and well, must give thought to the approaching election if he desires a vindication.

The Daily Ledger heartily congratulates Mayor-elect Keith upon his victory, which was largely a personal one. While Mayor Sears was our choice, on the principle that a good record should be endorsed we were careful that both candidates should have fair treatment and that our columns should not be open for "mud slinging," even at a price. We have high regard for Mr. Keith, our city editor having been graduated from the Quincy High school while he was principal. We remember him as the most efficient City Clerk that the city ever had; whose records are a model of neatness and accuracy, and who was always very gentlemanly and courteus in the discharge of his duties. We took the opportunity when he was nominated for Mayor to say a kind word for him, and we now add our congratulations. The prosperity and good name of the city should be above party success, and we feel confident that Mayor Keith will give the city an administration which will redound to her glory.

Mayor Sears has been defeated by his own party. This is the third time that the Republican nominee for Mayor has been defeated by the Wollaston Republicans. Had Mayor Sears received as many votes in Wollaston as was cast for the Republican Councilmen he would have been elected by a handsome majority. Ward Five is the strongest Republican Ward in the city, but on this occasion as in two former, many voted for the Democratic nominee, and thereby defeated their candidate. This ward is supposed to be, by some of the citizens, the most temperate the most intelligent, and the best in the city, but there are many good Republicans today who are ready to cuss the Republicans of Wollaston.

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Mayor.

	WARDS 1	2	3-1	3-2	4-1	4-2	5	6	Total
*Harrison A. Keith, D.,	298	244	217	169	258	243	215	143	1786
Russell A. Sears, R.,	359	252	184	178	99	136	279	254	1741
Blanks,	8	3	10	7	3		10	2	50

Councilmen-at-large.

*William E. Badger, R.,	426	265	207	235	161	222	362	227	2105
*Frank W. Blanchard, R.,	344	233	162	204	63	166	340	224	1736
Rupert F. Claflin, D.,	334	260	217	137	242	198	124	132	1644
*Alexander Clark, R.,	341	232	197	212	73	167	304	207	1733
Henry G. Fay, D.,	177	202	161	94	217	167	180	122	1320
*Richard R. Freeman, R.,	363	232	150	200	57	157	355	218	1732
William W. Jenness, D.,	215	207	176	103	200	172	82	117	1272
James E. McDonald, D.,	155	184	164	95	237	176	50	117	1178
Henry McGrath, D.,	263	220	232	135	240	182	70	110	1452
*George A. Sidelinger, R.,	380	250	170	206	61	165	315	211	1758
Blanks,	327	210	219	148	249	153	338	310	1954

School Committee-at-large.

*Nathaniel S. Hunting, D.,	379	305	267	183	276	241	149	138	1938
John L. Miller, R.,	242	162	109	136	48	123	314	216	1350
Blanks,	44	32	35	35	36	21	50	45	298

License.

Yes,	205	170	149	123	165	142	78	159	1191
*No,	412	247	222	208	161	215	395	204	2114
Blanks,	48	32	30	23	34	28	31	35	261

Ward One.

COUNCILMEN.

Harold B. Faxon, D.,	226
*John W. Nash, R.,	422
*Elisha Packard, R.,	462
*John Swithin, D., R.,	508
Blanks,	477

Ward Two.

COUNCILMEN.

Fred P. Hill, D.,	214
*Eugene N. Hultman, R.,	254
*Aubrey R. Keith, R.,	267
William Kiernan, D.,	163
*Arthur W. Newcomb, R.,	270
John S. Shaw, D.,	188
Blanks,	141

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

*Fred H. Smith, D., R.,	384
Blanks,	115

Ward Three.

COUNCILMEN.

	Prec. 1.	Prec. 2.
Robert E. Foy, D.,	223	115
*John L. Johnson, R.,	164	219
James E. Maxim, D.,	211	113
*Daniel McLellan, R.,	164	201
*Harry S. Nicoll, R.,	177	211
Edward A. Young, D.,	183	116
Blanks,		87

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

*Mabel E. Adams, D.,	318	261
Blanks,	93	93

*Elected.

Ward Four.

COUNCILMEN.

	Prec. 1.	Prec. 2.
Thomas F. Cain, D.,	198	175
*John L. Dugan, D.,	226	176
John Evans, R.,	64	135
Mayo P. Fuller, R.,	94	174
*Thomas F. Hogan, D.,	224	162
*Michael Owens, R.,	160	217
Blanks,	114	116

Ward Five.

COUNCILMEN.

*Charles M. Bryant, R.,	314
*Edward E. Jameson, R.,	362
William A. Jordan, D.,	168
Fred P. Loud, D.,	92
*Walter S. Pinkham, R.,	338
David J. Roche, D.,	38
Blanks,	200

Ward Six.

COUNCILMEN.

*Charles Alden, R.,	219
John A. Duggan, D.,	206
*Walter P. Hill, R.,	221
*John E. Poland, R.,	227
Blanks,	324

The election of Tuesday was a surprise generally—not only a surprise to the citizens, but quite as much a suprise to Mayor-elect Keith, and to Mayor Sears his rival. The Republican majority of 300 last year is wiped out and Mr. Keith is elected by 45 votes. It was not so much a change of votes as it was an increase in the vote for the Democratic candidate, but it was both. Mayor Sear's vote was 85 less than last year, while the vote for Mr. Keith is 260 larger than was given Mr. Hodges last year. The Democratic candidate gained in every ward except precinct one of Ward Four. Mayor Sears lost in Wards One, Two, Three and precinct two of Ward Four, and his gains in Ward Five and Six were trifling.

THE REPUBLICAN VOTE.

	1897.	1898.	Loss.
Ward One,	360	359	1
Ward Two,	283	252	31
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	197	184	13
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	212	178	34
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	71	99	*28
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	179	136	43
Ward Five,	276	279	*3
Ward Six,	248	254	*6
The City,	1,826	1,741	85

*Gain.

THE DEMOCRATIC VOTE.

	1897.	1898.	Gain.
Ward One,	267	298	31
Ward Two,	219	244	25
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	182	217	35
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	124	169	45
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	296	258	*28
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	181	243	62
Ward Five,	141	215	74
Ward Six,	116	143	27
The City,	1,526	1,786	260

*Loss.

Mayor-elect Keith said in his speech of acceptance that if elected it must be by the help of Republican votes. While he obtained Republican votes in Wards One, Two and Three, it must be admitted that the 130 to 150 Republican votes he obtained in Wollaston placed him in the executive chair.

THE TOTAL VOTE.

The total vote was larger by 150 than last year, although there were but 139 new voters. The increase came in Wards One, Five and Six, both precincts of Ward Three, and precinct two of Ward Four. Ward Two and precinct one of Ward Four fell behind. The following summary shows the number entitled to vote, and the vote for two years:

	Voters in 1898.	Voters cast in 1898.	Vote cast in 1897.
Ward One,	777	665	643
Ward Two,	596	499	506
Ward Three, precinct one,	469	411	388
Ward Three, precinct two,	410	354	314
Ward Four, precinct one,	408	360	388
Ward Four, precinct two,	441	385	368
Ward Five,	613	504	431
Ward Six,	482	399	369
The City,	4,196	3,577	3,427

THE NEW COUNCIL.

The City Council of 1899 will be more largly Republican than ever, 21 Republicans and 2 Democrats. All five of the Republicans candidates at large were elected by majorities ranging from 88 to 917. The vote for Councilman Badger was a phenomeal one, and the largest given to any candidate on the ticket. He led both candidates for Mayor by over 300 votes, and all the candidates at large for the Council with one exception by still larger majorities. Councilman Sidelinger was second and was the only other Councilman at large to lead Mayor Sears. Four of the five are reelected: Messrs. Badger, Sidelinger, Clark and Freeman and the new man is Frank W. Blanchard of Atlantic who will succeed Councilman Merrick, who declined a renomination because of his health. Mr. Claflin was the leading Democrat, while James E. McDonald foots the list.

In Ward One, Councilmen Swithen, Packard and Nash are reelected by large majorities.

In Ward Two, it will be Councilmen Newcomb, Keith and Hultman, all having over 40 votes to spare.

Ward Three elects three Republicans, an increase of one. Councilman Nicoll is reelected, and Messrs. John L. Johnson and Daniel McLennan are new men, well recommended.

Ward Four did what some predicted, and elected Councilman Cain to stay at home. For the second time this ward elected one Republican, Councilman Owens being sent back. The other two, who will be the only Democrats in the Council if Councilman Swithin is excepted, are new in city life—John J. Dugan and Thomas F. Hogan.

In Ward Five it is three Republicans. Councilman Jameson was high man and Councilman Pinkham second. Ex-Councilman Bryant is third man, 48 behind Mr. Jameson. Mr. Jordan ran ahead of his ticket by nearly 100 votes.

It was close in Ward Six, but Councimen Poland and Hill are re-elected, and the third man is also a Republican, Mr. Charles Alden. Mr. Duggan fell only 13 behind Mr. Alden.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Although party nominations are made for School Committee politics do not enter into the choice or action of the board. Dr. Hunting was handsomely elected for his first term, leading Mr. Miller nearly 600 votes. The doctor carried Wards One, Two, Three and Four, while Mr. Miller received a flattering majority both in Wards Five and Six.

Wards Two and Three each elected one member, and without contest, Fred H. Smith will serve for the first time while Miss Adams is reelected.

THE RETURNS.

Returns from the election were never received more promptly at City Hall than on Tuesday night. Ward One was the first to be heard from, and at five minutes past four Warden Packard announced the result on the head of the ticket. Ten minutes later he announced the balance of the ticket.

The first official returns to be received came from Precinct Two, Ward Four, and the other wards in the city followed soon after, so that by 6.30 o'clock the official returns had all been received.

At that time there was not a large crowd at City Hall, which was partially due to the early hour and partially because it was quite certain that Ward Five had again turned about and that Mr. Keith would be elected.

There was no shouting or cheering at City Hall, but little groups were gathered about discussing the outcome and its causes.

Most of the present officials did not remain at City Hall long, and by 7 o'clock there were not over a half a dozen people in the City Clerk's office, aside from the Election Committee of the City Council.

Mayor Sears received the returns by telephone at his own home, and Mayor elect Keith received them at his headquarters by special messenger from each voting precinct of the city as fast as they were announced.

Later in the evening Mayor Sears received his friends at his office, and although defeated the party gathered was a good natured one, and any who heard the laughter that filled the room, as jokes were cracked at one another's expense would have never supposed it came from a defeated party.

While of course disappointed at the result, Mayor Sears said he was glad that the suspense was all over and that the campaign had been a clean one and free from the personal abuse and mud slinging that had characterized many of the previous campaigns.

His defeat was due to the want of harmony in certain of the ward committees, and by the acts of those who had some personal grudge that they wished to vindicate. He should go out of office with a clean record and with a clear conscience of having done his best to give the city a clean business-like administration.

Mayor-elect Keith was remembered by his friends at his office in the Adams building and received the congratulations of his friends, but early in the evening went to his home on River street.

LEDGER EXTRAS.

Before 4 15 a bulletin of the Daily Ledger announced "It will be Mayor Keith." The vote from Wollaston had been received, and the small majority seemed to settle it.

At 4.30, election extra No. 1 was issued with the full vote of Ward One.

At 4 40 extra No. 2 followed with the addition of the full vote.

About 5 o'clock both precincts of Ward Four were added, and before 6 o'clock the Ledger had the returns from all wards.

Such was the demand for the paper that no opportunity was offered to stop and insert the total vote until after 8 o'clock, but Extra No. 5 had the totals.

It took nearly 4,000 copies to supply the demand.

MANY PEOPLE CANNOT DRINK

coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

BILLHEADS

AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

A Merry Christmas to Mayor Keith.

The City Council Committee on Streets meet Thursday evening.

Dr. Charles S. Adams of Wollaston, is very sick with an attack of the grip.

Now that the snow has disappeared yards and lawns are covered with dead limbs.

The explosion at Castle island was plainly heard in this city Tuesday evening.

Miss Carrie E. Small entertains the Friday club this afternoon in The Greenleaf parlors.

The double track on Hancock street, between Saville and Adams streets will be completed this week.

Mr. Sherman Gould of Portland Me. who has been visiting friends at West Quincy has returned home.

It is expected that the sewer on Hancock street in front of the Ledger office will be completed this week.

Mrs. Abbie Higgins, who keeps a dry goods store in Neponset and resides on Edison street, is to remove to Pope's Hill.

The Epworth League of the West Quincy Methodist church hold a mystery entertainment and supper tonight.

The City Treasurer's office was a busy place this morning for the hundreds of men employed shovelling snow last week were being paid off.

Although the election is but a few hours old politicians have begun to make up their slates for next year's city officials. The general feeling is that there will be a clean sweep.

The motormen on the street railway are kicking for the want of street lights on Hancock street at Wollaston and Atlantic, for the streets are so dark in places that is next to impossible to see teams until almost upon them.

The lecture of Prof. Henry Houck at the High school last evenig on "The Educational Outlook," was instructive and entertaining and complimentary to Massachusetts. It was under the auspices of the Quincy Teachers' Association.

You should have seen the men sprinting down Spear street this afternoon after the burglar. There was N. B. Furnald in hot pursuit, H. M. Faxon, conductors and motormen from street railway office and a dozen more. It is needless to say the burglar was caught.

The Ledger extras Tuesday night were issued with full returns from all wards and precincts of the city even before the official returns were received at City Hall. The streets in and about City Square were alive with newsboys and they had no trouble indisposing of their stock, as the Ledgers was the only paper to give the news promptly.

Funeral services over the remains of Mr. James A. Miller were held at his late home on Fayette street Wollaston on Tuesday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Rev. J. E. Waterhouse, pastor of the Wollaston M. E. society, and the Rev. Mr. Neice of Townsend Mass. Among the floral tributes was a beautiful piece from the M. E. society. There was singing by the church quartette. The interment was at Townsend.

The Archdeaconry.

The eleventh meeting of the Archdeaconry of New Bedford opened at Christ church Tuesday evening with a good attendance.

The Archdeacon presided and made a brief address. There were also addresses by Rev. Francis B. White of St. Luke's church, Fall River on "Church work in large cities," Rev. George Walker of Stoughton on "The church in old Massachusetts towns," and Rev. Charles H. Bullock of Sandwich on "The church in summer resorts." Music was furnished by the united choirs of Christ's and St. Chrysostom's churches and was exceptionally fine.

The programme for today was Holy Communion and address by Rev. Percy Brown, D. D., of St. James church, Roxbury, at 11 o'clock. At 12.30 luncheon was served at the Rectory to visiting clergymen and the vestry of Christ church. At 1.30 a business meeting was held at which encouraging reports were received from the Archdeacon, missionaries and the treasurer.

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Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, window shades made to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

A woman broker is making a good living and building up a considerable business in Clarksville, Ind. She is a broker in sugar, coffee and tea.

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Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

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HOTEL FURNISHINGS,

Household Furniture and Carriages

Of the well-known caterer, ALEX. E. NASH, will be sold on the premises,

148 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.,

FRIDAY, Dec. 9, '98, at 1.30 P. M. sharp.

The Household Goods consist in part as follows: 3 Pine Chamber Sets, 3 Oak Chamber Sets, 3 painted Chamber Sets, Springs, Mattresses, Bolsters, Comforters, Sheets, Commode Sets, and the entire furnishings of 7 Chambers. Straw and Woolen Carpets, 3 Parlor Stoves, 3 Air-tight Stoves, Extension Table (10 foot,) 12 Dining Room Chairs, 75 Odd Chairs, Mirrors, Lamps, Ice Chest, 2 Crawford Ranges in good order. Large lot of Crockery and Tin Ware, Large Counter with Drawers, Curtains, 5 Tables with Marble Slabs, and a large variety of useful household goods.

CARRIAGES.

Promptly at 4.30 P. M. on day of above sale, on the premises the following carriages will be sold: 1 Covered Buggy, 1 Covered Phaeton Buggy, 1 Open Buggy, 1 Beach Wagon, 1 Tip Cart and Harness.

Mr. Nash will continue his catering business in the rear of the hotel.

Sale positive. Terms cash. Large assortment of goods.

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will find every advantage in trading here.

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Easy weekly or monthly payments. We employ no pedlers, and if you deal with us you will have no trouble or annoyance. No notes or security required; no interest or extra expense. You buy just as cheap as you would for cash, and

CLOTHING

you will find it a great accommodation to have an account with us, as fifty thousand others do, and get your clothes from us by paying a little down and a little a week.

No one can undersell us or give easier terms to new customers. We occupy four stores and two buildings, filled with Men's, Women's Boys' and Girls' Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Millinery, etc. Our stock is the largest to select from, and our goods are warranted to wear well and prove satisfactory or we will allow any reasonable claim.

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We favor an old customer and they send us new ones and recommend their friends to us. Nothing could prove better than our courteous and liberal methods please them. Open an account and become an old customer and you will be entitled to all the benefits.

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BORN.

BIGELOW—In Cohasset, Dec. 6, a daughter to Rev. and Mrs. E. Victor Bigelow.

DIED.

PRATT—In Quincy, Dec. 4, Edward N. Pratt, formerly of South Braintree, aged 48 years and 2 months.

People's Course.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY,

SATURDAY EVENING, **DEC. 10**

7.45 o'clock. Doors open 7.15.

CRITERION CLUB

of Boston in Three Plays:

A CIRCUS RIDER,
A YELLOW ROSE,
A PAIR OF RUBBER BOOTS.

Assisted by an Orchestra of Five Pieces.

Admission with Seat, 10c.

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POLL TAX NOTICE.

UNPAID Poll Taxes will be given to an officer to collect with cost

MONDAY, Dec. 19th.

You will save $1.50 in cost by paying before that time.

A. L. BAKER,
Collector.

Quincy, Dec. 6, 1898. 5t

Business Men's Banquet.

The annual Business Men's banquet of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at 6.30 o'clock this evening at the rooms of the Association No. 164 Hancock street. Covers will be laid for over 100 guests. The Speakers of the evening will be G. L. Richards, Esq., of the Boston Rubber Co. of Boston, R. M. Armstroug State Secretary of Massachusetts, and Rhode Island, W. J. B. Oliver of the Christian Commission with the 8th Massachusetts regiment, Mayor R. A. Sears and others. Mr. Theophilus King will preside.

Music will also be furnished during the evening. The president of the Association desires to state that if any contributor to the work or business man of Quincy has been overlooked in the sending of an invitation, they are also welcome to attend. The reception precedes the banquet.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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Grand MARK DOWN SALE of CHOICE MILLINERY

All our Choice Imported Patterns at Half Price.

A full line of good shapes in Felts for 25 cents. Former price, $1.00.

Also a full line of all silk Ribbons in all colors, for fancy work, at the lowest prices. Bows made free of charge.

Bargains in Black Plumes, 12 inches long, for 25 cents.

All Hats trimmed free of charge during this sale if materials are purchased here.

E. B. COLLINS,

4 Faxon Block, Quincy.

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THE WISDOM OF TRADING HERE.

Confidence in the people you trade with should be the first principle of shopping with the thinking buyer.

If one needs the services of a physician, he naturally has a preference, and its nothing but confidence in the man you talk with that leads you to follow his advice to the letter. The sole aim of the clerks in many of the stores of today, seems to be the one object of selling goods, no matter by what means or by what misrepresentations.

At this store things are different; the fundamental principle of this business is to keep the interest of our patrons at heart, misrepresent nothing and sell the best goods the market produces at prices a little lower than those of the leading Boston stores. These methods alone account for the success of this business, and the confidence of the people have in our store system.

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NEARLY A THOUSAND

The No-License Majority Within Three of the Largest.

The vote on the License question is especially gratifying to temperance people—an increased "No" vote, and the largest on record in Quincy; a decreased "Yes" vote, being smaller than in 1896 and 1897; an increased majority against license, and only 3 less than in 1888, when it was the biggest. The number to vote on the question was 3315 and the ratio was nearly two to one against the same—No, 2114; Yes, 1191.

No License carried every ward of the city and made gains in Ward One, Two, and Five, and in Precinct two of both wards Three and Four, and held its own in Ward Six. It lost in Precinct one of both wards Three and Four.

License lost in four wards and gained in four. The losses were in Wards One and Two, precinct one of Ward Three and precinct two of Ward Four. The gains in Ward Five and Six and precinct two of Ward Three and precinct one of Ward Four.

The tables which follow show the votes of two years at a glance, and the last sumarizes the vote for eighteen elections:

THE NO VOTE.

	1897.	1898.	Gain.
Ward One,	389	412	23
Ward Two,	277	297	20
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	233	232	*1
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	187	208	21
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	177	161	*16
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	214	215	1
Ward Five,	366	395	29
Ward Six,	204	204	0
The City,	2,047	2,124	77

*Loss.

THE YES VOTE.

	1897.	1898.	Loss.
Ward One,	209	205	4
Ward Two,	203	170	33
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	136	149	*13
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	130	123	7
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	181	165	16
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	140	142	*2
Ward Five,	58	78	*20
Ward Six,	137	159	*22
The City,	1194	1191	3

*Gain.

EIGHTEEN YEARS.

Year.	No.	Yes.	Total.	Majority.	Si-lent.
1882,	1,057	457	1,514	600	75
1883,	1,086	458	1,544	628	126
1884,	1,037	407	1,474	660	200
1885,	1,002	510	1,512	492	200
1886,	1,017	258	1,275	759	325
1887,	1,071	259	1,330	812	425
1888, (town)	1,064	293	1,357	771	459
1888, (city)	1,394	458	1,852	936	414
1889,	1,162	618	1,780	544	332
1890,	1,339	720	2,059	619	351
1891,	1,359	835	2,494	824	250
1892,	1,860	956	2,816	904	176
1893,	1,886	1,060	2,946	826	249
1894,	1,889	1,037	2,926	852	273
1895	1,958	1,177	3,135	781	208
1896,	2,074	1,370	3,444	704	149
1897,	2,047	1,194	3,241	853	186
1898,	2,124	1,191	3,315	933	261

K. of C. Officers.

At the meeting of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, Tuesday evening, the following were elected as officers for the comimg year:

Grand Knight—John V. Powers.

Deputy Grand Knight—James F. Burke.

Chancellor—William J. Coleman.

Financial Secretary — Timothy J. Carey.

Recording Secretary—Thomas J. McGrath.

Treasurer—William T. Shea.

Advocate—James A. White.

Chaplain—Rev. F. A. Friguglietti.

Physician — Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D.

Inside Guard—Bernard Cullen.

Outside Guard—Peter J. Cahill.

Trustees—Thomas H. O'Neil, Stephen H. Edwards, Jr., John J. Lane.

Brothers John W. McAnarney and John V. Powers were chosen delegates to the State council.

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To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

Souvenir Night,

December 9th, 1898, to be held in MUSIC HALL, QUINCY. The opening night for the course of 5 Grand Socials and Ball to be given by the T. R. & S. A. A., will be noted as being a souvenir night. Every one being present on that evening will be presented with a souvenir stick pin made of the best Tubular Rivet and Stud that can be manufactured and will be fit for either Lady or Gent as an ornament. Don't forget the place or date, Music Hall, Quincy, Dec. 9, 1898.

Tickets for the Socials, Gent and Lady 50 cents. Extra Lady 25 cents. Season Tickets, Gent and Lady $3.00. Lady $1.25. Ball Tickets, Gent and Lady $1.00. Extra Lady 25 cents. The Season Tickets admits to the Socials and the Ball. Tickets for sale by the members of the Association and also at Durgin's Drug Store, Quincy.

Quincy, Dec. 2. 1-6t—p-1w

FRANK F CRANE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass.

Oct. tf

Memorial Church.

"Why should I join the church?" was the subject on which Rev. Mr. Whitaker discoursed last Sunday morning. He spoke of the advantages of organization in every department of life, of the greater opportunity for the advancement of any special cause, and the immediate individual benefit of members. So in the religious work the enlargement of its field for doing good depended in a great measure on its careful and complete organization. With the church, which stands for the highest in life, as the highest type of organization, it behoves every person who believes in the Fatherhood of God and in goodness to identify himself with Gods chosen institution for carrying on His work. He disposes of the objection frequently given for not entering the church, viz, the shortcomings of those already in the church, by stating that there was certainly more of evil in the world outside of the church than in it, and if one consistently wished to ally himself with the side that stood for the lesser evil he would be found in the church lending his own personality and influence to the upbuilding of that cause for which Christ made His great sacrifice.

The Y. P. S. C. E., met at 6.30. At 7.30 the union temperance meeting was held in the church. There had been some misunderstanding about the place of meeting, it having been originally intended to hold the gathering at the Methodist church and it was so given out in the Memorial church in the morning. The failure of the electric lighting in the Methodist church, however, necessitated meeting at the Memorial, but word was not sent the latter in season to announce it from the pulpit. On this account and the extremely disagreeable weather there were fewer out than anticipated.

Mr. Kingston had charge of the meeting and Rev. Mr. Peach was the advertised speaker. Rev. Mr. Whitaker read the Scriptures and offered a prayer.

Mr. Kingston spoke earnestly of the need of avoiding the mistake that Brockton made relapsing into indifference and urged that we must exercise eternal vigilence.

Rev. Mr. Peach made a short pithy and telling address shortening his speech on account of yielding time to the other speakers.

The gentleman from Lowell was bright, enthusiastic and interesting.

Mr. Ernest Drew of Roxbury gave his own personal experience in connection with the intemperate, with dramatic effect.

Miss Susie Hall accompanied at the piano.

DR. WURTH'S OPINION

OF THE NEW DISCOVERY IN MEDICINE.

A Remarkably Successful Remedy for Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Stomach Troubles.

Dr. Wurth in commenting on recent discoveries in medicine said: There is none which is certain to be so valuable and far reaching in benefit as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, the new stomach remedy; I say far reaching, because people little realize how important a sound stomach and vigorous digestion is to every man, woman and child.

Indigestion is the starting point of consumption, heart disease, Bright's disease, diabetes, nervous prostration, liver troubles; why is this so? Simply because every nerve, muscle and tissue in our bodies is created and nourished from the food we eat. If that food is, by reason of a weak stomach, compelled to lie for hours, a sour, fermenting mass of half digested food, it poisons the blood and nervous system, creates gs which distends the stomach and bowels, causing pressure on the heart, lungs and other organs, and seriously impeding their action.

He says further, the point to direct attenion is not the nerves, nor heart, nor lungs, nor kidneys, but the stomach, the first cause of all the mischief.

The remedy to use for indigestion and weak stomachs is not some cathartic, but a remedy which will digest the food, increase the flow of gastric juice, absorb the gases, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will accomplish exactly this result in any case of stomach trouble, because these tablets are composed of the digestive acids, aseptic pepsin, Golden Seal and bismuth, pleasant to taste, and not being a patent medicine, can be used by anyone with perfect safety. I believe Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any form of indigestion and stomach trouble except cancer of stomach.

Full size packages of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents or by mail from F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. A book on stomach diseases together with thousands of testimonial will be sent by addressing above or call on your druggist for them. 5-7 9.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Haley was arraigned for felonious assault at Milton. Case continued until Thursday.

Andrew Tracy was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. At his own request he was sent to the State farm at Bridgewater.

SOME FOOLISH PEOPLE

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50. Trial size free. At all druggists.

LATEST!

HOT PURSUIT.

The Electric Wire Inspector Comes to Grief.

He Made a Haul at Residence of J. R. Wild.

Theft Quickly Discovered and the Alarm Given.

The Ledger called attention recently to a young man who was visiting houses at Wollaston, claiming to be an inspector of wires. The Ledger warned people that he was a fraud, but Mrs. James R. Wild of Russell Park, evidently did not see the article, for when the fellow came to her door this noon, armed with an ampere meter used for testing wires, and told her he was an inspector, she let him in.

Her daughter accompanied the fellow through the house, but as he was about to depart, he turned and went up stairs alone. He came down a few minutes later and departed.

Mrs. Wild then became suspicious and rushed up stairs. She immediately missed a diamond pin. She shouted to a passing team which gave chase and spread the warning.

The fellow ran down Hancock street to Washington street, and by this time a crowd of street railway employes, snow shovellers and others were in hot pursuit.

The fellow entered the yard of Mrs. J. T. French, and as he was about to jump the fence at the rear, Mr. Dady, a driver for Gallagher's express, grabbed him by the leg. He turned and drawing a revolver threatened to shoot if Dady did not let go. That settled it, he let go, and the fellow started down Spear street, the crowd following.

By this time Constable Furnald had joined in the chase. The crowd finally cornered the fellow, and Rod McNeil held him until Constable Furnald arrived when he was taken to the police station.

Upon being searched a lot of valuables were disclosed, among which was a five dollar bill and some silver, a silver bracelet, a lady's gold watch, diamond ring, diamond scarf pin, diamond sword scarf pin, and two ladies' chains, all valued at $269.

The fellow also had, besides the ampere meter above mentioned, a detective badge, a pair of handcuffs, a pair of police twisters, pair of pryers, and a screw driver.

He gave his name as Bert Otis Taylor, aged 23 years, and his residence as Brattle street, Cambridge. He also said that he was a detective of a Western detective agency.

A Live Robe.

The principal of one of our schools, and two or three of his lady friends, had an exciting experience last night on their way home from the lecture at the High school. As they were opposite the Adams Academy they saw something fall from a wagon. It drove along so rapidly that there was not time to hail it, so they went into the street to pick the something up, supposing it was a robe. But it was alive and eluded their grasp. It was a young calf. Mr. P. grabbed the calf however as though he had chased a greased pig, and held him while the young lady teachers scoured the neighborhood for a cord. They intended to take their prize home, but the owner had missed the calf and come back for it.

Whist at Wollaston.

The flower committee of the Wollaston Unitarian church gave a very successful whist party at the home of Miss Mabel Fairbanks on Grand View avenue on Tuesday evening. The committee consisted of Miss Marion Taylor, Miss Mabel Fairbanks, Miss Helen Foster Miss Carolyne Holmes and Mrs. Charles S. Adams. There were twelve tables. The first ladies' prize, which was won by Miss Fairbanks, was relinquished, she being the hostess, in favor of Mrs. William P. Chase, and the second prize was won by Miss Winifred Howard. The gentlemen's first prize went to Mr. Carrol Bates and the second to Mr. C. Frederick Howe.

Hospital Sunday.

Contributions to the City Hospital of Quincy:

Amount previously acknowledged,	$471 13
Clara B. Mowry,	5 00
John W. Nash,	2 00
Mrs. John W. Nash,	1 00
A friend,	25
H. C. Wright,	25
Total,	$479 63

A PACIFIC ADDRESS.

Kaiser Supports Disarmament Project Neutral In the Spanish War.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The reichstag was opened yesterday by Emperor William, who, after announcing the introduction of a series of social and labor bills, and the completion of the organization of the army, said that Germany's relations with all the foreign powers continued to be friendly, and that the principal object of his policy would be to contribute to the maintenance of peace. Therefore, his majesty hailed with warm approval the czar's magnanimous proposal for the furtherance of that object.

Continuing, the emperor referred to the assassination of the empress of Austria as being a savage and ruthless act which had caused him deep pain, and which had evoked the most sincere sympathy throughout Germany. Referring to the anti-anarchist conference at Rome, the emperor said the readiness with which the invitation had been accepted by the powers justified the hope that its deliberation would have practical results.

Alluding to the war between Spain and the United States, his majesty said Germany's neutrality was conscientiously and loyally observed towards both belligerents.

Then, dealing with colonial affairs, Emperor William pointed out the measures taken for the economic development of Kiou-Chou, declaring that while conscientiously respecting the well-acquired rights of third parties, the German government would direct its efforts to the further promotion of its economic relations with China, which are yearly growing more important.

The emperor concluded with referring to his visit to Palestine, saying he hoped the brilliant reception accorded him by the sultan and the Turkish people everywhere would prove to be of permanent benefit to German prestige and the national interests of Germany.

One of the first bills mentioned was an anti-strike measure, providing for the punishment of those who intimidate nonstrikers, but not interfering with the workmen's right of coalition.

There was a special passage devoted to the inspection of meat, on which subject his majesty said: "In order to avert the dangers involved in the traffic of unexamined meat intended for human beings, whether of home or foreign origin, the question of the general introduction of a system of inspection of both cattle intended for slaughter house and meat is being considered. The federal government's bill, relating to the subject, will, I hope, occupy your attention during the present session."

Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The first note of the anti-expansionists was sounded in the senate by Senator Vest of Missouri, who introduced a joint resolution declaring that under the constitution the federal government had no authority to acquire colonial possessions to be governed as such; but that all territory acquired by the government, except such as may be necessary for use as coaling stations, correction of boundaries and similar purposes, may be acquired with the purpose of organizing territories, suitable ultimately for admission into the union as states. Mr. Vest announced his purpose to address the senate on the resolution at an early date.

The house was in session less than half an hour, when the deaths of Representatives Northway of Ohio and Love of Mississippi were announced, and an adjournment was taken out of respect to their memory. The customary resolution for the distribution of the president's message to the several committees having jurisdiction was adopted and the deficiency bill, carrying the appropriations for the extraordinary expenses of the army and navy from Jan. 1 to July 1, 1899, was reported, and will be taken up by the house today.

Contempt Features Omitted.

Columbus, O., Dec. 7.—The supreme court yesterday handed down its decision in the contempt case brought by the attorney general against the officials of the Standard Oil company for refusing to produce their books at the recent investigation of the alleged violation of the orders of the supreme court by the trust. The court orders the books produced, but says nothing about the contempt features.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Fire in the Grand Opera House at Kingston, Ont., left that place of amusement a mass of ruins. Only a small portion of the walls remain standing. All the scenery and other appliances went up in smoke.

Fears are entertained for the safety of the schooner Pocasset, which was on the way to Amesbury, Mass., laden with 420 tons of coal.

V. K. & A. H. Jones, shoe manufacturers of Lynn, assigned. Liabilities, $130,000; assets unknown.

The American Sugar Refining company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 3 percent on the common and 1¾ percent on the preferred stock.

Malcolm L. McBride of Cleveland was unanimously elected captain of the Yale football eleven to succeed Captain Chamberlain.

The Rock Island refuses to exchange business with the Chicago Great Western.

A dispatch from Puerto Principe says the Cuban general, Lope Recio, will enter that city at the head of his troops, who will then lay down their arms and be dismissed. General Recio has furnished Brigadier General Carpenter, the American commander at Puerto Principe, with a list of his best soldiers, with the view of their being employed in police duty.

The naval board of construction has decided against the introduction of electrical appliances on warships beyond their present comprehensive use.

The government ordered that bills of indictment be returned against the men who drove United States Commissioner Bunting from Wilmington, N. C.

In response to appeals from the Spanish government the pope has sent to the papal nuncio at Madrid categorical instructions to remind the Spanish clergy that it is their duty to oppose Carlism.

The business portion of Weyauwega, Wis., has been burned. Twenty substantial brick buildings are in ruins.

Workmen engaged in clearing away the debris of the Baldwin hotel at San Francisco found the body of John J. Carter, the well-known eastern racing judge. This brings the list of dead up to five.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

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LOST—In Wollaston, a small Greyhound puppie, without collar. Return to H. E. FISKE, 17 Winthrop avenue.
Wollaston, Dec. 5. tf

LOST—A street Horse Blanket, between Neponset and Brewer's Corner, on Saturday evening, Dec. 3. The finder will be suitably awarded by leaving it with the Abbott & Miller Express. Dec. 5. 3t

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TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street.
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Quincy, July 15. tf

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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Essential Features of Peace Treaty Disposed of by Commissioners.

Outline of Proposals Thus Far Agreed Upon.

Matter of Coaling Stations and Religious Freedom In Carolines Still Unsettled.

Paris, Dec. 7.—The peace of Paris is practically an accomplished fact. Yesterday's session disposed of the essential features of the treaty, which will be embodied in the following eight articles:

First—The customary preface of treaties, in the nature of an expression of amity and of hope of perpetual peace.

Second—The relinquishment by Spain of her sovereignty over Cuba.

Third—The withdrawal of the Spanish troops.

Fourth—The relinquishment by Spain of sovereignty over Porto Rico.

Fifth—Spain's cession of the Philippines.

Sixth—The withdrawal of the Spanish troops there.

Seventh—Payment by the United States of $20,000,000 for the Philippines.

Eighth—The provision for the "open door" commercial policy in the Philippines.

The rough draft of the treaty, which may be considerably changed, covers these proposals. It makes a long document, which Senator Cushman K. Davis of the United States peace commission says will be found to be one of the most interesting papers of its character ever written. So completely are the details of the evacuation of the Philippines stipulated that a commission, such as arranged for the Spanish withdrawal from the West Indies, will be unnecessary. The Americans have agreed to transport the Spanish prisoners home, including the garrison and sailors at Manila, captured by Admiral Dewey, as well as the soldiers and civilians.

Among the questions not yet settled, however, are the coaling stations and religious freedom in the Carolines, the Spanish commissioners not having replied to the American offers.

Although the Americans have rejected Spain's request for free shipping for 10 years in Cuban and Porto Rican waters, they have given the Spanish commissioners such poor consolation as the latter may derive from the permission to reapply when diplomatic relations have been renewed for shipping concessions under the reciprocity scheme of the Dingley law, for which Senor Dupuy de Lome was negotiating in Washington when the war broke out.

There are still under discussion eight secondary subjects which the Spanish commissioners broached last week, including the status of patents and copyrights. The American commissioners yesterday handed Senor Montero Rios a written reply covering these questions.

There will be no joint session today, as the Spaniards desire time to consider this document.

Mortgage For a Million.

Torrington, Conn., Dec. 7.—The Torrington company has placed a mortgage of $1,000,000 on its property. The mortgage is held by the New England Trust company of Boston, and covers all the real estate and factory buildings owned by the company. The Torrington company is the old Excelsior Needle company, which increased its capacity a few months ago and assumed a new name. The filing of this document is a part of the proceedings incident to the formation of the new concern.

Mistaken For a Deer.

Waterville, Me., Dec. 7.—Dell Durgin and Fred Cates were members of a logging camp a few miles from Bingham, and started out in quest of large game. Cates started a deer and then lost sight of him, but followed in pursuit. Durgin had separated from his friend when entering the scrub growth. Cates seeing Durgin's grey coat through the bushes fired, the shot passing through Durgin's bowels. He was taken back to camp and a doctor pronounced the case helpless.

Welcome News.

Portland, Me., Dec. 7.—Collector Deering has received a telegram from Boothbay harbor announcing that the barges W. D. Becker and Thomas Parker are safe and sound there, and that the barge W. H. Alverson is ashore on Popham beach. These barges parted from the tug Katahdin during the hurricane early Monday morning. While no mention is made of the crews of the barges, it is safe to assume that they are all right.

Take Your Choice

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The Deutsche Warte says it learns on high authority that Germany will not acquire any of the Caroline islands.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Advices received from the American peace commission have convinced the authorities that Spain will not cede the island of Ualan, and they understand she will sell the entire Caroline group to Germany.

Examined Moore.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 7.—Drs. McQuesten, Conn and Gallinger, the commission authorized by the governor and council to examine into the condition of Dr. Joseph C. Moore, discharged their duty at the state prison yesterday. The result of their investigation will not be made known until it has been presented to the governor and council.

Still Doing Business.

New York, Dec. 7.—The Postal Telegraph company gave out a statement yesterday to the effect that the impression which seemed to prevail that the fire in buildings adjoining the Postal Telegraph and Cable company's building in New York had interfered with the transmission of business by that company is erroneous.

Treading on Spanish Corns.

Madrid, Dec. 7.—The semi-official Liberal regards President McKinley's message as "an additional affront by a discourteous conqueror," and adds: The whole country will protest against the repetition of the calumny in regard to the Maine.

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DEADLY EMPLOYMENT.

Three Men Unloading Gun Cotton Literally Blown to Atoms.

Fourth Man Succumbs to Shock of Explosion.

Government Officials Are at a Loss to Account For the Accident.

Boston, Dec. 7.—By a terrific explosion of electrical mines on Castle island four men were instantly killed yesterday afternoon. They are:

Ordnance Sargent Maurice McGrath.

Private Hiram Vaughn, company D battalion of engineers.

Peter Brennan, a teamster.

James A. Ryan, a laborer.

The men, with the exception of Sergeant McGrath, were literally blown to atoms. Not a vestige of them could be found save a few shreds of clothing among the debris.

Sergeant McGrath was about 300 feet away from the mine when it exploded, but was immediately killed by the concussion. His companions were handling the mine at the time.

The force of the explosion was felt in South Boston, buildings along the water front being badly shaken, and even in station 12, at the corner of K street, about 300 yards distant from the water's edge, the shock was felt.

The clerk there heard two explosions the second being of much greater force than the first. Although the number of mines which exploded cannot be determined, it is probably the first set off about half a dozen others in the immediate vicinity.

Lieutenant Raymond, who was in command of the work of destroying the mines, was at Fort Winthrop at the time of the accident, and the force of the explosion took him off his feet. The mines which exploded were of spherical shape, 32 inches in diameter, and contained 25 pounds of guncotton. One of these is sufficient to blow up a vessel.

The destruction of the mines has been in progress since the latter part of September and was nearly completed. After the mines had been removed from the harbor they were stored in the magazine.

Some had been exploded in the harbor; but as the iron plates on each mine are worth about $250, most of them were taken apart and the guncotton removed.

Yesterday afternoon the usual detachment of nine men was sent by Lieutenant Raymond to resume work. The detachment was divided into two gangs four men transferring the mines from the magazine to the sea wall, and five removing the contents. A low truck about 15 feet in length, with one horse, carried the mines to the sea wall, and before 1 o'clock, the time of the explosion, about 10 mines had been deposited along the wall. On the trip from the magazine three mines were carried on the truck, which had been backed against the wall. Then came the deadly shock. Only the horse's head and shoulders remained, and fragments of the three dismembered bodies were blown into the sea.

The officials are at a loss to explain the accident, as the mines were of the electrical sort, and supposed to discharge only upon the introduction of an electrical current. It is most likely that in removing one of the mines from the truck the men let it strike forcibly, producing concussion. The fact that the guncotton may have decomposed from long standing may have changed the explosive properties, so that mere concussion was sufficient to discharge it.

The five men who had charge of the destruction of the contents of the mine were intrenched in shelter works at the time of the explosion.

When a mine was to be destroyed it was hoisted by machinery over the sea wall, and then lowered to a raft in the water, where a mechanical device was employed to unfasten the plates, after which the contents were removed. This was accomplished without the necessity of men approaching the mine, and when the explosion came, these men were preparing for the destruction of a mine, which later was found intact. The shelter works were badly demolished by the explosion, but none of the inmates were severely injured.

Over 50 tons of guncotton had been destroyed since September, and only a few more charged mines remained. The removing of the mines' contents was carried on in the water away from the magazine, to avoid the risk of extensive explosions.

A large force of police were sent to the island with three ambulances; but at the bridge Lieutenant Raymond told them their services were not needed and refused them permission to cross to the island.

Lieutenant Raymond stated that his men were employed by the federal government, and the police or other civil authorities should not take a hand in the affair.

Engineer Hiram Vaughn lived in Syracuse. At the opening of the war he offered his services to the government and left college to join the engineer corps. His time would have expired in about two weeks. He is understood to have been engaged and would have been married at the completion of his college course, in another term.

Sergeant Maurice McGrath was married and had five children. His home was on the island, and he was in immediate charge of the work when the catastrope happened.

Many Thousands In Line.

Savannah, Dec. 7.—The farewell review of the Seventh army corps before its departure for Cuba took place yesterday. Sixteen thousand troops passed in review before General Lee. Besides the Seventh army corps the Third Georgia regiment, Second United States artillery and two light batteries from the Third, one from the Fourth and one from the Fifth and the First Maine artillery took part in the review. Troop A of the First Georgia cavalry—the famous Jeff Davis legion of the Civil war—formed General Lee's escort. Thirty thousand people witnessed the review.

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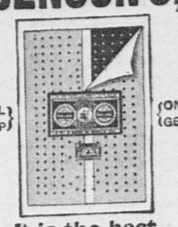

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M. except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy.)

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs. h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill, r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

HULL'S MILITARY BILL

Widely Differs In Many Respects to That Proposed by Miles.

Volunteers and Civilians Are Given a Chance.

Army of 100,000 Men to Be Scattered From the Antilles to Manila.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Representative Hull, chairman of the house committee on military affairs, yesterday introduced a bill increasing the regular army to approximately 100,000 men. The bill was framed at the war department and has the approval of the secretary of war. It is not the bill framed by General Miles, as this measure has not the high rank proposed by the Miles bill and some of the appointments are open to officers of the volunteers or from civil life. It provides for a lieutenant general and what is considered a sufficient increase of major and brigade generals to command an army of 100,000 men scattered from Porto Rico to Manila.

The artillery arm is reorganized, separating it into coast and field artillery, but promotion is to be by seniority of the whole army. A decrease of the enlisted men is made so that the army can be increased by recruits in case of war to full strength. The cavalry is increased two regiments, the infantry five. The enlisted strength of an infantry company is not to exceed 145, so that in case of war new regiments would have to be formed probably, all of which would be volunteer, but the regular army would make a substantial first lien. The bill provides for the three battalion formation. The staff corps are increased about 40 percent and, with the exception of the adjutant general, inspector general and ordnance, are open to appointments from the volunteers or civil life.

The most noticeable change is that in the medical department, in which provision is made for a hospital corps of 3000 privates with the necessary non-commissioned officers, with a largely increased number of surgeons and assistant surgeon.

All officers and men serving in the sub-tropical countries are to have an increase of 25 percent in pay. Under the immediate control of the president, inhabitants of the new countries may be enlisted in the organizations there serving. The bill gives a total of 14 regiments of artillery, 12 of cavalry and 30 of infantry.

Chairman Hull's bill is cast on entirely different lines from General Miles' bill. The Miles bill is based on the theory of one soldier for 1000 population, while the Hull bill is based on the idea of a total force of 100,000, the organization being constructed so as to reach that total. General Miles provides for a general and for two lieutenant generals, while the Hull bill makes no provisions for a general and has but one lieutenant general.

Other important differences are: Hull bill, 30 regiments of infantry; Miles bill, 50 regiments of infantry. Hull bill, 12 regiments of cavalry; Miles bill, 15 regiments of cavalry. Hull bill, a corps of artillery; Miles bill, 14 regiments of seacoast artillery and two regiments of field artillery.

The Hull bill in its first section sums up the reorganized army as follows: One lieutenant general, 6 major generals, 12 brigadier generals, 12 regiments of cavalry, a corps of artillery, 30 regiments of infantry.

An adjutant general's department, an inspector general's department, a judge advocate general's department, a quartermaster general's department, a substinence department, a medical department, a pay department, a corps of engineers, an ordnance department, a signal corps, 30 post chaplains, the chief of the record and pension office; the offices of the army on the retired list, the professors, corps of cadets, an army service detachment and band at the United States military academy, and such other officers and enlisted men as may hereinafter be provided for, are also included.

The regimental organization of the artillery arm of the army is discontinued, and that arm is designated as the corps of artillery. The distinction between coast and field artillery is similar to that in the Miles bill, but more elaborate in detail. The Atlantic division of the coast is defined to include the Atlantic and the gulf seaboards and the coast of the Great Lakes, "and shall ultimately include the coast line of the West Indian possessions of the United States." The Pacific division is defined to include the Pacific seaboard, "and shall ultimately include the coast line of the various possessions of the United States in the Pacific ocean."

The corps of artillery embraces 144 batteries of coast artillery and 24 field batteries. Each regiment of infantry consists of 12 companies, organized into three battalions of four companies each. The company strength in addition to commissioned and non-commissioned officers is 112 men. In various staff corps express provision is made that persons who have served as officers in the volunteer army in the war with Spain and persons in civil life may be appointed to various specified grades.

Section 16 is as follows: Organizations serving in Cuba, Porto Rico and the islands of the Pacific may, in the discretion of the president, be recruited in whole or in part from the inhabitants thereof, to whom the legal restrictions upon enlistments in the army as regards term of service, age, citizenship and educational qualifications shall not apply, and who shall be entitled to such pay and allowances not exceeding those now authorized as the president may direct.

Anti-Scalping Bill Passed.

Washington, Dec. 8.—No business was transacted by the senate yesterday in open session. A few minutes after the senate convened it went into executive session. At 2:15 business in open session was resumed. The deaths of Representatives Northway of Ohio and Love of Mississippi were announced and the senate adjourned as a mark of respect to their memories.

The house passed the anti-ticket scalping bill by a vote of 119 to 101. This action is the culmination of a 10 years' struggle on the part of the railroads to put an end to the business of ticket scalping. The interstate commerce commission first called attention to the subject in its report of 1888, and it has been before congress ever since in one form or another. During the last session extensive hearings were given both to the representatives of the railroads and the scalpers, and Mr. Sherman of New York secured 174 pledges for the measure. It was, however, deemed inadvisable to bring the measure forward until the present session. The debate yesterday lasted four hours and was spirited upon both sides. None of the amendments offered were adopted and the bill passed as reported by the committee.

Disposition of War Fund.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The manner in which all war funds were spent is told in detail for the first time in letters sent from all the departments and bureaus to the house committee on appropriations and made public as part of the report on the urgent deficiency bill. Of the emergency national defense fund of $50,000,000, the navy department got the largest amount, viz., $29,973,274. The navy has a balance of $275,000 of this fund.

The war department expenditures of the emergency fund amounted to $13,951,303. The state department received $293,000 in five allotments from the emergency fund. Of this amount the sum of $100,000 has been transferred to the bankers for this department at London for the use of the peace commission at Paris, and $30,000 was advanced to the disbursing officer for the commission prior to its departure for Paris.

Assistant Secretary Spaulding writes concerning the treasury's expenditures of the emergency fund: "Allotments of $10,000 for investigating the administration of civil affairs in Porto Rico have been made to this department, all of which will probably be expended. An allotment of $75,000 for expenses of commission of inquiry into the conduct of the war has also been made to the treasury department, of which $20,000 have been advanced to the disbursing agent of the commission. How much more will be required the department is unable at this time to state."

Capitol Notes.

The coat of arms of the sunken Spanish battleship Cristobal Colon is a splendid specimen of bronze work, and, if its size will admit, it will be placed upon exhibition in the large reception room of the secretary of the navy.

Commander H. E. Nicholls has been detached from the Mare Island navy yard, and ordered to command the monitor Monadnock.

Senator Perkins called at the White House, and, on behalf of the California delegation in congress, presented to the president a number of strong remonstrances against this country's entering into any reciprocal agreement with Greece by which the currants and raisins of that country would be admitted free or at a rate less than at present. The contention is that these currants and raisins come into direct competition with the California product.

General Merriam has orders from the war department to muster out the troops of the Utah cavalry and the Utah light artillery.

The report of the navigation commissioner advocates the creation of American merchant marine.

Senator Elkins introduced bills extending the laws of the United States relating to customs, commerce and navigation to the Hawaiian islands, and to Porto Rico. Honolulu is designated as the port of entry for Hawaii, but the port for Porto Rico is not named. The commissioner of navigation is authorized to make regulations for the nationalization of vessels owned by residents of the islands.

The Washington Post says that the question of Senator-elect McComas' eligibility will be inquired into on the ground that he was not a resident of Maryland when his election occurred.

At a meeting of the river and harbor committee, Representative Barton of Ohio was elected chairman to succeed Mr. Hooker of New York, who recently resigned from congress to accept a judgeship. As a rule the speaker of the house names all chairmen, but in this case the selection was left to the committee under an old precedent.

A parcels post treaty between this government and Chili was concluded yesterday by Postmaster General Smith and Senor Vicuna, the Chilian minister. It is still subject to ratification by the Chilian congress.

The Castle Island Explosion.

Boston, Dec. 8.—From evidence accumulated yesterday regarding the explosion at Castle island it appears that it was not only one mine that exploded, but several, as well as three barrels of dynamite, making in all some 1300 pounds of high explosive that was discharged. Each of the mines contained 250 pounds of gelatine of 90 percent, and the barrels contained each 125 pounds of dynamite, 75 percent being nitroglycerine. An idea of the power of these explosives may be gained when it is known that but 14 percent is all that is used of either for blasting and other purposes.

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HOPES IT WILL BE REJECTED.

Boston, Dec. 8.—At a meeting of the Anti-imperialist league executive committee yesterday a letter was read from John Sherman making interesting statements regarding the acquisition of the Philippines, and closing as follows: "My hope is that the senate of the United States will reject the treaty and leave the people of the islands free from the shackles of Spain and the distant domination of the United States. I sympathize with Aguinaldo in his ambition to found a republic, and hope he may become the Washington of a new nation, absolutely free from European and American influence."

Germany In No Hurry.

London, Dec. 8.—The Berlin correspondent of The Times, who denies that Germany is negotiating for the acquisition of the Carolines, says: A certain sentimental desire exists in the public mind on the subject, but the government has not yet ascertained the views of the United States regarding it, and will do nothing until it knows the final form of the peace treaty between the United States and Spain.

Miller Leads.

New York, Dec. 8.—The scores of the 15 leaders in the bicycle race at 1 a. m. were: Miller, 1150 miles, one lap; Pierce, 1138.2; Waller, 1146.7; Albert, 1141.1; Stevens, 1108.6; Gimm, 1039.9; Nawn, 1069.1; Lawson, 1018.1; Hale, 1012.6; Aronson, 902; Forster, 958.8; Schiner, 944.1; Joyeux, 938.8; Julius, 963; Pilkington, 867.29.

Loss of $155,000.

Danbury, Conn., Dec. 8.—The extensive hat factory of John W. Green & Co., one of the largest in the city, was completely destroyed by fire last night. The loss will be upwards of $150,000; insurance, $110,000. Four hundred men are thrown out of employment and 4500 dozen hats in the rough are destroyed.

Four Men Buried Alive.

West Superior, Wis., Dec. 8.—Four men were buried by a cave-in of the coal docks here, and, although efforts are being made to rescue them, they will undoubtedly be lost. They were fighting against a coal fire on the docks.

The Swat Valley Campaign.

Bombay, Dec. 8.—Fighting has been renewed in the Swat valley between the Mad Mullah and the forces of the Mawab of Dir. Forty were killed on each side.

Mr. Cleveland's Views.

Princeton, Dec. 8. — Ex-President Grover Cleveland was interviewed yesterday on the new policy of the United States, and dictated the following for the press: "Without going at all into details, I wish to say that I am ardently opposed to every feature of annexation and expansion policy. The public ought to know pretty well what my convictions are from the Hawaiian question during my administration. I have not changed my mind and remain opposed to all this annexation, from Hawaii to the Philippines."

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:02; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—2:34 a. m.
Full sea—7:15 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.

The weather is again fair in all districts. The barometer is high except in the northeast, where it is rising. The indications for New England are fair weather through Friday, and probably Saturday, with generally freezing temperature; westerly winds.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The New Time, a Chicago reform magazine, has been consolidated with The Arena of Boston.

Cubans in Havana are pleased by the president's attitude as to the future government of the island.

The United States cruiser New York, which left Newport News on Dec. 3, has arrived off Havana harbor.

It is reported that the Turkish cavalry will be increased by 25,000 troopers on the advice of Emperor William.

The Freeport (Me.) stone quarry, formerly the property of E. B. Mallet, was sold at auction to William L. Noyes for $2000.

New Jersey Episcopal clergymen demand that Brigham H. Roberts, congressman-elect from Utah, be unseated because he is a poloygamist.

The opening session of the New Hampshire conference, Epworth league of the Methodist church, attracted a large number of delegates at Suncook.

James Dunn and Martin Riley, both in the light weight class, fought six scientific rounds at Fall River. The men finished fresh. No decision was announced.

The members of the Chinese foreign office are greatly perturbed at the French ultimatum regarding the missionary held prisoner by the Szechuan rebels.

The quarterly meeting of the Home Market club was held at Boston. The present secretary, Albert Clarke, and the treasurer, Beverly K. Moore, were re-elected.

The anger of the Dowager Empress of China at Kang-Yu-Wei, the Cantonese reformer, is said to have culminated in a secret order to capture Kang-Yu-Wei at all costs.

Dell Durgin, reported as having been shot Sunday by Fred Cates near Bingham, Me., being taken for a deer, is still living, though his wound is such that the surgeons are unable to operate for fear of death.

The body of a man in a good state of preservation was found on the shore near Provincetown. There was a rubber boot on one foot and the rest of the clothing indicated it to be that of a sailor, probably from one of the wrecked schooners.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	40	26	37	34
Monday	50	33	54	40
Tuesday	41	33	40	56
Wednesday	40	34	40	50
Thursday	34	43	43	39
Friday	—	39	50	52
Saturday	—	38	56	48

New Advertisements Today.

C. B. Underwood—Dentist,
Mortgagee's sale.
Auction sale of real estate and furniture.
Bosson Branch Grocery.
Purse lost.

Good Afternoon.

It was a Wildfire victory.

It is time that a STOP was put to the opening of new trenches for sewer construction. The experience on Bigelow street should be a warning.

The action of Brockton in giving such an overwhelming "No" majority after one year's trial, or rather seven months' trial of license, is evidence enough which is most desirable for a city, license or no license. The vote against license was nearly two to one: No, 4724; Yes, 2592. It is safe to say it will be many years again before Brockton again votes license. It was a lesson by which Quincy may profit, and may account for the increased "No" majority in this city.

The Herald intimates that Councilman-elect Bryant will probably put up a good fight for the presidency of the next City Council of Quincy. Most of the present Councilmen are re-elected for next year and we doubt very much that they will make any change. President Pinkham is an improvement upon his predecessor in many respects, and enjoys the respect and confidence of all the members. It would be a mistake to make any change, and we do not believe any will be attempted.

The greatest victory on the No-license question, save with one exception that of 1888 when Quincy decided to become a city, was gained Tuesday when a majority of 932 for no-license was recorded. It simply means that the citizens of Quincy have put themselves on record in no uncertain tones upon this question, and mean to forever banish the saloon from our midst. Quincy has proven its respectability and its cleanliness; it has preserved its honor and dignity, and a vote such as was polled means that its people do not desire our fair city disgraced nor dishonored by the miserable business of the liquor traffic. Our people now look to our new chief executive that their will and desires may be carried out and enforced, and this is most emphatically true on the no-license question on which a most decided attitude has been taken.

Death of School Teacher.

The death of a recent school teacher of Quincy at Provincetown is reported. Miss Elmira Curtis Mayo, after being graduated from the Normal school at Bridgewater, taught first at Whitinsville and then at Quincy. She came to the Coddington in September, 1894, and at the opening of the Massachusetts Fields school was tansferred to that building. Last April she relinquished her duties because of ill health and went to the hospital for treatment. For some months she has been at her home in Provincetown, and a great sufferer. She died on Tuesday.

J. Murray Forbes' Will.

There was no public bequests in the will of the late J. Murray Forbes of Milton. The will was offered for probate in the Norfolk County Probate Court before Judge White at Dedham on Wednesday. There is no contest over the will, but owing to the fact that there are 16 codicils, a crowd of witnesses were on hand to attest their own signatures and that of the testator and other witnesses. The executors of the will are Nathaniel H. Stone and J. Malcolm Forbes, both of Milton, and the bond is fixed in $2,000,000. The bonds are the second largest ever offered in the county.

Y. M. C. A. BANQUET.

Business Men and Friends Entertained Last Evening.

The annual Business Men's banquet of the Quincy Young Men's Christian Association was held Wednesday evening at the rooms of the Association and was not only largely attended but was a success in every way.

From 6.30 to 7 o'clock there was an informal reception in the parlors of the Association, during which musical selections were rendered by an orchestra.

The banquet was served in the gymnasium at 7 o'clock and it only needs be said that this was in charge of the Ladies' Auxiliary for an assurance that it was a success.

After divine blessing had been invoked by Rev. Edward Norton, Mr. T. King who presided, gave the word "to attack," and for the next half hour the turkey and other good things set before those present rapidly disappeared.

This over Mr. King spoke briefly, saying in part that every man ought to have an object in life. He also spoke of the power of good from having an object. This institution means to put an object into the lives of the young men, so that they can make more of themselves. To transmit power you have got to belt it, but the power of a purpose needs no belting, but you have to give a clean purpose and then if you come in contact with a young man you will transmit it. In every other department there has to be a loss where the power is created. But God has so made it that we gain more power where it is created and transmitted to others.

The first speaker introduced was Mr. George L. Richards of Malden, who by his pleasant address almost immediately gained command of his hearers. The reason of this organization, said Mr. Richards, was the third person whom we are against. The young men are a part of a community and the interests of a community are the interests of home and church. Banks, business houses and clubs are all very well, but how about the young men, the character and future of the community. This institution represents what you want for the future the building up of character for the young men. The fact that young men in our high schools are learning to smoke cigarettes and acquiring the habit of drinking, and that they are not attending church, bring to us facts, and we are compelled to recognize the question, what are we to do for the future of our young men.

He then spoke of the growth of the Association, which was founded in 1844, but then with no definite form. Twenty-five years ago it took a form for the upbuilding of young men. It means the bringing together of all to work for the best, forming a bulwark to battle against sin which is always united.

From 1873 to 1897, property increased three fold, the number of Associations increased from 344 to 1,020 the membership from 60,000 to 250,000, the money expended for current expenses from $400,000 to $2,400,000 and an increase in buildings to $18,000,000. This shows that it is recognized as valuable by business men all over the country.

In closing the speaker said the Association represents the binding together all these Christian elements, with the one object in view that the community shall have a future dedicated to God.

Mayor Sears was received with an outburst of applause, and in opening he thanked all for their sympathy (laughter). He expected to find crow before him instead of turkey (laughter.) Continuing in a more serious strain, he said, that he fully agreed with all the previous speakers had said, for you cannot have a good city unless you have good moral young men. Anything that tends to improve the morals of young men, tends to make better young men and is to be assisted and encouraged. Anything that tends to take the mind away from things that threaten him is for their good. He commended Mr. Richards words, and in closing said, we ought to do what we can for the Association, and trusted that in the future as in the past we will put our shoulder to the wheel.

Mr. A. D. Albee likened himself to the rockets that were sent up between the more elaborate set pieces. Something mut be done for the young men and something must be crowded out of the business life to do it. He then spoke briefly of the work of the Association.

Mr. William B. Oliver, the first representive of the Massachusetts Association on the Chicamauga camp, spoke of the work of the commission in camp and how much it had accomplished.

How when the gauntlet was thrown to Col. Pew, of the 8th Massachusets, the canteen disappeared and a barrel of distilled ice water took its place. The Association was something that filled the place between drills and after parade. He also spoke of the great work of the Association in the camps and how many of the boys in blue thanked God for the thought in sending the Association to the camps.

Mr. R. M. Armstrong State Secretary of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, spoke of the work of the Association as a whole. It was a bulwark in every community and the citizens should give cheerfully to its support. He alo spoke a good word for an Association building.

Delcevare King, president of the Association, spoke of the financial problem of the Quincy Association and of the good work of Secretary Hoehn in reducing the expenses without decreasing its efficiency. But a small part of the budget was received from membership and he hoped the business men would respond readily when he called for contributions.

Walter S. Pinkham, president of the City Council, said the Council recognized the work that the Association was doing, and it was taken into account when the school budget was made up. The Association did a good work in its Young Men's Congress, for it trained the young men for debate as well as to give a discussion of local questions. He suggested that the Association again take up this work.

Edward Southworth spoke of the good work of Secretary Hoehn. There were few who worked more than he.

Ex-Councilman Nathan G. Nickerson, who was introduced to speak for the ladies' said he was one of the rockets that it was not intended to send up. He proposed a vote of thanks to the ladies of the Auxiliary, and all ladies who helped make this banquet a success.

This vote was unanimously passed by a rising vote.

Rev. E. N. Hardy said it was not often that he had the privilege of speaking before Kings and magistrates. He then told of his visit to the coal mines of Pennsylvania and compared the burning mine, the undeveloped vein and the development in handling the coal to young men. The Association is trying its utmost to put out the fires and endeavoring to stir up the power in the young men. It was a pleasure to meet here to build up the city. The church needs more business in it and the business needs more church in it.

This closed the evening's exercises which had been full of enjoyment for those present.

Among those present were: Mayor Russell A. Sears, Amos D. Albee, G. L. Richards, Theophilus King, R. M. Armstrong, Rev. Edward Norton, W. F. Cummings, William B. Oliver, George T. Magee, Councilman E. E. Jameson Commissioner C. F. Knowlton, Albert L. Hayden, Albert C. Bowers, A. L. Melcher, J. S. Sparrow, George W. Nash, A. N. Weeden, W. S. Williams, Julius Johnson, Edward Southworth, C. H. Penniman, H. W. Lawton, S. F. Newcomb, E. O. Cockayore, R. S. Elliott, A. W. Stetson, Frank W. White, Rev. W. W. Dornan, H. Walter Gray, Dr. J. A. Gordon.

Dr. H. C. Hollowell, Dr. C. R. Johnson, Ernest R. Gourd, L. F. Crowell, Ex-Councilman John R. Graham, Representative T. H. Newcomb, George E. Thomas, Delcevare King, W. R. Lofgren, Rev. E. N. Hardy, Charles Sampson, Dr. C. T. Sherman, Herbert W. Pinkham, H. A. Rideout, Alex. Marnock, Andrew Milne, John L. Miller, George H. Brown, President Walter S. Pinkham, of the City Council, Dr. A. H. Gilson, Simeon Scannell, Charles H. Field, Q. A. Faunce, J. Q. A. Field, Councilman Alex. Clark, Prof. J. H. Marceau, Rev. W. H. Rogers, F. W. Crane, H. E. Crane, W. C. Sampson,

John H. Lyons, C. Clifford Bradford, James Smith, Jr., William F. Hoehn, W. H. Prescott, T. H. Kingston, William P. Tanner, E. S. Tenney, ex-Councilman N. G. Nickerson, Franklin Jacobs, Herbert W. Beattie, William H. Mitchell, John J. O'Hara, A. F. Hayward, Richard McConnell, C. H. Stackpole, H. H. Hill, L. E. Peters, D. E. Wadsworth, William Patterson, Willard Kay, ex-Councilman Jonas Shackley, A. S. Barnes, F. H. Crane, William H. Fay, R. C. Allen, Theodore Gullickson.

TODAY'S COURT.

George W. White was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued two weeks.

The continued case of Gustave B. Bates for libel was called and at the request of Dr. Jones of the Board of Health was continued until next Monday.

The continued case of Albert T. Hollingshead, for non-support at Braintree, was called, and he was discharged, as it was a case for the Probate court.

The liquor seized from H. K. Cushing at Weymouth was forfeited.

Bert Otis Taylor was arraigned upon four complaints, three for larceny viz, a watch from H. G. Fay, a watch from G. A. Loring, a ring, watch, two chains and a five dollar bill from Jennie M. Wild, and one for assault with a pistol on James Dady at Quincy. These cases were all continued until next Tuesday.

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Editors of the Daily Ledger:
Dear Sirs:—The ex-schoolmaster rode on to victory. The Miller ground his "grist."
Dec. 7, 1898.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Edward F. White had a design patented this week.

Mr. H. A. Jones of Wollaston will spend the winter in New York.

A patent was issued this week to Henry A. Williams of this city.

Mrs. Louis Rinn has moved into the Howe house on Squantum street.

Mr. N. V. Titus, who has been so ill at his home in Squantum, is convalescent.

A building is being erected on Washington street at the corner of Arnold street.

The Committee on Finance and Sewers of the City Council meet Friday evening.

The large old elm tree in front of the Dr. French estate is being cut down today

Mrs. George C. Coleman of Atlantic street has returned from an extended visit in Malden, New York.

The City Council will give a hearing next Monday evening on the removal of tracks from Adams street.

Passengers on the Washington street line have to change cars at Canal street while the work on the culvert is in process.

Miss Grace D., the eldest daughter of J. L. Miller who has been dangerously sick the past two weeks, is somewhat better today.

It has been rumored that Mayor Sears would ask for a recount of the votes. His Honor, however, says that he has no such intention.

A lecture on the war is to be given at the Quincy Point church next Wednesday evening by the Rev. Edward Anderson.

A resident of Quincy Neck fired off fire crackers Tuesday night in honor of Sears election, thinking he was elected, but it did not take long for him to find out his mistake.

Mr. Thomas J. Berry of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has recently made his home with his son at Atlantic, died Wednesday in his 80th year. He was a veteran fireman of Brooklyn.

The Sewer department opened two more new trenches on Hancock street this morning. One between Alleyne and Greenleaf streets and the other near the junction of Hancock and Adams streets.

The Quincy candle pin team won two out of three strings from the Weymouths Wednesday night by scores of 431, 412 and 405, to 429, 405, and 442. It will be seen that the Weymouths led on totals, 1,27 6 to 1,248.

The electric light impostor "inspected" about every house in Wollaston that used electric lights. At Mr Henry G. Fay's and Mr. George A. Loring's houses at the park he secured a watch from each. No other loses were reported.

The calf which interested the school teachers Tuesday evening was twice lost. The first time between Quincy and Atlantic, and that time it was two ladies who befriended the animal until someone volunteered to take it to the lockup. It was the intention of the school teachers to take it home.

Another Quincy boy an officer in Uncle Sam's Navy. Charles L. Carter of Atlantic, has been appointed paymaster's clerk on the U. S. S. Wilmington. The Wilmington at the Norfolk Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va., but is expected to leave this month for the South Atlantic Station.

The small pond at the corner of Chubbuck and Washington streets is frozen over and the small boys are enjoying themselves. This place could be flooded without injury to any one, and as there are objections to flooding the South street marsh why not give the boys and girls a chance to skate here.

George H. Wilson has an exhibit in one of his show windows that will serve as a reminder of the boys of Co. K who are now in camp at Greenville. The exhibit which was brought home by Hospital Sergeant Matthews consists of tobacco leafs, cotton pods and samples of the earth at Greenville taken from Co. K street, also hard tack such as the Co. K boys feed upon.

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MARY WENT.
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TAYLOR ARRAIGNED.

His Father Says He Believes Him Insane.

Three Cases of Theft Against Him in Court.

Is Wanted Elsewhere, and Has Served Term in Jail.

Bert Otis Taylor, the bogus inspector of wires arrested on Wednesday after a stern chase, which was fully reported in the Ledger of that date, was arraigned in court this morning upon four complaints, charging him with the larceny of a watch from H. G. Fay, a watch from G. A. Loring, assault with a loaded pistol on James Dady, and the larceny of a ring, watch, two chains, and money to the value of $265, from Jennie M. Wild. To all of these complaints the fellow pleaded not guilty.

Before there was any hearing Taylor's father addressed the court, and said there was no question but what the boy was insane and should be sent to an asylum. He did not think he was accountable for his acts, and that jail was not the place for him. He asked to have the case continued that he might be examined as to his sanity.

The court, however, decided to hear the evidence and then, if the evidence warranted, to continue the case.

The first case heard was the assault on James Dady. Dady testified that the fellow came through the yard where he was, with a crowd behind him. As the fellow was about to jump the fence I grabbed him by the leg, at which the fellow drew a revolver and threatened to shoot. I let go and the fellow disappeared over the fence.

The testimony showed that the crowd followed him down Coddington street, through Newcomb street to Canal street, where he was overhauled by Roderick McNeil. When McNeil stopped him the fellow again threatened to shoot, McNeil, however, drew his plyers and pointed them at Taylor who then surrendered. Constable Furnald then arrived and took charge of Taylor.

George A. Loring testified that the fellow called to his house and said he had been sent there to inspect the electric light wires. Mr. Loring permitted him to go through the house and some time after he had gone a gold watch was missed. He identified Taylor as the party who called at his house.

H. G. Fay testified that the fellow came to his house to inspect wires. That his wife went with him until called away. When he came home he thought it strange and consulted the Electric Light people, and learned that they had sent out no inspector. He then returned home and made investigation to see if anything was missing and discovered that a gold watch kept for a keepsake was gone.

Mrs. James R. Wild testified that Taylor came to her house Wednesday and wanted to inspect the wires. Her daughter went through the house with the fellow and then returned down stairs. The fellow afterwards went upstairs alone and soon returned. While Taylor was still in the house she went up stairs and found her diamond ring gone. She accused the fellow then, to which he replied "You surely do not suspect me, I am a detective." He then showed a badge and pair of handcuffs. Mrs. Wild told Taylor that she did not care anything about that, but she wanted her ring. The fellow denied taking her ring but offered to give her a small diamond ring which he wore on his little finger. This convinced Mrs. Wild that the fellow was a thief and she started to put on a cloak to go for assistance when he hastily left.

She then rushed out and notified a passing team, and the chase was started that resulted in Taylor's capture.

Mrs. Wild identified the property taken from Taylor at the police station as that taken from her house.

An Inspector of the Cambridge police, who was present in court said that Taylor was released from jail in November and that he was wanted in a number of places for similar work to that done in Quincy.

The case will be continued next Tuesday.

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A Knoxville, Ten., firm has received an order for 500,000 pounds of dried apples for the German army.

DIED.

BERRY—In Atlantic, Dec. 7, Mr. Thomas J. Berry, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 79 years.

MAYO—In Provincetown, Dec. 6, Miss Elmira Curtis Mayo, formerly of Quincy, aged 29 years and 4 months. Funeral services Sunday at Provincetown.

BROCKTON SAVED.

Phenomenal No License Victory and Great Rejoicing.

There was rejoicing at Brockton election night. The Enterprise starts off its report of election as follows:

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow," chimed out the bells on the First Congregational church, last evening just after the clock had struck 9, and the words were echoed in the hearts of thousands in the city. The chimes and the other church bells which followed with their clangy tones to a happy pitch were sounding praises for the result of the vote on the no-license question. The voters of Brockton after seven months of license had decided by a heavy vote, which was particularly emphatic because of the size of it, that they did not want the saloons here any longer than they have to stay under the vote of a year ago. This was why the bells rang, Roman candles sputtered, bombs burst, horns were blown and a brass band led a cheering parade of jubilant victors.

The Times of Brockton says editorially: "The voters of Brockton have in a manner not to be mistaken shown their preference for the old conditions to those which came with the introduction of license. Thus by a vote exceeding the most sanguine expectations of the believer in no-license the city sounds the death knell of license here after the first of May. It was an overturn that leaves no mistake of the opinion of the people after an experience of seven months with a policy that was foisted upon the city by a very narrow margin a year ago.

"The sentiment of the city is and has been strongly no-license. It was only a political accident that gave the victory to the license forces a year ago by a very slender margin. On a full vote that result could not have been accomplished then; but there was an over-confidence displayed by the friends of no-license, who believed that a policy to which the city had adhered so long was in no danger of reversal. They awoke to find that the opposition had stolen a march upon them and had placed the city in the license ranks for a year at least. Whatever the indifference then displayed, ample atonement was certainly made yesterday, when license was buried by such a majority as 2,132, which exceeds any majority ever achieved for no-license here.

"Thus the city swings loyally back into the no-license column, and the logic of yesterday's vote is that it will be many years before it again departs from a policy so long associated with the name of Brockton. The victory achieved is cause for devout congratulation."

The Brockton Enterprise says editorially: "It was a phenomenal overturn—we recall nothing like it in the history of the license vs. no-license fight of any city. It showed that the city of Brockton, after giving the saloon a trial, was disgusted with results. It was an emphatic protest registered against the drunkenness, the necessity for hundreds of arrests, the change in the atmosphere of the city, generally, that have been so conspicuous in the history of Brockton in the past seven months. The license cause worked its own downfall. It was too "popular" while it lasted. Like other crazes, it fairly burned itself out. The hard work of the advocates of no-license had a strong effect without doubt—it had much to do with the victory. But the voters would probably have turned the tide away. The enormous majority on the dry side shows that there was a landslide on the no-license side that no human power could have averted. Still, the work of the no-license people made the result sure and increased the size of the majority. They deserve a great deal of credit, and they have a right to feel joyous over the remarkable and astonishing result."

The Boston Journal adds: "Brockton will long serve both as a warning and an encouragement to other communities in which the license question is hotly contested; as a warning, because of the extremely narrow margin by which it was carried into the license column a year ago; as an encouragement, because of the splendid majority by which it was on Tuesday won back again for no-license."

Souvenir Night,

December 9th, 1898, to be held in MUSIC HALL, QUINCY. The opening night for the course of 5 Grand Socials and Ball to be given by the T. R. & S. A. A., will be noted as being a souvenir night. Every one being present on that evening will be presented with a souvenir stick pin made of the best Tubular Rivet and Stud that can be manufactured and will be fit for either Lady or Gent as an ornament. Don't forget the place or date, Music Hall, Quincy, Dec. 9, 1898.

Tickets for the Socials, Gent and Lady 50 cents. Extra Lady 25 cents. Season Tickets, Gent and Lady $3.00. Lady $1.25. Ball Tickets, Gent and Lady $1.00. Extra Lady 25 cents. The Season Tickets admits to the Socials and the Ball. Tickets for sale by the members of the Association and also at Durgin's Drug Store, Quincy.

Quincy, Dec. 2. 1-6t—p-1w

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WAS IT WOLLASTON?

Wollaston Supporters of Mayor Sears Takes Exception.

A Wollaston Republican who supported Mayor Sears for reelection takes exceptions to the statement that Wollaston defeated him, and points to the fact that Wards Five and Six were the only wards which increased the vote of Mr. Sears over 1897.

He further points to the actual loss in Wards Two and Three in particular. At the same time he would not have it understood that he was pleased with the Wollaston vote. He was disappointed in it. The disaffection was not caused wholly by one man, either, but dissatisfaction among several.

The following summary shows majorities for the Mayoralty candidates both in 1897 and 1898. Last year Mr. Sears carried six of the eight precincts, and this year but five:

	1898.		1897.	
	Keith.	Sears.	Hodges.	Sears.
Ward One,	0	61	0	93
Ward Two,	0	8	0	64
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	33	0	0	15
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	0	9	0	88
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	159	0	225	0
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	107	0	2	0
Ward Five,	0	62	0	135
Ward Six,	0	111	0	132
The City,	45	0	0	300

Another table may be more interesting. It shows first the increase in the ward vote, and second the net gain or loss for Mayor Sears by wards. About half the increase in the total vote was in the Wollaston ward and the whole of it to a vote went to Mayor-elect Keith.

Atlantic with an increase of 30 in total vote gave most of them to Mr. Keith.

Precincts one of Ward Four, in a smaller vote, gave Mayor Sears more and Democratic candidate less, a net gain for Mr. Sears of 66.

The Quincy Point ward did not get out so many votes, but Mayor Sears lost 25 or more that he had last year.

In Ward One allowing that all the increase in the vote went to Mr. Keith, the net change from Sears was but 5.

In both precincts of Ward Three and in precinct two of Ward Four the disaffection was the greatest, particularly in the West Quincy precinct, where the change was upwards of 44.

	Increase in Total Vote.	Gain for Sears.	Loss for Sears.
Ward One,	22	0	32
Ward Two,	*7	0	56
Ward Three, Pre. 1,	23	0	48
Ward Three, Pre. 2,	10	0	79
Ward Four, Pre. 1,	*28	66	0
Ward Four, Pre. 2,	17	0	105
Ward Five,	73	0	73
Ward Six,	30	0	21

*Loss.

But a further analysis of the Wollaston vote shows that the five Republican candidates at large for the City Council received from 304 to 362 votes and there were 338 blanks while Mayor Sears received but 279 and there were only 10 blanks. That the Democratic candidates at large received from 50 to 180 votes, the highest to a Ward Five man, while Mr. Keith received 215. That for Ward Councilmen the Republicans received from 314 to 362 votes with 200 blanks while Mayor Sears received but 279. That the Democratic candidates received from 38 to 168, while Mr. Keith received 215. Surely Wollaston dd not give Mr. Sears the Republican strength.

In Ward One William E. Badger was the only candidate at large for Councilman to receive more votes than Mayor Sears, and he was the only Republican in Ward Two. In Precinct one of Ward Three, Badger and Clark were the only Republicans to lead Mr. Sears, but in Precinct two all the five Republicans led him by from 22 to 57 votes. In precinct one of Ward Four Mr. Badger was the only Republican to lead Mr. Sears, while in precinct two all the Republicans led by from 21 to 86. In Ward Six none of the candidates at large of either party received as many votes as Mayor Sears.

Heavy Bets.

Sporting blood asserted itself at the factory of the T. R. & S. Co., Tuesday, in the form of betting on the result of the election. In consequence the Keith men are more than jubilant, for the total of winnings amount to close onto three hundred dollars. The largest winner was Mr. Gray, who put $40 in his vest pocket as a result of his placing. Some won $25 and from that down to $2. The heaviest looser is out $35 and is a member of the Atlantic fire department. Such is politics. Too bad.

Unity Club, Wollaston.

The meeting Friday evening will be in charge of Rev. Mr. Bagley. Subjects and Essayist and Musicians.

The Medici,	Mrs. John Litchfield
Marco Polo,	Mrs. W. E. Simmons
The Monastery of Pavia,	Mr. W. G. Corthell
Andrea del Sarto, (his pieces) and Della gallery at Florence),	Madonnas and altar Robbins (the organ
Music. Verdi,	Miss Annie Lingley Miss Lucy Hayes

Music will be furnished by Mrs. Page and Mr. Arnold.

Not to be Left at Home Alone.

Tuesday night being the date for the regular monthly meeting of the Wollaston Yacht club some of the members' wives thought to outwit their husbands by meeting at Mrs. A. T. Barstow's to enjoy a secret game of whist. Mr. Barstow was not to be outwitted and after the meeting at the club disclosed his suspicions to the members present, whereupon they in a body made their appearance at Mr. Barstow's residence in time to find the ladies enjoying a very dainty lunch and all were at home. This had the effect of prolonging the general good time which preceded the event of the evening. Miss Carrie F. Jennings won first prize and Miss Lillian Smith second. Among those present were: Mrs. A. T. Barstow, hostess, Mrs. William M. Chase, Mrs. Charles Marr, Mrs. G. S. A. Gardier, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. A. H. Polk, Mrs. Fred Hayes Mrs. C. E. Page Miss Lillian Smith, Miss Carrie F. Jennings, Miss Susie Dorety, Miss Ella Dorety.

Pilgrim Fathers.

In regard to the new lodge of the order of Pilgrim Fathers soon to be instituted in this city, it is not perhaps generally known that there is a quarter rate or $500 policy which costs from 25 to 45 cents per month, according to age. Quite a number of ladies are taking advantage of this $500 policy, it being much cheaper protection than ordinary insurance, besides it entitles them to all the benefits socially and otherwise of full rate members. There are also sick benefits connected with the order to be adopted or not as the colony wills. The U. O. P. F., which will be twenty years old March next, ranks as one of the foremost fraternal orders in New England. The organizer, J. P. M., Clough, 177 Washington street, will be pleased to mail circular with full explanations.

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National Granite Bank.
QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.
THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.
R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Frank A. Noyes to the Wollaston Co-operative Bank, dated July 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 792, page 469, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the premises therein described, on FRIDAY, the 30th day of December, 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, viz.:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, called "Montclair" and being Lot numbered Fifty-one (51) on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated March 16, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 664, and bounded: Northerly by lot numbered Fifty-two (52) on said plan, one hundred eighty-six 4-10 (186.4) feet; easterly by a curved line at the junction of Montclair avenue and Pope street, fifty-six and 46-100 (56.46) feet; southerly by lot numbered Fifty (50) on said plan, one hundred eighty-four and 3-10 (184.3) feet, and westerly by land of owners unknown twenty-five (25) feet, containing seven thousand five hundred and fifteen (7,515) square feet, being a part of the same premises conveyed to said Frank A. Noyes by Arthur D. McClellan, by his deed dated Oct. 12, 1896, and recorded with said deeds, Book 770, Page 564, and being subject to the restrictions therein set forth.

The premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes thereon. $100 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the sale; other terms to be made known at the sale.

THE WOLLASTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
Mortgagee.
By Herbert W. Pinkham, Trea's'r.
Walter S. Pinkham, Solicitor,
5 Tremont street, Boston, Mass.
Quincy, Dec. 8. 8 15 22

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LOST—PIGSKIN PURSE containing eleven dollars and unused 50-trip ticket to Boston, between Whitney road and station, at 8.10 A. M. Wednesday. Finder please leave at PATRIOT OFFICE. Suitable reward.
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FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street.
Nov. 9. tf

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TWO Seated Sleigh in good order. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street.
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TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street.
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Quincy, Oct. 8. pi tf

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A. L. BAKER,
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Quincy, Dec. 6, 1898. 5t

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About Puffs.

There are more kinds of puffs on earth than we ever imagine. First of all and worst of all is the newspaper puff, anybody can tell it at a glance. It doesn't sound honest. It sounds as if the man who wrote it didn't mean a word of it and used as many glowing terms to cover up his real opinion as possible. Then there's the puff that woman, woman fair (sometimes not so fair), uses to put powder on her face with, and any of the Co. K boys could tell you that they are more afraid to face that puff of powder than a shoot of powder in battle. Then there's the puff that many a man gives his own goods, particularly the cigar dealer who smokes. Then there's the ten thousand 50c. Puffs that a Boston Bluff is selling in Sunday's newspaper at 39c., and the two thousand just like them that we sell at 25c. made from the same silks with the same linings, in the same factories, by the same people. Some of the Quincy stores would call these good values at 50c. "How is it?" Well, we found we were getting rich too fast (and as we once before told you, we want to make our pile gradually) and so decided to cut down our profits and give it to you in the neck, and to show you what the Cheap Store (as everyone calls us) means by lowering her profits, we beg to state that we are showing over two thousand bright new Ties in all the shapes and styles at 25c. The best of them being the kind you pay 50c. for. The next grade at 19c. are the kind the Quincy stores ask you 23 and 25 cents for.

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PARADED WITH ARMS.

Cubans at Santiago Disobeyed United States Regulations.

How President's Message Is Viewed In Havana.

Cubans Claim Successful Result of Garcia's Visit to Washington.

Santiago, Dec. 8.—Yesterday was the anniversary of the death of General Antonio Maceo, and was celebrated among Cubans in Santiago. A memorial service was held in the morning in the cathedral, which was crowded. Less than two years ago the same cathedral witnessed a te deum sung by the same choir in celebration of Maceo's death. Then the cathedral was draped with Spanish colors. Yesterday the entire edifice was draped in black, interspersed with a few Cuban emblems.

Considerable annoyance was occasioned to the United States authorities by the fact that some 75 men, Cubans, marched the entire length of St. Thomas street, armed with rifles and machetes, although all Cubans are well aware that such conduct is strictly against the regulations, armed bodies, other than United States troops, not being allowed.

The offenders in question did not ask permission to march armed, and their intention was not made known to the American authorities. Indeed the cathedral had been reached before the fact was reported to headquarters.

Colonel Bascom, who is chief in command here during the absence of General Wood, immediately called upon the mayor regarding the affair, and was by him referred to Colonel Garcia, who sent an orderly directing the immediate appearance of the offenders at headquarters.

Meanwhile the armed squad had fired three volleys, many ball cartridges striking the upper portions of the cathedral, and causing the bell ringers hastily to desert their post.

In less than a quarter of an hour an officer from the Fifth immune regiment arrived at headquarters with a message from Colonel Sergant, stating that several bullets had struck his tent and other points, and asking information as to the cause. Colonel Garcia said he was under the impression that the men used blank cartridges, and that the United States authorities had been notified of the intention of a number of men to march armed in connection with the celebration.

Colonel Bascom reported that he knew nothing of it, and that the Cubans had evidently done their best to conceal their purpose. He then ordered Colonel Garcia not to allow his men to attend the evening procession armed, and said he would permit the continuance of the morning celebrations only on the distinct understanding that there was to be no more firing. The reason the offenders were not arrested was that they were within the cathedral limits at the time.

An overflow meeting was held in the theatre, with music and speeches, none antagonistic to the Americans. After enthusiasm had been pretty well aroused a procession of 5000 people paraded through the principal streets to the house where Maceo was born, and formally affixed a brass tablet, commemorative of that event.

News From Havana.

Havana, Dec. 8.—The local press shows a sharp division in the comments upon President McKinley's message to congress. El Pais and La Lucha find an analogy between the message and the joint resolution of April last, constituting, in their opinion, proof that the United States government is "really determined to carry out the promises solemnly contracted before the world."

On the other hand, El Diaro de La Marina, La Union Avisador, El Comercio, La Union Yberia and El Leon Espanol see in the message a veiled admission that the president's policy is to occupy the island for an indefinite period, with a view of ultimately annexing it. These papers loudly denounce the passage in the message which urges co-operation and assistance in every possible form for the social and moral construction of the island in order to enable the people of Cuba to govern themselves. The idea of qualifying the Cubans to administer their own affairs is represented by this section of the press as "an insult and an ominous warning."

From Cuban headquarters the announcement is made of the successful result of the visit to Washington of General Calixto Garcia and his colleagues, composing the special deputation from the Cuban assembly recently in session at Santa Cruz Del Sur. It is also announced as a further outcome of the commission's efforts that the Cuban troops are soon to be disbanded with at least one year's pay. This solution of the military problem is hailed with loud applause, as affording those who were made poor by the revolution an opportunity to get funds enough to return to their labor in the fields and to lay the foundation of honest livelihood.

Mr. Gould, who has been distributing the Bratton's relief supplies, has returned from his trip to Matanzas, Cardenas, Sagua, Caibarien, Santa Clara and Santo Domingo. He reports great suffering and want all over the island. While distribution of the present supplies will relieve distress in certain quarters for a time, he deems it imperative that further shipments should be made at once. In every case Mr. Gould has solicited the co-operation of the local authorities in the different towns and villages, and he has derived great assistance from them.

All statues of Spanish royal personages now in the public parks will soon be taken down for shipment to Spain.

Change of Base.

New York, Dec. 8.—It is stated that Alexander L. Manly, the colored editor who was compelled to leave Wilmington, N. C., on account of the publication in his paper of an editorial reflecting upon the white women of the south, and who has since resided in Asbury Park, N. J., has decided to publish his paper, The Record, in New York hereafter.

DEFECTS IN WAR REVENUE.

Attorney General Griggs Recommends That They Be Corrected.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The annual report of Attorney General Griggs was yesterday submitted to congress.

The war revenue act, he says, has been especially productive of doubtful questions, and many instances of advice and direction to the commissioner of internal revenue relative to different features of that statute will be found in the report of that officer. The attention of congress is respectively called to them in order that that it is deemed necessary or advisable congress may correct any defects or inequalities in the law which the interpretations of the department of justice have made.

During the recent war a total of 56 vessels were brought into various ports and libeled as prizes. Of this number 50 were taken to Key West, within the jurisdiction of the southern district of Florida; four were taken to Charleston, one to Savannah and one to New York. All but eight of the 50 cases brought in the Florida district have been heard and decided, those still undecided being cases of capture during the latter stages of the war.

The amount realized from the sale of captured vessels and cargoes condemned as prizes is $701,034. In 10 cases appeals have been taken on the part of the claimants to the United States supreme court from the decree of the district court and are now pending.

The atention of congress is called to the necessity of providing a more complete and adequate form of government for Alaska. The efforts to administer justice and maintain order in the territory, with the large accessions of population that have recently gone into that region, restricted by the very limited machinery provided for Alaska in its original sparsely populated condition, are attended with great difficulty and embarrassment. The power of congress to provide a form of government adapted to the peculiar conditions of this territory is undoubted.

The machinery of justice is entirely inadequate. There should be an increase in the number of judges, the number of United States commissioners and United States district attorneys. The powers of Unitd States commissioners in that territory should be increased so as to enable them to hear and conclude minor cases of both civil and criminal nature, with right of appeal to the territorial district court. Much complaint arises from the operations of the fee system in connection with the office of United States commissioner. I recommend that a change in the method of compensating these officers be made, so that their compensation shall be paid entirely by a fixed salary and all fees covered into the treasury.

Exc tab'e Frenchmen.

Paris, Dec. 8.—An exciting incident took place last night at the opening of the new Opera Comique, which replaces the structure recently destroyed by fire. The house was inaugurated with a performance of "Dame Blanche," in the presence of a brilliant audience, including, Mr. Faure, and all the leading diplomatic, artistic and literary notabilities in Paris. President Faure's arrival was signalled by shouts of "Vive l'armee," which were answered by shouts of "Vive Picquart." The rival crowds came into collision, and there was some fighting.

Marseilles, Dec. 8.—M. De Pressenz, foreign editor of The Temps, addressed a large meeting here last evening on the Dreyfus affair, pointing out the necessity for revision. A number of collisions and fights took place and some 20 persons were slightly injured. The police made several arrests.

Died From Exposure.

Lexington, Mass., Dec. 8.—The body of Mrs. Annie C. Wyman was found in her house yesterday, and it is believed death was caused by exposure. The body was on the floor, face downward, and lying near the outside door, which was open. Mrs. Wyman was last seen alive Sunday. She lived alone and was somewhat eccentric, which accounts for her absence being unnoticed. Medical Examiner Blake is of the opinion that Mrs. Wyman, who was 70 years of age, fell to the floor while returning from the shed on Sunday, and not being able to gain her feet or summon assistance, died from exposure on account of the door being ajar.

A Bad Man.

Boston, Dec. 8.—Charles Lambert, one of the Bay State soldiers just mustered out, is locked up in the city prison, charged with breaking and entering the house of his mother and stealing property valued at $100. There are two other charges of breaking and entering against him. Lambert has served a five years' sentence in state prison for throwing a lighted lamp at a woman in the West End, a term in the house of correction for larceny, and has been in the house of correction at Deer Island for minor offenses. Lambert is 33 years old. He served in the First regiment of the heavy artillery.

Suicide by Asphyxiation.

Providence, Dec. 8.—Miss Eliza Chapin, 21 years old, was found lying dead upon her bed in her room in her father's house yesterday. The room was filled with illuminating gas. The young woman had evidently left her bed and turned on the gas, undoubtedly for the purpose of destroying her life. She then threw herself upon the coverlet and awaited the effect of the poisonous fumes. When found she had been dead some time. Mr. Chapin said he knew of no cause, other than temporary mental aberration, for his daughter's act.

Criticising Gage's Report.

London, Dec. 8.—The Times this morning, protesting editorially against Secretary Gage's "exclusive maritime policy" and expressing a hope that congress will not endorse it, says: We regard with the heartiest feeling of sympathy, and without a tinge of jealousy, the development of the imperial spirit in the United States; but it must not be supposed that we are prepared to approve the adoption of an exclusive policy in regions in whose destinies we might have claimed a voice.

Pleaded Not Guilty.

Philadelphia, Dec. 8.—William Steele, cashier of the wrecked Chestnut Street National bank, was arraigned before Judge Butler in the United States district court yesterday, and pleaded not guilty to the charge of having made false entries in the books of the bank.

PERSONAL ADVANTAGE

Considered More Than Government's Honor In Canal Dealings.

Nicaragua Should Be Held to Her Promise.

Uncle Sam's Consent Must Be Gained Before Forfeiture of Concession.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Senator Morgan has notified the senate of an amendment to the Nicaraguan canal bill, authorizing the immediate issuance, with a guarantee by this government of $5,000,000 in bonds for the redemption of all outstanding stock, except that held by the governments of Nicaragua and Costa Rica, and the cancellation of all obligations.

He also submitted a report dealing exclusively with the fact that the government of Nicaragua has granted a concession to construct a canal to another company than the Maritime Canal company. The report upholds the rights of the Maritime company for the present, and for an extension of its concession for 10 years more.

It arraigns the conduct of the republic of Nicaragua, as well as that of the American citizens securing the new concession, in the most severe terms, attributing the course of Nicaragua to jealousy of Costa Rica, and that of the concessionaires to a purpose to "obstruct a great national policy in selling out to a trans-continental railway company for the defeat of a supposed competitor."

"It would be well," the report says, "for the reputation of those concerned in thus dishonoring governments for their personal advantage, and using their powers to create jealousies between states, if it could appear that their conduct is not also corrupt."

The committee adduces, as a justification of the new report, the seriousness of the situation, saying on this point:

"The serious consequences likely to result to the United States from this unprecedented and unwarranted action of the late government of Nicaragua, and the evident purpose to force our government into payment of a large sum as compensation for the future consent of the republic of the United States of Central America to the creation of a maritime canal through the San Juan river and Lake Nicaragua, requires the committee to present the grounds on which it insists that this proceeding is without any support in law, justice or equity, and that it violates the hitherto cordial relations of the United States with Nicaragua."

The report takes issue with the contention that Nicaragua owns both banks of the San Juan river, declaring that Costa Rica has equal rights since the arbitration of President Cleveland as the owner of one bank of the stream. The report states that in making the concession of right of way granted by Nicaragua no mention was made of Nicaragua's claim, rendering it incumbent upon Nicaragua to put the canal company in possession of the channel of the river.

"Here," the report says, "was a breach of agreement for which the canal company has paid $150,000, that entitled the company to the return of the money and other damages. It also imposed on the United States the duty of compelling the redress due them if redress had been sought."

The report contends that the circumstances of the concession point to the fact that the concession provides for a charter to be granted to the United States.

"In this attitude," the report continues, "the duties and the responsibilities of Nicaragua are very high, if they do not even rise to the dignity of solemn pledges, and consequent sovereign responsibilities to the United States, whose intervention is sought in the chartering of the corporation."

It is then set forth that the United States is a party to the measure of building the canal at the instance of both Costa Rica and Nicaragua, and it is claimed that the consent of this country is also necessary to any proceeding on the part of Nicaragua looking to the forfeiture of the concession.

"Nicaragua," the report asserts, "cannot repeal an act of congress, which dedicates the canal and its concessionary incidents to a corporation chartered for such great purposes."

The report says that the concession provides for the submission of any dispute to arbitration, and it is claimed that this provision operates to prevent any arbitrary action on the part of Nicaragua.

Dwelling on Nicaragua's course in the matter, the report says:

"How this unexampled condition is to be dealt with otherwise than by an expressed and determined attitude on the part of the United States, is a question that carries with it the danger of serious embroilment in the near future. If Nicaragua is not held to the performance of her agreement, years will elapse and many dangers will be encountered before even a start can be made toward the construction of the canal.

Hobson Going to Manila.

New York, Dec. 8.—Assistant Naval Constructor Hobson will go to Manila to superintend the raising of the sunken Spanish war vessels. He has not yet given up hopes of successfully raising the Colon, but is doubtful whether the navy department can be induced to go to further expense in this work.

On a Peaceful Mission.

Hong Kong, Dec. 8.—General Riowodidios and Dr. Losadajlua, representatives of the Filipino junta, started yesterday for Washington under instructions to "endeavor to remove misapprehension and suspicions and cultivate the friendliest relations with the American government and people."

Two Perished.

Wadena, Minn., Dec. 8.—The Central House here was burned Tuesday night. All the guests in one wing were obliged to escape through the windows. Two bodies, burned beyond recognition, have been recovered. Several persons were seriously injured. The property loss was small.

Preparing to Leave.

Havana, Dec. 7.—The Official Gazette yesterday published a decree signed by the governor general, dissolving the colonial cabinet on Dec. 15, assuming personal control of all branches of the civil service and directing the present secretaries to prepare, between Dec. 15 and Dec. 31, complete inventories of their departments, to arrange all the archives, to classify all the documents in their respective office and to figure up the payrolls up to Dec. 31, in order that the employes may be immediately paid off. The archives bearing upon local administration are to remain here.

Was Incendiary.

Portland, Me., Dec. 7.—William H. Harrington of Boston, one of the surveyors of the board of fire underwriters who has been investigating the fire on custom house wharf, which for a time threatened a large section of the water front during the gale early Monday morning, says it was of incendiary origin. There is no clue to the fire bug.

Searching Spanish.

Havana, Dec. 7.—The seperatist papers continue to publish articles insulting the Spanish residents, telling the latter to leave the island or else prepare to be hanged. Many Spanish families are leaving the interior towns, fearing that the insurgent forces will take possession of them before the arrival of the American troops.

The public schools teach almost every known branch of study but the one most important branch of all. What does it profit your son if he has an intellect like a Newton, and is mentally an Admiral Crichton, if he has a weak and puny body and not the remotest idea of how to care for his health? A boy should be taught from the start that his health is his most precious endowment. Without health, all the talent, all the genius, and all the ambition in the world are worthless. A boy should be taught that success in any walk of life, that happiness, and life itself, are dependent upon his care of his health.

When a man feels that he is losing his health and vigor, when his cheeks no longer glow, his step is no longer elastic and the sparkle of health is no longer in his eyes, he should work less, rest more and resort to the right remedy to restore his bodily vigor. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a natural medicine—a scientific medicine. It does no violence to nature. It works with and not against nature. It promotes the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It imparts vitality and power to the whole system. It gives plumpness and color to the cheeks, sparkle to the eyes, steadiness to the nerves, strength to the muscles and the animation of health to the whole body. It makes the appetite keen and hearty. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve-tonic and restorative. Medicine dealers sell it and have absolutely nothing else "just as good."

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We want you to call and examine references of people you know—people we all know, who would not vouch for ABSORPTION had they not been cured. Ask for references marked H.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.56, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy.)

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Eastern District.

On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba	9 49	r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba	10 49	r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30 cba	11 49	r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30 cba	12 49	r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30 cba	1 49	r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30 cba	2 49	r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30 cba	3 49	r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30 cba	4 49	r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00 cba	5 19	r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17 da	5 36	r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba	5 49	r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba	6 19	r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17 da	6 36	r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba	6 49	r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba	7 19	r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 05	7 30 cba	7 49	r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba	8 53	r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba	9 49	r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba	10 53	r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba	11 49	r

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r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba	12 49	r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba	4 49	r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	5 30 cba	5 49	r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba	6 49	r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba	8 53	r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba	10 53	r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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1 Faxon Block, Quincy, Nov. 29 — Near the Depot. 1m

About Puffs.

There are more kinds of puffs on earth than we ever imagine. First of all and worst of all is the newspaper puff, anybody can tell it at a glance. It doesn't sound honest. It sounds as if the man who wrote it didn't mean a word of it and used as many glowing terms to cover up his real opinion as possible. Then there's the puff that woman, woman fair (sometimes not so fair), uses to put powder on her face with, and any of the Co. K boys could tell you that they are more afraid to face that puff of powder than a shoot of powder in battle. Then there's the puff that many a man gives his own goods, particularly the cigar dealer who smokes. Then there's the ten thousand 50c. Puffs that a Boston Bluff is selling in Sunday's newspaper at 39c., and the two thousand just like them that we sell at 25c. made from the same silks with the same linings, in the same factories, by the same people. Some of the Quincy stores would call these good values at 50c. "How is it?" Well, we found we were getting rich too fast (and as we once before told you, we want to make our pile gradually) and so decided to cut down our profits and give it to you in the neck, and to show you what the Cheap Store (as everyone calls us) means by lowering her profits, we beg to state that we are showing over two thousand bright new Ties in all the shapes and styles at 25c. The best of them being the kind you pay 50c. for. The next grade at 19c. are the kind the Quincy stores ask you 23 and 25 cents for.

QUINCY CLOTHING CO.,

Quincy's Cheap Store,

Next Door to Music Hall.

ONE-TON ORDERS

Have been the making of this Coal business. Hundreds have ordered "just one ton to see if there was any difference." They found there was and they came again. Our one-ton orders have been our best advertisements. It's a better Coal at the same price, with the proof in a sample ton. When in doubt, try Patch's.

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MILLINERY.

Grand MARK DOWN SALE of CHOICE MILLINERY

All our Choice Imported Patterns at Half Price.

A full line of good shapes in Felts for 25 cents. Former price, $1.00.

Also a full line of all silk Ribbons in all colors, for fancy work, at the lowest prices. Bows made free of charge.

Bargains in Black Plumes, 12 inches long, for 25 cents.

All Hats trimmed free of charge during this sale if materials are purchased here.

E. B. COLLINS,

4 Faxon Block, Quincy.

Nov. 16. 3m lpo

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

DEPLORED BY CUBANS.

Acts of Vandalism Declared Not to Be Due to Race Feeling.

Preacher Praises the Work of General Wood.

General Satisfaction With the Promises Contained In President's Message.

Santiago, Dec. 9.—The Cubans here are generally excited over Wednesday's proceedings, resulting from the commemoration of the death of Antonio Maceo, particularly at the fact that bullets reached the camp of the Fifth immunes, which proves that the shots were not fired by the Cubans who fired volleys in the air from the public square here. Those shots only damaged the cathedral slightly. It now seems that the bullets which damaged the tents of the Fifth immunes came from a different party of insurgents, near the trocha, who were also celebrating.

Regarding the action of the three drunken Cubans who entered the Spanish club and smashed chandeliers and furniture, which building in five days becomes the property of the Anglo-American club, the Cubans say they deeply deplore the outrage, and do not think it fair to look upon it as a race act. The San Carlos club intends to hold a meeting and to tender an apology to the Spanish club. The police are blamed for not making any arrests.

Colonel Beacom, acting military commander here, accompanied by the chief of police, personally arrested Juan Castillo yesterday. He is a captain in the Cuban army, and was the man who led his two negro companions into the club. Castillo, who is well connected, objected to going to jail, and offered his card instead. Colonel Beacom, however, was obdurate. Castillo was finally released on his own recognizance. The Cubans disavow all connection with his act, and there is talk of expelling him from the San Carlos club.

There has been great rejoicing in connection with the fete of Purisima Concepcion. Wednesday's mourning emblems were exchanged for glorious decorations in the cathedral, and sorrowful music gave way to joyous. Abbe Bernardo preached an eloquent sermon to a congregation that crowded the cathedral. He is one of the best preachers in Cuba, and, in inspiring words, he called upon all Cubans to rejoice at the termination of 400 years of cruelty, extortion and misery, and to show their gratitude to the United States for the happy consumation. He eulogized General Wood, saying that he rejoiced to hear that General Wood's name had been sent to the United States senate with a recommendation that he be raised to the rank of major general. "And I can only hope," said the preacher, "that General Wood's name will be sent a week later with a recommendation that he be appointed a lieutenant general, and made governor general of the island of Cuba during the American military occupation."

The Independencia, an enterprising local sheet, published 500 words of telegraphic resume of President McKinley's message to congress, which is the topic of conversation at all the clubs and other centers of interest. With the exception of the extremists, the party advocating the immediate freedom of Cuba and the establishment forthwith of a Cuban government, all factions are apparently well satisfied with the promises of the message regarding the island.

The United States cruiser Cincinnati and the United States refrigerating ship Glacier, which arrived here from Caimanera on Tuesday, are awaiting orders. The Cincinnati has been sufficiently repaired for her present service, but cannot be completely repaired here. It is expected that she will be ordered north, while the Glacier will probably go to Porto Rico, thus leaving the converted yacht Hist as the sole representative of the United States navy in these waters. A revenue cutter is badly needed for various purposes.

Took Twelve Ballots,

Albany, Dec. 9.—The jury in the Cody blackmailing case, after being out 25 hours, failed to reach an agreement and has been discharged. To the question put by the court when the jury came into court at 6:20 p. m. yesterday, as to whether there was any possibility of reaching an agreement, Foreman Van Bergen said that it was beyond all reasonable consideration. Mrs. Cody was remanded to jail. The jury took 12 ballots. On the first ballot it stood 8 to 4 for conviction and on the last 9 to 3 for conviction.

Seeing the Sights.

West Point, N. Y., Dec. 9.—The government steamer General Meigs yesterday brought to West Point President Iglesias of Costa Rica and his party. At the landing they were met by officers and a troop of cavalry. A salute of 21 guns was fired, and the guest was shown through all the public buildings. Afterwards President Iglesias received and inspected the battalion of cadets. The party returned to New York by train.

Samoan Politics.

Auckland, N. Z., Dec. 9.—The following advices were received here yesterday from Samoa: The supporters of Mataafa having elected him king, certain chiefs lodged a caveat, which the chief justice has decided in their favor. It is now understood that Tamasese will be nominated.

SHORTAGE OF ACCOUNTS

Blamed on Lieutenant Logan of the Eighth Massachusetts Regiment.

Boston, Dec. 9.—The Globe prints a dispatch from Lexington, Ky., saying that there is a shortage in the accounts of the John Blair Gibbs hospital, recently discontinued, which will amount into the thousands, and Lieutenant Logan of the Eighth Massachusetts regiment, who was the quartermaster, may have to make it good.

Large quantities of supplies were stolen from the hospital during its last days, and Lieutenant Logan failed to make a memorandum of the articles reported stolen by the ward masters. He ported stolen by the ward masters. He tried to hold the ward masters responsible for the loss of the things which disappeared from their respective wards, but he did not go about it in the right way, and they left without settling, and he, being without memoranda, has the brunt to bear.

Major Edgar A. Mearsh, who was the surgeon in charge, and Lieutenant Logan have been kept here by the war department to straighten out the tangle.

Because of the inability of Lieutenant Logan to settle, about 50 negro scrubbers and washerwomen have not been paid. There is owing to these about $4000 for work done.

Lieutenant Reynolds of the Eighth Massachusetts regiment, who was assistant quartermaster and commissary, employed these negroes, and they are looking to him for their pay. Lieutenant Reynolds is in Cincinnati prosecuting in the United States court H. H. Hambrick and his son, who are charged with stealing some of the blankets and other things taken from the hospital.

The officers are innocent of any wrong doing, save neglect to hold the ward masters responsible for losses of government property, and they are doing all they can to bring the thieves who stole the property to justice.

A Lowell Investigation.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 9.—An investigating committee held a session last night, the object being to examine into the circumstances of a bill of $186 made out in the name of Edward D. Murphy for work alleged to have been done on a schoolhouse, approved by the committee on accounts last June and paid July 10, but which went through the committee without the approval stamp of Superintendent of Buildings True. When this was brought to the attention of the latter, about a week ago, by the city auditor, he stamped it. The committee were all present, as well as the city solicitor, Murphy also being present, but Superintendent True failed to appear. The affair has occasioned a great deal of talk.

Boston's Telephone Fight.

Boston, Dec. 9.—Very little opposition to the establishment of a rival telephone company in this city was developed at the aldermanic hearing yesterday. It was expected that the existing telephone company would fight the new concern, but it did not. The new company presented a petition signed by well known and wealthy Massachusetts men, who said that if the petition was granted they would join in the organization of the company.

Stay In Picquart Court Martial.

Paris, Dec. 9.—The court of cassation yesterday ordered a stay of proceedings in the Picquart court-martial. Several of the newspapers here assert that the court of cassation has examined the secret documents in the Dreyfus affair, and it may be that the action in the Picquart case resulted from this examination.

TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW NIGHT

And each day and night during this week you can get at any druggist's Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, acknowledged to be the most successful remedy ever sold for Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma and Consumption. Get a bottle today and keep it always in the house, so you can check your cold at once. Price 25c. and 50c. Sample bottle free.

12 Cabinet Photographs ARE 12 Christmas Presents.

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Adams Building, Quincy

Dec. 3. tf

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ADAMS BUILDING OVER POST OFFICE. QUINCY MASS.

POINTS ALL SETTLED.

Peace Treaty Now Awaits Engrossment and Signatures.

No Coaling Station For Us In the Carolines.

Prediction That the Philippines Will Stir Up Strife In Europe.

Paris, Dec. 9.—The peace treaty is finished. The Spaniards have declined to grant most of the requests of the United States which were unsettled at the beginning of the session. They refuse to cede a coaling station in the Caroline islands to the United States.

They will meet again in formal session, tomorrow or Monday next, when the Spanish commissioners, sorrowfully, and the Americans, with feelings of relief, will place their signatures upon the document which embodies the results of the war, and the preparation of which has consumed 11 weeks, a longer time than the war itself. In the meantime the treaty will be engrossed under the supervision of Mr. Moore and Senor Ojeda, the secretaries of the respective commissions.

The Spaniards are exceedingly bitter over the result, though observing the forms of friendliness and courtesy to the end. Senor Montero Rios, whose strong and persistent struggle to save for his country every possible asset from the wreck of her colonial empire has commanded the respect and admiration of his opponents, went from the council chamber yesterday to his bed, in a state of complete collapse, as the result of the long strain and his chagrin over the small fruits of his efforts. Senor Ojeda has been prostrated since Wednesday and was unable to attend the joint session yesterday.

The Spaniards charge equal blame upon the European powers and the United States for their downfall. One of the Spanish commissioners said last evening: "The European nations have made a great mistake in deserting Spain and leaving her to spoliation by the brute force of a conscienceless giant. They all know that in the Philippines America has taken more than she can digest. She will ultimately sell the islands to England or Germany, and, when the transfer is attempted, it will precipitate general European strife.

"We have refused to sell any island in the Carolines. We never thought of considering an offer; nor have we consented to negotiate upon any questions excepting those directly involved in the protocol signed at Washington."

Major Hopkins, military aid to Secretary Alger, has started for Savannah to take passage on the transport Mobile for Havana. The Mobile is the first of the big steamers to be fitted out especially as a troop transport, and it is the object of Major Hopkins to make a thorough inspection of the workings of the vessel on her first voyage.

The members of the commissions say the treaty will contain little outside the scope of the Washington protocol and the matters directly based thereon, like the provisions for the evacuation of the ceded territories, the transfer of public property therein and guarantees of the safety of the property and rights of the Spanish citizens remaining there.

The details of the last class of questions covered by the statement which the Americans handed to Senor Rios at the last meeting were considered yesterday, but all the commissioners refused to divulge the details of the conference. Several points upon which they were unable to agree were left open for diplomatic negotiations.

The Spaniards refused to admit that they had failed to respect former treaties guaranteeing religious freedom in the Caroline islands, or that there was a necessity for new guarantees.

The conclusion of the work was, according to the commissioners, marked by politeness and all outward evidences of good feeling and relief at the fact that the task was accomplished.

When all the propositions had been discussed, Judge Day, president of the American commission, remarked: "There seems to be nothing more to do but to engross and sign the treaty." Senor Rios, president of the Spanish commission, acquiesced to this, and the Americans bowed themselves out before the Spaniards, according to their custom.

A Madrid dispatch says: The strongest comments are made upon the little disposition the United States have shown to respond to the Spanish demands for a prompt release of the 11,000 Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Tagalos and a restitution of private and official deposits now lying in the colonial, official and judicial deposit banks. Everything seems to show that the last stage in the negotiations has taken a turn hardly calculated to pacify Spanish public opinion or to facilitate for a long time to come the renewal of friendly relations between the two governments. Most of the newspapers favor the idea of selling the Carolines and other possessions of Spain in the Pacific to Germany or to other European nations willing to pay a better price than the United States.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	40	26	37	34
Monday	50	33	54	40
Tuesday	41	33	40	56
Wednesday	40	34	40	50
Thursday	34	43	43	39
Friday	27	39	50	52
Saturday	—	38	56	48

New Advertisements Today.

Furniture mover wanted.

Good Afternoon

It will not be easy to secure the removal of the street railway tracks on Adams street, although the abutters may attend the hearing in large numbers. The new location through Alleyne street is not only more circuitous but is more dangerous. Then, again, the people of Alleyne street have rights equal to those of Adams street, and the place for street railways is on the main thoroughfares like Adams street, and not upon a narrow side street like Alleyne street. There seems to be no good reasons for the change. If the people on Adams street beyond Presidents' bridge desire to avoid the street railway they can ride through Goffe and Dimmock streets and the new streets recently opened on the west side of the railroad.

The general public think it rather "too thin" that the plea of insanity should be raised to save the bogus wire inspector, Bert Otis Taylor. Unquestionably he is a dangerous character to be at large, but he should be confined in some place more secure than an insane asylum. It is time, also, to restrict tramps, beggars and bogus peddlers. The housekeepers of the city, almost to a woman, feel unsafe unless they keep their outside doors locked at all hours of the day as well as night. Even then they are frightened or worried by rough appearing tramps, and suspicious rag men who would exchange their ware for old clothes. These latter are only looking for something to steal. Many of the peddlers are indignant when they are refused admission, and terrorize the women. Men should endeavor to better protect the women. Cannot the police department of the city give some relief along these lines?

Frauds Numerous.

Supt. B. J. Weeks and Dr. Fred Jones of this city were witnesses on Thursday at the trial of Joseph S. Zimmerman at South Framingham. Although the charge was vagrancy, Zimmerman is a much wanted man by the street railway companies all over the country and officials of many roads were at the trial. Evidence was allowed which showed that Zimmerman had obtained money under false pretenses from many electric roads by the so called "grab handle" game. In Quincy the road on the Houghs Neck line, first on the inside of the car and then on the platform. It is alleged that while on the platform he loosened the screw of the grab handle and then at an opportune time, when the conductor was in the car, he rung the bell to stop, but he jumped off quickly and with him went the grab handle. He pretended to be unconscious and was taken to Dr. Jones. An injury to the arm was shown and excited the suspicion of the doctor, but as the man only wanted $25 to settle, the claim was quickly paid by the company. The same game was worked successfully in many places in the country, some times on two roads in one day. When Zimmerman completes his sentence for vagrancy he will be prosecuted by the railway companies in turn.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Haley was fined $25 for assault at Milton.

Donald E. McDonald was arraigned for selling a leased bicycle at Quincy. Case continued until Dec. 14.

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STORM AT CAMP.

Tents and Stove Pipes Suffer at Camp Wetherell.

With Co. K, 5th Mass.,
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 4.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Reveille sounded this morning above the roar of the wind and rain and as we glanced from our tents we could see the rain, hail and snow coming down in sheets. The wind was something of a terror to the small Sibley stove-pipes which protrude from the top of the tents about 30 inches. All the day some one in every company was out fixing their stove pipes. In some company's the tents were blown down but nothing of a very serious nature happened in K street, although Lieut. Whitney was awakened about 2.30 A. M. by the front of this tent falling in. The wind continued all day and long after taps, the stoves would rise and fall and the tents would give a lurch enough to pull the stakes out of the ground.

Sergt. Crane says he will be a good plumber if the wind keeps up, and we think he would, and if he could only keep up the gait that he had when he ran out his tent yesterday to catch his pipe he would be quite a racer.

It was quite funny to see a man trying to navigate down company street with a pan full of stewed tomatoes, two slices of bread and a dipper of coffee, and the wind blowing as hard as it did yesterday.

Guard for today is: Privates Johnson, Levangie, Leonard, Lyons, Logan. Guard for 24 hours Privates Mahoney, McPhee, Mead. H. L. C.

Greenville, S. C., Dec. 5.

The sun in all its splendor shines down upon us today and we enjoy as fine a day as we have had yet. It is very warm in the middle of the day but mornings and evenings are quite cool. It is a race among the different companies to see which will get their mess house done first as the race stands now Co's K and I are about tie.

The foot ball game, which was to be played last Saturday, was postponed one week on account of the weather.

Lieut. Coleman, 1st battalion adjutant, has just returned from a ten days' leave.

Lieut Spear of Co. K, who has been acting adjutant, has returned to duty with his company.

Corp. Foster of Co. K, who has been confined in the 2d Division Hospital, is gaining and expects to be with his company again soon.

Tonight Col. Whitney, with a party of ladies, came over to Brigade Headquarters to witness the evening parade of the 5th Massachusetts.

Co. K has more men at every drill than any other company in the regiment.

Private Brown has been relieved at the cook house by Private Dougherty. H. L. C.

Large Whist Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Smith of Wollaston avenue, gave a whist party at their residence Thursday evening which was attended by the following ladies and gentlemen: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Barstow, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Marr, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Given, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes, Mrs. William P. Chase, Mrs. F. F. Shurtleff, Mrs. A. W. Polk, Mrs. G. S. A. Gardner, Miss Nellie Ross, Miss F. G. Brown, Mr. Henry A. Newman, Mr. J. W. Fuller, Mr. E. A. Merrill, Mr. William H. Cleaves, Mr. George A. Dickey, Mr. Louis D. Smith, Mr. Linus Chase, Mr. H. E. Proctor, Mr. Chase W. Smith of Brookline, Mr. C. W. Page.

The first prize for ladies was won by Mrs. F. F. Shurtleff; second prize, by Mrs. William P. Chase; third prize, by Miss Nellie Ross. Mr. A. T. Barstow won gentlemen's first prize, Mr. C. F. Marr the second, and Mr. J. W. Fuller the third. The prizes were all good ones and a most enjoyable time was the result.

O: S. C. Drama.

An event of the year will be the grand dramatic entertainment of Clan McGregor to be held in Music hall Dec. 30. "The Confederate Spy" a military drama will be presented under the direction of John Ross and William Marshall with the following local talent in the cast: Mr. John Troupe, Mr. John Wedderburn, Mr. Dan McCarthy, Mr. Robert Findlay, Mr. Robert Kennedy, Mr. Alex. Russell, Mr. Alex Rose, Mr. John Capaccioli, Miss Lizzie O. M. Smith, Miss Katherine Black, Miss Mary Rose, Mrs. Alex. Russell.

Dancing will follow from 10.30 until 4. A. M. Mr. William Elrick is chief of the committee this year and Mr. Albion I. Dixon the secretary.

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WEYMOUTH.

Death of Francis Ambler an Ex-Representative.

Mr. Francis Ambler, a long resident of Weymouth, died quite suddenly Thursday night of pneumonia, after but a few days' illness. Mr. Ambler has resided in Weymouth upwards of fifty years. For many years he was engaged in the druggists business, and for the past fifteen years in the hay and grain business, which he carried on at the time of his death.

He has held many positions of trust, having served on the board of selectmen and for twenty years as town clerk, being succeeded by John A. Raymond the present town clerk.

Mr. Ambler also represented the Quincy Weymouth district in the General Court. He was president of the South Shore Co-operative bank and a director of the Union National bank and the Weymouth Savings bank. Also a director in the Weymouth Publishing Co. Mr. Ambler was about 65 years of age and leaves a widow and one daughter, who is Mrs. J. F. Welch of Quincy.

The annual fair of the Woman's Relief Corps, connected with Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R., is being held at Odd Fellows' Opera House. At eight o'clock Tuesday evening, Mrs. B. S. Lovell, declared the fair formally opened. The entertainment consisted of a minstrel show, concluding with a prize cake walk. The circle was composed of both ladies and gentlemen, with Miss Grace Gardner as interlocutor. Danny Haley took a prominent part, and opened his mouth wide enough to admit a trolley car. Miss Annie Louise Tirrell rendered several solos in her usual pleasing manner and was encored each time. Miss Evvie Sherman also rendered a solo which was loudly encored. The cake walk was led by Danny Haley, followed by seven couples. The cake was awarded to Bates Hayward and Miss Daisy Pratt. Ice cream, cake and the usual variety of useful and fancy articles were for sale.

Jacob Dexhemier has been drawn to serve on the jury at Dedham.

The Weymouth station is being reshingled.

Stanley Smith of Brockton, who has been visiting in town has returned home.

At the rink Tuesday evening the East Weymouths defeated the Tauntons at polo, by a score of 5 to 1. Blanchard, the Brockton referee, who has been so unpopular, has been removed and Moran, placed in his old position.

Business is beginning to "pick up" at Cates wrapper factory.

Business is rushing at the pyrotechnical works of E. S. Hunt & Sns.

Miss Agnes Hyde of Weymouth, will read in Charlestown, Friday evening, Dec. 9th.

Next Sunday the Rev. Thomas A. Hyde of Cambridge will preach and conduct the services at Trinity church, Weymouth, in exchange with the rector.

At the High school hall Thursday evening, Henry Houck, assistant superintendent of schools of Pennsylvania, delivered a lecture entitled "The Old and The New in Education." Mr. Houck is an intensely interesting speaker and kept his audience in a spirit of good humor throughout the evening. The school glee club, under the supervision of Mr. Sidelinger, rendered two selecitons in a manner which called forth hearty applause. Before and after the lecture the school was open for inspection, and many of those present took advantage of the opportunity and spoke very highly of the building and the completeness of its equipment.

Charles Cushing of Middle street, Weymouth centre, is dangerously ill.

The local merchants are beginning to display their holiday goods. E. Stewart Jordan has taken the front place as usual.

Two basket ball teams have been formed at the High school composed of the following members:

Team No. 1—Lynch (captain), J. Sheehy, O'Connor, Garey, Melville.

Team No. 2 — Howley, (captain), Raymond, Willoby, Drown, Edward Loud.

All the positions have not been permanently assigned as yet but for team 1, Lynch will guard the basket, and probably O'Connor and Sheehy will be the rushers. For team 2, Willoby will guard the basket Raymond will play centre, with Howley half-back, Loud and Drown as rushers.

The first game was played Thursday and was won by team 2 score 2 to 1. Referee Ford, '00.

A boy choir has been organized at the Universalist church Ward Three.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District Court next Tuesday:

312—Doble et al vs. Elcock.
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315—Doble et al vs. Elcock.
332—Clare vs. Hatch.

Hebrew women were not permitted to wear bracelets or bangles in the synagogue, lest the tinkling should disturb the worshipers.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Continued cold is the prediction.

Have you seen that Santiago puzzle yet?

Auction at Nash's hotel this afternoon.

The fountain in City Square looks wintry.

The thermometer registered 18 above at sunrise.

Master Willie Duggan of Atlantic street is quite ill.

The Odd Fellows' ball will be held Thursday evening, Jan. 12.

Clark's restaurant has been closed, although the sign is still up.

Many young people are enjoying the good skating on Butler's pond.

Mrs. John McCarthy of Norfolk Downs has moved to Dorchester.

Wollaston is still cut from telephone communication with the outside world.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sanborn of Wollaston will pass the winter in the South.

The Daily Ledger is worth ten cents per day to warn people against such frauds as the bogus wire inspector.

A cold, strong northwest wind this morning and the teamsters were all walking beside their wagons to keep warm.

The men digging the sewer trenches find that there is several inches of frost in the ground and that it is hard digging.

There will be a whist party at Brasee's hall, Wollaston, on Monday evening, Dec. 12, under the auspices of the Wollaston Yacht club.

It was ladies' night at the Granite City club on Wednesday, and the whist prizes were captured by Mrs. George P. Mead and Mrs. John R. Graham.

Thieves have stolen probably several hundred pounds of copper wire belonging to the N. E. Telephone Co. which was blown from the Hancock street poles by the recent storms.

The posts have been placed at one entrance to the Atlantic playground by a private citizen so as to prevent teams crossing. The teamsters are quite indignant over the affair.

Mr. Walter Howes of Rogers market is a brother of Capt. James Howes, who is commander of the ocean tug, "Storm King," which has gone to the rescue of the steamer Atlantic, ashore at Nantucket Shoales.

The Criterion club, which is among the best amateur dramatic clubs of the State, will be the entertainers in the People's course this week. They will be accompanied by an orchestra. Three plays will be given.

One feature noticeable in the loading of the sloops at Newcomb square, Quincy Neck, is a raised platform which is higher than the vessel. The teams are driven on to this elevation and the stone is easily loaded.

There will be a series of eight whist parties given this winter under the auspices of the Wollaston Unitarian society. The committee consists of Mr. Charles T. Baker, Hon. H. O. Fairbanks and Mr. E. H. Sprague.

Lysander L. Richards, in former years a citizen of Quincy, but recently of Marshfield, is stopping a few weeks in this city. At the time Francis Williams was postmaster, Mr. Richards had charge of the office, which was located in the building now occupied by Linscotts' jewelry store.

Glee clubs from the colleges always draw well as entertainers in Quincy and there was a large audience in Bethany chapel, Thursday evening. While it was a pleasing concert, it lacked the life and snap which is always expected. There were selections by a Mandolin club, and readings by Mr. Kingsbury Foster.

An important sale of real estate, will be the auction of Saturday, Dec. 17, when the large double house of Alvin Rogers, at the corner of Pleasant and Quincy streets, and another house and large lot in the rear will be sold by Auctioneer Johnson. The day before the household furniture in the houses will be offered at auction.

Atlantic Methodist Church.

The next four Sunday evenings at the Methodist church will be occupied as follows: On Dec. 11, there will be an attempt to answer two questions; first what one must not believe, and second, what one need not believe. Dec. 18, will be occupied by a review of "Quo Vadis," with the aid of the stereopticon. The pictures of this set are especially fine. Dec. 25, a concert by the children of the Sunday School. Jan. 1, the question as to what one must believe, will be discussed. Each evening of the week following Jan. 1, will be devoted to special meetings. There will be a watch night service Saturday evening, Dec. 31.

"PRIME COLONISTS."

A German View of Our War With Spain and Its Results.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—Count A. Von Goetzen, former military attache at the German embassy in Washington, who was commissioned by Emperor William to accompany the United States army during the Hispano-American war for purposes of observation and official report, addressed a large and distinguished audience last night at the Kaiserhof on "The Newest colonial power." Although most of his hearers were members of the Colonial society, there were some 300 military men present.

The lecture, which dealt largely with the war, was illustrated by photographs which Count Von Goetzen took personally—views of the embarkation at Tampa, the camps, the landings in Cuba and of scenes in the fighting around Santiago.

The lecturer spoke sympathetically of the American army and navy, except so far as the volunteers were concerned. He said the only good volunteers were the Rough Riders. He severely condemned the insurgents, who, he said, rendered little or no help to the Americans. He did not see a single white among the insurgents, except among the officers.

Count Von Goetzen said the dynamite guns proved ineffective because they lacked distance apparatus. He praised General Shafter's treatment of the foreign officers who accompanied his staff. The United States regulars were characterized by the lecturer as a "most excellent body of troops, though small," and their uniform as "practical."

A portion of the lecture was devoted to a description of the extreme difficulty with which both the American and Spanish troops were provisioned.

Count Von Goetzen prophesied a great future for the new American colonies, because, he said, "the Americans are prime colonists." The lecture was frequently applauded.

Miller Leads.

New York, Dec. 9.—Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning the announcement was made that Monachon had withdrawn from the bicycle contest permanently. He was acting under instructions from the corps of medical examiners, who had pronounced him unfit for further efforts. Not long afterward the withdrawal of Pilkington for similar reasons was announced. Kinz and Cistac both left the track about 1:50 o'clock, and a few minutes later their withdrawal from the contest was bulletined. Waller returned to the track at 1:30 a. m. At first he rode wildly, but after some minutes grew steady and began to pile up the miles. He was trying hard to cut down the gains made by Miller during his absence. The 2 a. m. score: Miller, 1473; Waller 1470; Pierce, 1460.7; Albert, 1425.7; Stevens, 1355.8; Gimm, 1341.6; Aronson, 1301.2; Lawson, 1331.4; Nawn, 1293.7; Hale, 1261.3; Forster, 1234; Schinneer, 1223; Joyeux, 1131.5; Turville, 1125.9; Julius, 1061.7.

Deer Created Excitement.

Belfast, Me., Dec. 9.—Two deer that strayed into the city yesterday afforded considerable excitement in their frantic efforts to reach more congenial surroundings. One of them gained the open country. The two animals dashed down Main street, entirely unheralded. One of them turned suddenly, and plunged through a large plate-glass window of a furniture store. A man in the store dragged the animal back to the street, but before it could be secured the deer broke away and started off in another wild run. The chase, however, suddenly ended by the deer leaping into the river, and two men went out in boats and brought the animal safely ashore. The deer will be set at liberty today. Considerable game has been seen in this vicinity during the past few months.

Big Fee For Bondsmen.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 9.—The decision of the district court in declaring the bondsmen of ex-State Treasurer Bartley not liable for his shortage was reversed in an opinion rendered yesterday by the supreme court. The amount directly involved is $201,000, which sum Bartley took from a state bank, for which he was convicted of embezzlement and sentenced to the penitentiary, where he now is. Indirectly the decision affects Bartley's whole shortage of nearly $700,000, and which it now seems probable the bondsmen will have to pay.

Death of Father Cuddihy.

Milford, Mass., Dec. 9.—Rev. Patrick Cuddihy, pastor of St. Mary's church, died yesterday in this town, where for 40 years he has attended to the spiritual wants of his people. He was the oldest Catholic priest in America. While he was very ill for the past week his death at this time was unexpected. Father Canavan and Father Purcell were present at his bedside when he died and gave him the last absolution. He was born in Clonmel, Ire., March 17, 1809. From youth he was devoted to the service of the church.

Probably a Derelict.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 9.—Wreckage was reported yesterday five miles south of Long Point, and indicates the wreck of a square rigger which is undoubtedly the same mass of wreckage before reported between Peaked Hill bar and Race Point. It consists of a long mast with attached rigging, and is apparently drifting back and forth with the tides. There is no evidence to show where the wreck occurred, but from the fact that no wreckage has come ashore in that vicinity it is thought to be a derelict.

Half the Crew Lost.

Baltimore, Dec. 9.—A portion of the crew of the Londonian, which sank in mid-ocean a few days ago, have been saved. Forty-five of the cattlemen and crew were brought here yesterday by the British steamer Vedamore, which sailed from Liverpool for this port on Nov. 22. It is believed that half the crew, probably 24 or 25 in all, must have been lost.

For Purse of $20,000.

New York, Dec. 9.—Articles of agreement for a 20-round boxing contest between Tom Sharkey and Kid McCoy, to take place at the Lenox Athletic club, this city, on Jan. 10, were signed yesterday by both principals. The men are to box for a purse of $20,000 and 50 percent of all receipts exceeding $40,000. Tim Hurst was mutually chosen as referee.

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LATEST!

CELLAR FIRE.

The alarm from Box 24 this afternoon was for a fire in the cellar of the new house on Whitwell street, into which J. H. Geeson has just moved.

The fire was confined mostly to the cellar, and the loss will be principally by smoke which got into all parts of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Geeson were married on the eve of Thanksgiving and were hardly settled in their new home.

LOCAL NEWS TRACK.

Some Cots which are Sure Winners Every Heat

Mr. William Elrick, Chief of Clan McGregor, O. S. C., has the sympathy of his many friends and acquaintances in the loss of his wife who passed away Thursday night suddenly.

The grand jury has found no bill against Mrs. Almira Bates of East Weymouth, who was charged with the murder of her daughter, Lottie F. Bates, and with setting fire to her house.

Mr. Karl W. Leaf of this city has had conferred upon him the title of Member of the Academy of Invention with an award of a first class diploma and of the great gold medal by the Parisian Academy, Paris.

The arrest of the bogus inspector of wires has put people on their guard, and a telephone or electric wire men will have hard work getting into houses unless they can furnish substantial evidence that they are what they represent themselves to be.

While at work in the sewer trench this noon at the head of Granite street, the large water main that runs up Granite street burst, sending a stream of water high into the air and drenching several workmen. After some difficulty a pug was driven into the hole in the main and the flow of water stopped.

A party of about twenty, including Superintendent of Schools Lull, Principals Nowland, Pollard, Atkins, Wilbar and Candlin and several other teachers and lady friends attended the Houck lecture at the Weymouth High school Thursday evening and were pleased to inspect the new building and again listen to Mr. Houck.

Mr. W. S. Bodwell of Howard street Quincy Neck has recently built an addition to his work room and has added a small steam boiler. He has a keel already laid for a new yacht. She will be 26 feet 6 inches over all; 21 feet, 6 inches, water line; width 9 feet, 6 inches. There will be a good cabin for four bunks also a self bailer. This will make the third boat he has built and this one will be far superior to the one stolen at Nantasket last summer.

The mystery entertainment at the West Quincy Methodist church on Wednesday evening was quite largely attended and as its title denotes it was a mystery. The programme was as follows: Mystery of an "Open Sesame," of the Brownies; of Famous Names, of a Sacred Record of Human Evolution; that time will reveal; of a menu, and no mystery at all. It is unnecessary to add that the programme afforded plenty of amusement.

Real Estate Sales.

Last week was another good week for real estate sales in Quincy, and 17 conveyances were recorded at Dedham. They include an important sale by the City of Quincy to Dr. J. H. Ash, of the Farnum property at West Quincy. This property was taken for taxes and has been a very poor investment, but in the hands of the enterprising doctor is likely to be improved, and thereby become a double benefit to the city. The price paid was $4,500, $500 being cash.

City of Quincy to Timothy Hayes, $16.
Abby B. Taylor, et al, to Josiah A. Fenno, $1.
Josiah A. Fenno to Thomas Fenno, $1.
William D. Cochrane to Francis W. Perry, $1.
Francis W. Perry to Sarah O. Bowden, $1.
Harry S. Watkins by mortgagee to Boston Co-operative bank, $2,000.
William E. Harmon, trs., to Mary T. Sands, et al., $1.
Arthur D. McClelland to Kate K. Williams, $1.
Mary G. Larson, to Mary McCabe, $1.
Edith V. Perry, et al., to James P. Perry, $1.
Gurine Rovedder to Nilsine Lundgren, $300.
Charles F. Adams, et al., trs., to Angelo Malnati, $1.
John Swithin, et al., trs., to Clement A. Cahoon, $1.
John Swithin, et al., trs., to Martin W. Frolund, $1.
John Swithin, et al., trs., to Seneva Everson, $1.
City of Quincy, tr., to John H. Ash, $4,500.
Louis Sleager to Richard D. Chase, $1.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

MILTON.

The Belcher branch of the Women's club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Baxter. The subject for discussion is: "Territorial Expansion."

Right Rev. William Lawrence, D.D., visited the Mission of Our Saviour at East Milton on Thursday evening and administered the rite of confirmation. There were fifteen from East Milton and a number from Milton centre confirmed. There was a very large attendance.

The Selectmen have given notice that the new plumbing by-laws have gone into effect.

The Rugby Associates hold a dance at Ellsworth hall next week.

Belcher lodge of Good Templars hold an entertainment and social next Thursday evening.

The annual fair of the Congregational church was held Tuesday evening and was a success in every way. Various tables were arranged about the church vestry for the sale of useful and fancy articles. These tables were in charge of the ladies who were successful in disposing of many of the articles at good prices. At 6.30 a turkey supper was served by the men, in charge of Mr. A. A. Brackett, and it is needless to say that it was as fine a supper as anyone wanted to have set before them.

The table were prettily decorated with flowers and the men in their white aprons were as handy as the ladies. After the supper came a musical entertainment by the choir. The fair will net about $130.

Public Will Object.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

An effort will soon be made by certain residents on that part of Adams street between Adams Academy and President's bridge to induce the City Council to order up the tracks therefrom, and compel cars to run via Hancock street and Alleyne street, which was in olden times the driveway leading from Col. Quincy's gate to the homestead formerly owned by Hon. Peter Butler and last occupied by Rev. D. M. Wilson. There is no more reason nor common sense in the abutters here objecting to the cars, than along School or Franklin street, or many other streets equally narrow, and more frequently travelled on by the cars.

The proposed new route is circuitous indirect, and utterly indefensible. It must be that the real reason why the abutters demand the change is that the abutters on Adams street have always felt that that street was quasi-sacred, and unlike other streets, in fact, a sort of private way whose calm must not be disturbed by the rattle of the plebeian cars, but only by the soothing rustle of rubber-tired vehicles.

It must not be forgotten that the streets are owned and controlled by the public and that the real purpose of streets and street cars is to furnish the most direct and convenient route to the greatest number of the people, and that this purpose and aim should not be subordinated to the selfish desire of a few for seclusion. The City Council has the reputation of being fair, sensible and actuated by a desire to serve the public and it is confidently believed that the street cars, the great carriage of the common people will not be compelled to crawl slowly through the by-ways and cart paths, to suit the narrow notions of the few, whose personal desire for seclusion, exceeds their regard for the rights and conveniences of the public.

Your reader,
Traveller.

Capital Punishment.

Miss Comins, '99, called the Q. H. S. debating society to order at the regular meeting Wednesday: The secretary, Miss Hall, 1900, read the minutes which were duly approved. An entertainment followed, including:

Piano Solo, Miss Jacobson, 1900.

Declamation, Mr. Loring, 1900.

Translation from the French, written by Miss Francis Elcock, read by Miss Greenerd.

Declamation, selection from Virgil's Æneid, Book I, in Latin, Mr. Lewis, 1900.

The debate was on the subject: "Resolved, That Capital Punishment Ought to be Abolished."

Affirmative: Mr. Ford, Mr. Foss, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Northcott, all of '99.

Negative: Mr. Pitts, Mr. Sargent, Mr. Swift, Mr. Thomas, all of '99.

Some of the arguments against capital punishment were those based on charges of barbarity, absolute injustice, failure to prevent crime and general ineffectiveness. The negative side attempted to prove that capital punishment is just, humane, salutary and effective. The debate will be concluded next week.

Great Britain owns nine times as many merchant vessels as Germany and France together.

DIED.

ELRICK—In Quincy, Dec. 8, Mrs. Christina A., wife of Mr. William Elrick, aged 38 years and 5 months.
AMBLER—In Weymouth, Dec. 8, Mr. Francis Ambler, aged 65 years.
LOVELL—In North Weymouth, Dec. 8, Mrs. Sophia P., widow of Nehemiah Lovell.

The Awkward Orderly.

A young wag of an officer, making a morning call upon his superior in the latter's tent, found him sound asleep, perhaps a little the worse for a night's tarrying over the flowing bowl.

The officer was tall, and the cot was short, so that his feet stuck out at the foot of the bed.

Instead of waking him the visitor took the spurs from a pair of boots standing by the bedside, strapped them to the sleeper's ankles and went away.

The officer had pretty well lacerated himself about the shins and ankles before he woke up and instantly yelled to his orderly.

"What do you mean by this?" he screamed to the latter, pointing to his feet, which were scarred and bleeding.

The orderly looked at the spurs in consternation.

"I'll forgive you this time, for you did it in the dark," said the officer, "but the next time you yank my boots and socks off so quick that it leaves my spurs on I'll give you ten days in the guardhouse, do you hear?"—New York World.

Queer Fishes.

Amphibious fishes are to be found in various quarters of the globe. Beginning in Europe, there is the blenny, which, when kept in aquariums, has been proved to require at least an hour's pure air out of water to preserve it in good health and spirits. In the tropics is found the periophthalmus, which is singularly amphibious and hops over the muddy flats in search of food, notably the crabs and mollusks left stranded by the retreating tide. This fish is so active on land that it is difficult to catch, and various specimens brought from Mauritius were secured by means of a shotgun—truly a unique method of killing fish. This fish is also found at Ceylon, and it is noticeable that when chased they prepare to escape by land rather than by water; they really seem to appreciate the sport.—Chicago News.

A Famous Claquer.

They say that Gertner, who was director of the claque at the famous Deutches Volkestheater, Vienna, died of a broken heart, but he left a fortune of $50,000. This yarn has been deliberately and soberly printed about him:

He came to the theater night after night in different characters and costumes and was never recognized as a claquer by those around him. Sometimes he occupied a box, sometimes a seat in the stalls, sometimes he posted himself in the gallery, but always where he could indicate to his subordinates by a code of signals previously arranged how and when to applaud without attracting undue attention. Gertner has been seen sitting in a box, for which he himself paid, in an elegant dress suit, with white tie and gloves, and looking so distingue that no one would have dreamed that he was a claquer. When he raised his handkerchief to his nose, a round of applause followed. When he replaced the handkerchief in his pocket, the clapping gradually subsided.

Gertner came to grief in a curious way. He was sitting in the stalls at an important first night and fell asleep during the play. A particularly tragic passage had been reached when Gertner suddenly awoke with a start and commenced to applaud vigorously. The house roared with laughter and the piece was ruined. Gertner was dismissed in disgrace.—Vienna Letter.

Quite Independent.

"William, you have been pulling that stick from the trees. I shall thrash you with it."

"Sir, I can no longer consent to your interference. I am now of an age to thrash myself should I deem it necessary."—Pick Me Up.

Mick ("boots" at the Ballyragg hotel, knocking at visitor's door at 4 a. m.)—Fwhat toime wud ye wish to be called this mornnn, sorr?—Punch.

The Difference.

"I dean' see no diffunce 'twix' de man 'at wucks an de man 'at loafers," said Deacon Johnson.

"Dey hain't no diffunce speshul," replied Deacon Jackson, "'ceptin dat dey calls de loaferin feller 'kunnel.'"—Atlanta Journal

When Men Buy Plumes.

I sat behind two women in a Fourteenth street car when a funeral procession, made up of members of some secret society in full regalia passed up the street. The sight of the plumed hats displeased one of the women in front of me.

"Did you ever see anything sillier than that?" she sniffed. "Look at those men—dressed up in all those gewgaws just to let folks know they've got a secret. Where would you find women willing to parade around the streets togged out like stage soldiers? Who ever heard of women doing it? Imagine the Daughters of the American Revolution riding around in cocked hats, or the Women's Christian Temperance union with gold laced aprons. Women have more sense. They wouldn't deliberately make themselves ridiculous that way.

"Look at those sashes and look at those awful hats and those mangy plumes. My husband's got them all. He paid $75 for his outfit. He paid $15 for a stringy ostrich plume for his hat, and then"—here the true inwardness of her contempt for secret society regalias came out—"after paying all that for a plume he doesn't wear once in six months, he almost dropped dead because I paid $5 for a feather I've worn every day for a year. A man's just a natural born—well, I won't say it."

But you could see that she thought it, just the same.—Washington Post.

No Small Change.

Dean Monahan relates an incident which illustrates the absence of small change in the early days of Kansas. In 1868 he went into the postoffice at Hays City, threw down a quarter and asked for a postage stamp. "Want only one?" queried the postmaster. "Only one," replied the novelist, whereupon the postmaster handed him a stamp and raked in the quarter. "Don't I get any change?" demanded Monahan. "Change, h—l!" replied the government official. "We have no change in these parts smaller than a quarter!"

And this was strictly true. In Hays City the smallest coin known was the 25 cent piece. A glass of beer sold for a quarter, and the same charge was made for a pound of crackers or a cigar. It is related in the early annals of the town how the saloon and dance hall keepers held an indignation meeting to take action in the case of a new man who advertised to sell two glasses of beer for a quarter. The meeting resulted in the departure of the innovator for pastures new. As late as 1872 there was a store in Hays City which never gave any change smaller than the 25 cent piece. If the customer had, say, 15 cents coming, he was at liberty to help himself to a glass of whisky from a barrel which stood in the corner, but he need not expect his dues in money.—Kansas City Journal.

Why the Light Went Out.

In front of the high altar in the cathedral at Salzburg there is a great lamp that is supposed to burn "forever and a day." One morning, years ago, worshipers were surprised to see it go out, and this was repeated morning after morning, always about the same time. It was thought the attendant had neglected to give it sufficient oil, and though he declared his innocence, he was told that he would be discharged if the oversight were repeated. Unwilling to deal unjustly with the man, the dean of the cathedral hid himself one night to see if he could solve the mystery. He had not long to wait. About 10 o'clock a big rat was seen descending the rope by which the lamp was suspended. Having reached the oil, it fed freely, and then went away by the way it came. Needless is it to say that the attendant held his place.

Farragut's Opinion of Dewey.

Rear Admiral Dewey as a young officer impressed one as a self contained man with powerful native force. I often think of the remark made by Admiral Goldsborough to Farragut on the occasion of the visit of the latter to our ship.

The two admirals were standing within a few feet of my table, and Dewey had stepped back to give an order to the orderly.

"Farragut," said Goldsborough, "Dewey will make his mark in the world if he ever gets an opportunity."

"Aye," answered Farragut, with the pleasant smile so becoming to his homely face, "and he will make the opportunity."

And Farragut was a true prophet.—Harper's Round Table.

Revenge.

"Hurry up, there!" yelled the conductor to a man who had chased the car about a quarter of a mile. "We can't wait all day for you."

"Is this a Woodward avenue car?" asked the tall, thin man, who was panting like a tugboat after his long run.

"Yes," was the curt reply.

"That's right," said the thin man, "always speak the truth, and your neighbors will respect you."

And so saying he hurried around the corner, while the conductor came down from the car to look for a brick.—Detroit Journal.

The Tobacco Flower.

"There is one flower," says a writer in a London paper, "which has apparently been overlooked by Americans in their search for a suitable floral emblem which, I think, is worthy of their attention. I refer to that of the tobacco plant (nicotiana) in its many varieties. It is handsome. The plant is, I believe, indigenous to America, and its importance, as the solace of the human race, is indisputable."

An Embryo Genius.

Lord Crewe, at an educational meeting at Liverpool recently, told an amusing story of the little son of a friend of his who refused to say his lesson to his governess. He admitted that he knew it well; but, said he: "If I say my lesson, what's the use? You will only make me learn something else." That child will probably be heard of again.

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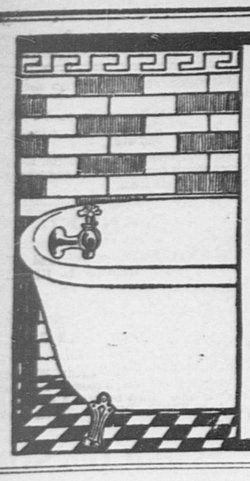

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PENSION LEGISLATION.

Changes on Account of Recent War Not Likely to Occur.

Old Laws Applicable to Cases Now Coming Up.

Those Who Incurred Disability In Service Come Under General Law.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The first of the special pension bills growing out of the Spanish-American war to be introduced at the present session is that of Representative Gillette of Massachusetts, to pension the widow of Captain Dickinson, Seventeenth United States infantry, mortally wounded during the fight at El Caney on July 1, last. Other bills of this character coming over from last session are those to pension the mother of Worth Bagley, the naval ensign who lost his life on the torpedo boat Winslow during the bombardment of Cardenas, and to pension the widow of Captain Gridley, commander of Admiral Dewey's flagship Olympia during the battle of Manila.

All bills relating to the Spanish-American war go to the pension committee, as the committee on invalid pensions, which handles the great bulk of pension legislation, is restricted by the rules to the civil war. Chairman Ray of the committee on invalid pensions said yesterday that he did not look for any general pension legislation growing out of the recent war.

"There is no need of it," he said, "as all our recent laws apply to those who served in the recent war, except the act of June 27, 1890, which applies only to those serving in the war of the rebellion. That act gives $12 to a soldier and $8 to the widow of a soldier, without reference to the cause of disability. But it is noticeable that it was not passed until 25 years after the Civil war, for by that time there were many aged soldiers and widows of soldiers who were entitled to government aid, without reference to their disabilities. So 25 years after the late war there doubtless will be a number of old soldiers who will be regarded with special favor by the government, and then an act similar to that of June, 1890, will be provided for them. But for the present every soldier who incurred disability in service comes under the general law, and if one of them dies his widow or children get the benefit. This apparently meets the conditions of the Spanish-American war until the sturdy young soldiers advance to veterans, although no one will begrudge them any governmental aid in the meantime if that becomes expedient."

Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The urgent deficiency bill to provide for the support of the military and naval establishment was passed by the house, practically without opposition. A fear had been expressed that the measure might open up a prolonged debate upon the conduct of the war, but the Democratic leaders decided that such a debate would properly come later upon the regular appropriation bills or upon the bill for the reorganization of the army. There was not a word of criticism of the war during the debate.

The only point upon which an issue was raised was as to whether the bill, providing as it did for the pay of the volunteers until July, 1899, might not be construed as a modification of the law under which the volunteers were mustered into service. Mr. McRae of Arkansas offered an amendment providing that it should not be so construed, and upon it there was a general discussion as to the advisability of mustering the volunteers out before the regular army was increased.

Mr. Cannon finally accepted the McRae amendment, and that removed the only shadow of opposition to the bill. A number of amendments were adopted upon the recommendation of the committee, which received some supplemental estimates after the bill was prepared. The largest of these was an estimate of $3,000,000 for an emergency fund for the war department and $578,000 for the ordnance department, increasing the amount carried by the bill to $69,859,892.

The conference report upon the bill to render the sureties of consuls, vice consuls and consular agents liable for damages in suits at law was adopted.

The house adjourned over until Monday to give the committees opportunity to work without interruption.

The senate held a short session and then adjourned until Monday, after making the Nicaraguan canal bill the unfinished business before that body. Mr. Morgan called up the measure, whereupon Mr. Pettigrew moved to adjourn. This motion failed, 13 ayes to 42 noes, and the bill was brought forward. Adjournment was immediately taken.

During the session Mr. Vest stated his opposition to the hurried manner of passing pension bills in the senate and gave notice that he would insist upon a quorum being present when the pension bills were being acted upon.

Senator Vest followed up the debate in executive session of Wednesday concerning the appointment of senators and members of the house to positions on presidential commissions by the introduction of the following bill:

"That no person while holding a judicial or legislative office under the United States shall be appointed by the president commissioner or agent of the government, nor of any department or bureau thereof."

First Old Glory.

Washington, Dec. 9. — Among the president's callers yesterday was Mrs. Harriet R. P. Stafford of Cottage City. Mrs. Stafford showed to the president the flag of John Paul Jones, the gallant commander of the Bon Homme Richard, the first stars and stripes that floated on the high seas, and which was the first American flag saluted by a foreign power. This precious trophy, and other interesting naval relics which have come into the possession of Mrs. Stafford, will be donated by her to the Smithsonian institution. The flag, a sword worn by John Paul Jones, and other articles, came into the possession of Lieutenant Stafford, the father of Mrs. Stafford's husband. The president expressed his thanks to Mrs. Stafford and told her that the Smithsonian institution was the proper custodian for mementoes of such historic value.

Lumber Schedule a Snag.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The session of the Canadian joint high commission yesterday was again devoted to the reciprocity clause. It is understood that the rock ahead at this stage is the lumber schedule, the American interests along the border bringing great pressure to bear on the American side of the commission to prevent any material concessions, while the Canadians feel that the forest products of Canada are the most material subject for consideration in any reciprocity scheme.

Soldiers In Good Health.

Washington, Dec. 9.—A most gratifying improvement in the health of the troops stationed in Cuba and Porto Rico is exhibited by the reports to the war department from the commanding officers. The long daily lists of sick and deceased soldiers have shrunk and sometimes are entirely missing. Even in the Philippines the conditions have materially improved.

Brief Mention.

The senate confirmed the following nominations: Powell Clayton of Arkansas, to be ambassador to Mexico. Brigadier generals, to be major generals: Guy V. Henry, U. S. A.; Leonard Wood, U. S. V.

The senate committee on foreign relations held a meeting to consider the bill reported by the Hawaiian commission for the government of the Hawaiian islands. The bill was only considered in a general way, the committee deciding to postpone detail work for a week. The committee authorized a favorable report on the joint resolution for the extension of the Mexican boundary treaty for a year. This was in accordance with a request contained in the president's message.

Senator Mitchell introduced a bill amending the existing law in regard to the volunteer soldiers' homes, so as to admit volunteers who were disabled by the war with Spain. The law at present only makes provision for previous wars. About 2000 men are affected by the proposed amendment.

Cardinal Gibbons, in behalf of himself and the archbishops of the Catholic church in America, has submitted a petition to congress, asking that the question of the contract school system be reopened and that congress again go over the whole subject of Indian education.

The senate in executive session ratified the treaty for the extension of the time for the completion of the Mexican boundary for one year. There was no opposition and no debate.

Constructor Hobson has been granted a week's leave of absence in order that he may give expert assistance to the owners of the steamship Fairfax in their efforts to raise that vessel, which was sunk off the Massachusetts coast in the last storm.

A joint resolution introduced by Senator Burrows authorizes the secretary of the navy to pay to men who were employed in navy yards and naval stations during the late Spanish war 50 percent additional for the time spent in excess of eight hours per day.

Senator Vest introduced in the senate a resolution providing for the appointment of a joint commission to investigate the charges of corruption in the conduct of the war with Spain. The preamble to the resolution recites that "charges have been made in the public press over the signatures of responsible parties that improper and corrupt means have been used to secure contracts from the government for the purchase of vessels for the navy and for the furnishing of clothing and other necessary articles for the army of the United States during the war with Spain at excessive and exorbitant rates." The resolution calls for the appointment of three senators and five members of the house and imposes upon them the duty of "inquiring as to the truth of all such charges and make report by bill or otherwise."

Anderson Dies Today.

Norfolk, Dec. 9.—John Anderson, the cook of the schooner Olive Pecker, who is to be hanged today for the murder of Mate Saunders, has apparently given up all hope of executive clemency. The president has not been heard from, and it is believed he will not commute the sentence. Anderson says he is prepared to die, and as he acted in self-defense in killing the captain and mate of the schooner, his conscience is clear of murder. On account of the disinclination of any one here to assist in the execution, Marshal Treat was compelled to bring requisite help from Richmond. Since Aug. 26, when Anderson was to have been hanged, public feeling here has grown rapidly in his favor, and there are very few people who would not approve a commutation of his sentence.

Held For Grand Jury.

Northampton, Mass., Dec. 9.—Lewis Warner, the defaulting bank president, was tried before Judge Fargo yesterday on the charge of perjury, found probably guilty, and held for the grand jury. District Attorney Hammond explained to the court that he proposed to take up only one assignment in the complaint, and to show that Warner had falsely sworn to statements contained in his report to the bank examiner of the Hampshire Savings bank for the month of October, 1897. Nothing new was brought out in the testimony, and neither counsel made an argument. The grand jury will convene Dec. 19.

Signs of Prosperity.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 9.—The Chandler mine, at Ely, has announced a 10 percent advance in wages, bringing the schedule back to the scale of 1892, the highest ever paid in the lake regions. The increase is caused by the tremendous demand for men from the copper and iron ranges. A similar raise will be made in all lines on the Vermillion range, and will make a difference of $10,000 on monthly payrolls.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:03; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—3:45 a. m.
Full sea—8:15 a. m.; 8:30 p. m.

The fair weather in New England will probably last through part of Saturday, followed by cloudiness and rain or snow Saturday night or Sunday; colder tonight and continued colder Saturday; westerly to northerly winds.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Southern Manufacturers' association may close all its mills.

The annual convention of the American Ethical union opened at Milwaukee.

By action of the Liberal party the Hungarian government becomes independent of parliament.

Mayor Harrison expects to see lynchings in Chicago if the aldermen pass the street railway ordinance.

Dwight H. Gay, aged 37, an electrician, who has been employed at Portland, Me., became demented. He committed suicide by hanging at the hospital where he was confined.

A banquet was given by citizens of Chicago in honor of Ferdinand W. Peck, commissioner general to the Paris exposition. There were over 200 representative men present.

What was known as the Leland Douglas place at Plain Hill, Conn., was totally destroyed by fire, and Bernard Donnelly, aged 61, the sole occupant, was burned to death. The money loss will be about $2000.

Mrs. Fred Strout of Freeport, Me., has received word that her sister, with husband, Mr. and Mrs. Matthews, and their little child, were on board the Portland, and that their bodies have not yet been found.

Austin Rice of New London and George Munroe of New York boxed a 20-round bout to a draw at Bridgeport, Conn. Though Munroe showed up the cleverer, Rice forced the fighting from the start.

The Vanderbilt holdings in the New York Mutual Gas Light company have been sold to parties represented by the National City bank of New York, said to be allied with the Consolidated Gas company.

At a meeting of the Harvard freshman class the following officers were elected: President, Edison Lewis of Boston; vice president, Charles Sargent of Brookline; secretary and treasurer, Barrett Wendall, Jr., of Boston.

Representatives of broom manufacturers of half a dozen states met at Urbana, O., and agreed to advance the price of brooms 20 cents a dozen because of the advance in the price of broom corn and other materials.

Samuel Roads died at Marblehead, Mass., aged 74 years. Mr. Roads was a veteran of the Civil war, and had been a member of the legislature. Samuel Roads, Jr., refused to accept the Democratic nomination for governor of Massachusetts this year on account of the illness of his father.

A Severe Sentence.

London, Dec. 9.—Considerable public feeling has been aroused over the case of Lieutenant Wark of the Royal artillery, who was yesterday sentenced to death on the charge of murdering Jane Yates, a girl of good family, by conspiring with her to procure an abortion. The evidence tended to show that the girl was solely responsible. She made a statement before she died exonerating Wark, who declares that he did all he could to dissuade her from any illegal act. There was a dramatic scene at the close of the trial when he protested his innocence. The newspapers insist that, even if the verdict be legal, it is impossible that the sentence should be carried out.

Hundred and Three Years Old.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Lydia C. Tenney of this city celebrated the 103rd anniversary of her birth yesterday at the residence of her son, Daniel C. Tenney, the only survivor of nine children. She was born in Bradford, Vt., Dec. 8, 1795; joined the Congregational church in 1813, and married in 1816. She retains her senses to a wonderful degree, and her general health is apparently good enough to ensure her many more years of life.

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He says further, the point to direct attenion is not the nerves, nor heart, nor lungs, nor kidneys, but the stomach, the first cause of all the mischief.

The remedy to use for indigestion and weak stomachs is not some cathartic, but a remedy which will digest the food, increase the flow of gastric juice, absorb the gases, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will accomplish exactly this result in any case of stomach trouble, because these tablets are composed of the digestive acids, aseptic pepsin, Golden Seal and bismuth, pleasant to taste, and not being a patent medicine, can be used by anyone with perfect safety. I believe Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any form of indigestion and stomach trouble except cancer of stomach.

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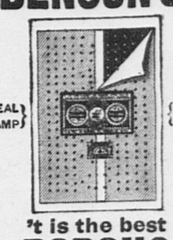

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RICHARD J. LARKIN,

late of Quincy in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Annie E. Larkin of Quincy, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house) 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

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Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M. except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

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The year that is drawing to a close has proved one of the most disastrous in the entire history of navigation. Many a staunch vessel has gone down and many gallant sailors are mourned in homes all over the world. The ill-fated Bourgoyne of course heads the list. The loss of life resulting from her collision with the Comartyshire stands almost without parallel in maritime annals. And as if the fogs that caused her destruction did not add enough to the dangers of the sea, the storms of this year have been of extraordinary violence and duration. Only a few weeks ago the steamer Mohegan ran on the shore in the English Channel and the loss of a hundred lives was reported. And now comes the terrible news that the American coastwise steamer Portland has foundered in the open sea off Cape Cod, carrying down with her one hundred and sixty souls. It is more than probable that scores of New England coasting vessels met destruction in the same storm, and the wives and mothers of Gloucester and Marblehead fishermen are scanning the sealine anxiously for a first glimpse of the topsails of the schooners that bear their sons and husbands and sweethearts.

It has, indeed, been a long, terrible year on the sea, and has been an unusually busy twelve months for the life-savers. Hardly a week has passed without a striking instance of their bravery and skill in snatching lives out of the very teeth of the surf. It needs the most wonderful staying powers to endure the long pull through the surf. It requires matchless coolness to cast a life-line accurately while the life-boat reels and staggers on the crest of a towering breaker, and nerves of steel to withstand the buffeting of the waves and the stinging bite of the icy, salt spray. One must see the surf on Cape Cod or on Nantucket under a raging northeaster to understand and appreciate the self sacrificing life of Unle Sam's life-savers. On the great lakes, also, the storms of the past year were unusual in force and frequency, and the life-saving stations of the inland seas have done yeoman service. Our illustration is taken from a strikingly life-like drawing in Harper's Weekly by the well-known artist, Reuterdahl, and depicts, with great accuracy, the gallant rescue of the men of the steamer Iron Cliff, that was wrecked off the Government Breakwater outside Chicago Harbor.

The Social Realm.

Each time Dame Gossip tells her tale
And greater time elapses,
With care she trims it down and leaves
Out ifs, buts, and perhapses. —Puck.

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Christmas two weeks from tomorrow.

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Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson entertained friends at whist on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Clarence Burgin won the ladies' prize and Mr. W. H. Doble the men's prize.

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The social and supper on Wednesday evening at the Unitarian chapel was a very pleasant affair and largely attended.

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One of the best entertainments in the People's course is given tonight by the Criterion club. Three plays are to be given; A Circus Rider, A Yellow Rose and A Pair of Rubber Boots.

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Now that the holidays are drawing near, society is not quite so lively, as every one is busy with their Christmas shopping and fancy work.

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Mrs. L. Wood of Huntington avenue, Boston was at home to her friends on Tuesday afternoon from four until six on the occasion of her birthday.

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Rev. and Mrs. E. Victor Bigelow of Cohasset are receiving the congratulations of their Quincy and Cohasset friends, on the arrival of a daughter on Tuesday. The little one has been named Carita Bigelow.

Mr. Walter B. Holden is now connected with the well known firm of Bigelow & Kennard, Boston. Mr. Holden has fine taste in selecting silver, jewelry, cut glass and china. The store in Quincy under his management was always very attractive and many regretted when he sold out.

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The sun set at twelve minutes past four every day this week and will also set at the same time next week up to Thursday when it sets one minute later. After the fifteenth the afternoons will commence to lengthen a minute every day or two.

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Miss Helen Kyte of Braintree left for Washington, D. C., Tuesday, where she will be the guest of her sister for a couple of months.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Baxter of 6 Pleasant street, who went to Trenton N. J., to spend Thanksgiving with their son, have extended thir trip to Washington, to visit Mr. Baxter's brother Samuel, 1221 Kenyon street, who has been a clerk in the 2d Auditor's office over 33 years.

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Miss Bertha Cherrington of Boston has been visiting her cousin, Miss Bessie Cherrington, of North Weymouth.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Welch have the sympathy of a host of friends, in their great sorrow. Mr. Francis Ambler of Weymouth, a beloved father and a man of fine character passed away on Thursday night.

Miriam is the name of the little lass who came to the home of Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Noah Hardy on Sunday. Congratulations to the happy parents.

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Mr. William Sweeney of this city and Miss Lillian Williams of Weymouth were united in marriage on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney are to reside in Quincy.

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Miss Agnes Hyde of Weymouth is instructor of the cast of the war drama, The Confederate Spy, which is to be given at Music hall.

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The Young Peoples' Lyceum of North Weymouth, under the direction of Rev. T. H. Vincent, is growing still more interesting. Mr. Vincent invites all interested to attend the meetings.

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Mr. Lester Gardner of Nantucket and well known in this city, boarding at one time with Mr. Clifford Bradford, had a fine cut of himself and a flattering notice in last evening's Traveler. Mr. Gardner is to sing in a concert to be given tomororw night at the Columbia theatre, Boston.

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The church committee of Bethany church including the pastor, deacons and deaconesses, will give a reception Wednesday evening to those who have joined the church during the pastorate of Rev. E. N. Hardy. About one hundred invitations were issued.

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Mrs. J. H. Libby of Weymouth entertained the members of the Young Ladies' Mission circle last week.

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Miss Bessie Page of Braintree is in New Hampshire.

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GYPSYING.

When you and I go gypsying, we'll laugh the whole day long.
We'll stop at every cottage gate and thrill our hearts with song.
We'll live the joy of summer skies when hopes are well begun.
When you and I go gypsying, we'll travel toward the sun.

We'll use the old, old magic that shall never cease to be;
The charm of love whose mystic spell is over you and me.
Our hearts will know a rapture fine, that time can ne'er outrun.
When you and I go gypsying, we'll travel toward the sun.

With some far eastern splendor strange, with some unbought delight
We'll fill our eager vision as it looks beyond the night,
And still, to feed the fire that burns within our heart as one,
When you and I go gypsying, we'll travel toward the sun.

We'll leave behind us every care and see our way afar,
Beyond the low horizon's verge to some love lighted star.
We'll dream the dreams of earth no more, a happier dream begun.
When you and I go gypsying, we'll travel toward the sun.
—Lewis Worthington Smith in Independent.

GINGER NUTS.

The king of Macronia (the land of macaroons), who for some time had been in the prime of life, had just arisen and was seated undressed beside his bed. His house minister was there and handed him his hose. In the heel of one sock was a hole. The king was wont to pay more attention to his beautiful boots than to whole socks. However, the hole did not escape his sharp eyes. In disgust he took the sock out of the minister's hand and pushed his forefinger through the hole clear up to his knuckle, saying:

"Of what use is it that I am king since I have no wife? What do you say to my marrying?"

"Your majesty, that is a sublime thought, a thought that would certainly have occurred to me, if I may make so bold, had I not felt that your majesty most assuredly would deign to utter it for yourself."

"Beautiful!" replied the king. "But do you believe that I shall be able to find a wife suitable for me?"

"Pooh! Ten where others could find but one!" said the courtier.

"A princess to please me must be clever and beautiful, and there is one point on which I lay especial stress: You know how fond I am of gingernuts. In my whole kingdom there is not a person who understands how to bake them exactly right, and the princess whom I choose must know how to do this to perfection."

When the minister heard this, he gave a whistle of dismay, but quickly collecting himself said:

"A king like your majesty will without doubt find a princess who understands how to bake ginger nuts."

"We shall see, we shall see!" said the king, and on the very same day, accompanied by the minister, he began a tour of the kingdoms of his different neighbors whom he knew had princesses to give in marriage.

Only three princesses were found who were beautiful and clever enough to suit the king, and of these not one could bake ginger nuts.

"I really cannot bake ginger nuts," said the first princess in answer to the king's question, "but I can make beautiful little almond cakes. Wouldn't those suit you?"

"No," replied the king. "I must have ginger nuts."

The second princess in reply to the same question mocked at the king and said angrily:

"What nonsense! Princesses who can bake ginger nuts do not exist!"

The king fared worse at the hands of the third, who was the most beautiful and the most charming.

She gave the king no opportunity to ask his question, but took things into her own hands and demanded whether he knew how to play on the jew's harp, and when he said he did not she sent him away. He pleased her very much, she admitted, but she was so extravagantly fond of the music of the jew's harp that she would never marry a man that could not play it.

The king and his minister returned home, and as they alighted from their carriage the king said:

"Nothing has come of all this!"

"Nothing, your majesty," said the minister mournfully.

"What shall I do?" sighed the king. "I must have a wife."

"If you would only give up the ginger nuts," ventured the minister timidly.

"For the good of my people I will!" exclaimed the noble king, and he resolved to marry the princess whom he had first sought.

"She is the one who knows how to bake almond cakes," he said. "Go and ask her if she will be my wife."

The minister went, returned the next day, and said she was no longer in the matrimonial market, for she had married the king of the Land of Capers.

"Then go to the second princess," said the king. Again the minister returned without having accomplished anything, for this princess had died.

Then the king thought a long time. He absolutely must have a wife, so he ordered the minister to go to the third princess and see if she had changed her mind. The minister obeyed, though he did it unwillingly, for his wife assured him that his errand was a useless one.

The king anxiously awaited his return. His mind was on her question concerning the jew's harp, and the remembrance of it was most annoying.

The third princess received the minister very cordially. She said she had changed her mind about marrying a man who could play the jew's harp.

"Dreams are but vain and empty things, especially those of youth."

She realized that her wish could not be fulfilled, and as the king pleased her she had decided to marry him.

The minister rode home as fast as his horse could go, and the king embraced him, and conferred so many decorations on him that he had to wear some of them on his head.

The town was trimmed with bunting, garlands were thrown across the streets from house to house, and the marriage was so splendidly celebrated that the people could talk of nothing else for a fortnight.

All went well with the king and queen for a year. The king had quite forgotten his ginger nuts and the queen her jew's harp.

However, the king got out of bed one morning with the wrong foot foremost, and after that, of course, all went wrong. It rained the entire day; the imperial globe fell down and the little cross on the top broke off; the court painter brought a new globe on which Macronia was painted red instead of blue, as he had been ordered, and to cap the climax the queen had a headache.

It came to pass that the wedded pair quarreled for the first time; why or wherefore they knew not. In short, the king was cross and the queen was snappy, and would have the last word. After the quarrel had gone on for some time the queen shrugged her shoulders disdainfully and said:

"You've found fault the entire day. And why, pray—you, who can't so much as play the jew's harp?"

He retorted sharply:

"You've nothing to say. You can't even bake ginger nuts."

For the first time the queen did not reply, but remained quiet, and without exchanging another word they went to their respective rooms.

The queen seated herself in a corner of the sofa and wept and thought sadly:

"What a foolish wife you are! Have you lost your reason? You should not have begun a quarrel so stupidly."

The king paced up and down his room, rubbed his hands and said:

"It is truly a bit of good luck that my wife can't bake ginger nuts. Why did I answer her when she reproached me for not knowing how to play on the jew's harp?"

After repeating this three or four times he felt more cheerful. He began to whistle his favorite tune, examined the large portrait of the queen which hung in his room, mounted a chair, and with his handkerchief brushed off a cobweb that hung over her nose and said:

"She is surely fretting, my good little wife. I'll see what she's doing."

He went down the long hall to her door. All had gone wrong on this day. The servant had even forgotten the lamps, although it was 8 o'clock and quite dark. He entered the room, putting out his hands before him so as not to stumble against the furniture. Suddenly he felt something warm.

"Who is it?" he said.

"It is I," replied the queen.

"What's the matter, my pet?"

"I want to ask your forgiveness," said the queen, "for having been so cross."

"You don't need to do that at all," said the king, throwing his arms about her neck. "I'm more to blame than you are. Let's forget all about it. There are two terms that we'll never allow used in our kingdom, jew's harp and"—

"And ginger nuts," interrupted the queen, laughing, as she secretly wiped two little tears from her eyes.—From the German For Short Stories.

OUR WEEKLY FASHION PLATE.

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The coat like many of the later models is worn with a velvet belt slipped through ornamental buckles at each side confining beneath the fulness of the blouse-vest, which is made of geranium rose-velvet. Velvet bands trim one side of the bust to the shoulder, where the coat, fastening with silver buttons curves away into a cutaway form with rounded Louis XV. coat tails.

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Trees In New Zealand.

The kauri is the monarch of the New Zealand forest, an indigenous pine, growing to enormous height, frequently 80 feet, before it sends out a bough, while its average diameter is from eight to nine feet. It is said to be 800 years in reaching maturity. There is no underbrush in a kauri forest, the prince of trees permitting no rival within his domain. The totara is another species of pine, which, however, has none of the characteristics of the coniferæ of other countries, either in habit or in appearance.

The most singular of all is the rata, a peculiar tree with somewhat the nature of a parasite. If it springs up near a rimu pine, it winds about it like a huge vine, its tightening coils gradually crushing the life out of the unfortunate pine. When it reaches the top, it sends out branches and stands a hollow shell, its coils knit closely together by a dense network of fibers, which appear in the last stage of its growth. It has a like affinity for its own species, and a second rata springing up beside one of earlier growth will absorb and destroy it as it destroys the rimu. If, however, neither rimu nor rata is within reach, it grows up a respectable and well behaved tree, attaining a height of from 50 to 60 feet, and is used for masts in shipbuilding.—Chautauquan.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Dec. 11—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—"The minor virtues and their importance."—Phil. iii, 12-14; iv, 8; Math. v, 48.

The standard of life set before the Christian is a very high one. It is the character of heaven, it is godlike perfection. Paul declares that he will be satisfied with nothing short of heaven and its attainments. "Not," he says, "that I had already attained or were already perfect, but I follow after * * * but this one thing I do * * * I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." God has called him in Christ to the prize of eternal life in heaven, and his one aim in life is to reach the goal, the high standard of perfect life in Christ placed before him. Christ held the same high standard before His disciples. "Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect." He did not say that we could reach this goal of divine perfection in this life, but placed it before us as our ideal, and His word teaches us that we do reach it in the life beyond.

Godlikeness therefore in character is the Christian's standard and goal, but it does not imply that we are to ignore the minor virtues and characteristics of morality. Godliness is higher than morality, but it implies it. Although godliness is our aim, we are not to ignore the moral virtues, for it is by practicing them that we attain to godliness.

In Phil. iv, 8, Paul mentions some of the moral virtues upon which we are to think that we may be led to do them. They are:

1. "Whatsoever things are true." Truth and trueness are absolutely necessary to a Christian life. We are to seek the one and to cultivate the other. God is true. Christ is the truth, and all that is true comes from Him, and nothing false is to be found in Him. To have Christ is to have truth; to be like Christ is to be true.

2. "Whatsoever things are honest." The revised version translates the Greek word used here "honorable" or "reverend" rather than "honest," and this rendering is nearer the meaning of the original Greek word. It suggests the cultivation of a spirit of self respect, which is not inconsistent with true Christian humility.

3. "Whatsoever things are just," right or righteous before God and man.

4. "Whatsoever things are pure." Purity is an essential Christian characteristic. Only the "pure in heart shall see God." Our lives should be free from anything that stains or defiles.

5. "Whatsoever things are lovely * * * and of good report." All characteristics of life that are lovely, attractive to men, and which men admire and esteem, are to be cultivated, that by them we may win men to Christ.

Bible Readings.—Ex. xx, 15-17; Prov. iii, 3, 4; iv, 23-27; vi, 6-11, 16-19; xi, 1; xv, 1, 2; xvii, 1; xxii, 1; xxiv, 1, 2; Jer. v, 1; Ps. i, 1-6; Math. v, 1-12; Rom. xii, 9-21; Phil. ii, 1-12.

Try to Forget Them.

It is unwise to brood over our past sins. We should try to forget them. To recall them certainly does not develop goodness. It rather has the opposite effect. The thought of them dampens our ardor, makes us timid and distrustful of ourselves. When we have repented of evil and asked our Father to forgive us, we should dismiss the thought of it, shut it out, let it have no place in our minds. Let the dead past bury its dead. We must be busy with that which is new and living. By pure thoughts, noble purposes, good works, we must crowd evil out of our lives. God will help us to forget the wrong we once did if we live with Him. We must work with Him to produce that blessed oblivion to the past both by refusing resolutely to harbor the thought of old sins and by filling our lives with all that pleases Him. Blessed is the man who cultivates the forgetting of evil.—Lutheran Observer.

Self Denial.

To deny oneself and take up our cross willingly and daily following the commandments of God and walking in His holy ways require a fixedness of purpose that only those who are sustained by divine grace can endure. The temptations and allurements of the world are very enticing and often promise personal comfort and pleasure that for the time being involves happiness and perhaps profit. In some cases fidelity to the dictates of conscience awakens contempt upon the part of others and puts the man of God to great straits, certainly to much disadvantage and loss; but, steady to his purpose, he proceeds on the even tenor of his way, counting it, if it need be, better to suffer rather than sacrifice his sense of honor or piety.—Philadelphia Methodist.

The Evil Continues to Grow.

The corruption and extravagance so plainly evident in state and municipal affairs are condemned and deplored by many who are strangely apathetic and indifferent when a call for action is sounded. Why cannot they be drawn out in resistance and in an effort to overcome? Some think it would be of no use, and some are afraid to be classed among "reformers," and others think it looks small to object to the size of salaries and amount of bills, and so the evil continues to grow and American liberty is imperiled by the easy going popular allowance of governmental corruption and extravagance.—Presbyterian Journal.

A New Life.

Christ will accept no faith, whatever its merits, that does not live and blossom.

He will accept nothing as the evidence of one's truth save the fruits of the truth. Creeds do not become saving by being true or by being sincerely received and held. They become saving only as they become the germs of a new life and growth of character.—Evangelist.

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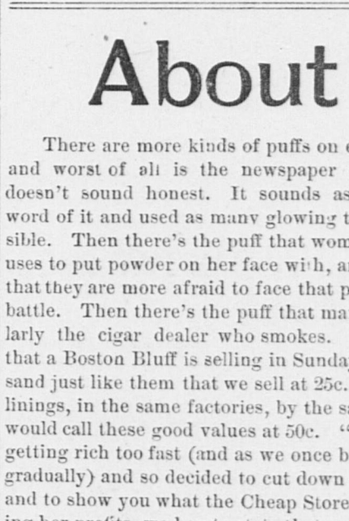

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Customs Officials Performing Duties Satisfactorily.

Reports of Outbreaks and Disturbances of the Peace Were Exaggerated.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Assistant Secretary Vanderlip, who is expected to arrived in the United States from Porto Rico next Monday, has made a preliminary report to Secretary Gage of his observations in that island. He reports that the military authorities are getting along fairly well with customs collections. Everything received has been deposited with Deford & Co., financial agents of the government, and the amount now on deposit aggregates more than $100,000. Spanish customs officials have been put to work at the various ports, and this system works satisfactorily. The men, he writes, are honest, and it is thought by prominent military officials that the government is getting everything it should.

The report that the customs officers in Porto Rico were receiving only pesos and were declining to receive American dollars at San Juan is incorrect. That was the case for a few days, the Spanish customs officials interpreting the instructions to mean that only pesos should be received. As soon as this was discovered, however, dollars or pesos were ordered to be received without prejudice, the rate being two pesos as against one American dollar. While that rate does not correspond with the commercial rate of $1.65, it is a fact that about two-thirds of the customs at San Juan have been received in dollars. The customs officers are not allowed to exchange pesos back for dollars.

Military officers at San Juan contend that the reports that have reached the United States concerning the outbreaks and disturbances of the peace on the island are without substantial foundation. During the evacuation there were more or less disturbances of a rather personal or private character, but the situation now, Mr. Vanderlip writes, is as peaceable as in the United States. There have been some troubles on the west end of the island by political agitators, mainly from emigrants from Hayti, who are said to have a special faculty of fomenting discord, but at present there is nothing serious even in that district. The military authorities have been especially active in capturing some organized bands of bandits, and the natives are rendering aid in ferreting out these people. A number of bandits are confined in prison, and they will receive civil trial. Possibly some of these cases may result in the execution of the offenders.

The American troops have, on the whole, been well behaved, and have given practically no trouble.

It has been a tremendous task getting the civil administration of affairs into operation again. An endeavor has been made to put the Spanish officials, so far as could be done, back into their places.

At Ponce, where there are, says Mr Vanderlip, some specially sharp politicians, they revived an absolute autonomist scheme of municipal government. General Brooke, however, found it of a most rigorous and paternal character and declined to permit its adoption, whereupon 17 of the 30 members of the council resigned. The commanding general has just selected their successors.

The American commanding officers have been withdrawing guards from the sugar plantations, and they think this is going to have a good effect. The condition of affairs, it is stated, was worse than slavery at some of these plantations. The work was done by "peons," who received 55 pesestas a day on an average, and then were subjected to the very worst type of "country store." These stores have short weights in everything sold. Our officers made the owners of the plantations show some sort of fair treatment to the "peons," refused requests for guards and have heard nothing further about riots.

The report closes by saying: "I learned that there is a great demand here for a boat for the custom trade around the island. There is only one small boat engaged in the trade, and she has freight from here away beyond her capacity, so that her owners refuse all shipments except small ones upon which they can get the highest rate. A small steamer could undoubtedly make good profit in the coasting trade."

After Cleveland Street Railways.

Cleveland, Dec. 10.—It is reported that an English syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of both the Big and Little Consolidated street railways, the two companies which control and operate all the street railway lines in the city, both cable and electric, as well as all the suburban lines in and about Cleveland. The street railways of Cleveland, together with the suburban lines, are capitalized at $24,300,000. It is estimated that the entire street railways can be purchased for about $35,000,000

Flour Combine a Certainty.

Cleveland, Dec. 10.—In an interview here, Clement B. Stern of the Atlas flour mills of Milwaukee stated that he expected the big flour combination would be in operation shortly. The combine will have a capitalization of $30,000,000. A syndicate of English and American capitalists has been negotiating with the owners of the mills looking to the formation of a trust for some time past. Mr. Stern said that the Atlas flour mills would be included in the new organization.

Good For Icemen.

Gardiner, Me., Dec. 10.—The Kennebec river is now closed to navigation above Gardiner and Pittston bridge, and the present cold snap will close it today below the bridge to Richmond. The freeze is one of the most satisfactory known for years above the bridge.

TRADE REVIEW.

Everything Points to Continuance of Present Prosperous Conditions.

New York, Dec. 10.—Bradstreet's says: Business conditions continue most encouraging. A very satisfactory feature is the activity shown in retail trade in nearly all markets. Reports received as to the holiday trade proper, too, point to the present year constituting a record maker in this respect. The importance of the early arrival of winter weather to the retail distribution of heavy clothing and similar seasonable goods can hardly be over-estimated. In the wider domain of general trade and industry perhaps the most notable feature has been the continued activity at advancing prices shown for most classes of iron and steel, but particularly pig iron and steel billets. What is ordinarily regarded as a dull period in this industry has given place to exceptional activity.

Export trade continues encouraging and a weakening in freights was reported toward the close of the week. Increased supplies, consequent on the heaviest movement from farmers' hands ever known, have constituted a bearish feature this week, notwithstanding continued heavy shipments abroad, and the coarser grains have sympathized with this cereal.

Activity in the lumber trade has been a feature in many markets, the placing of large government orders for yellow pine lumber, most of which is for export to Cuba, having insured plenty of work for a number of southern mills until far in the new year.

Cotton is again higher, partly owing to smaller estimates becoming fashionable. Cotton goods, too, are firmer. This is in part due to sympathy with the raw product, while the advance in print cloths is attributed to the successful disposal of the large surplus.

Rather more is doing in raw wool at slightly lower quotations, but reports from the goods trade show little improvement. The strength of the statistical position of raw silk has at last found recognition in advances in quotations, and some classes of the manufactured product have followed the raw material.

Business failures in the United States this week number 237, as against 292 in this week a year ago, 381 in 1896, 313 in 1895 and 383 in 1894.

Superintendent True's Case.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 10.—Major Bennett has suspended from office Superintendant of Buildings True, on account of the circumstances connected with the Murphy case and his failure to appear before the investigating committee. True is still missing. The matter will probably get to the grand jury. It is alleged that one Edward D. Murphy was paid by the city for work on a public building which he never did, the bill for payment having been passed by True in his official capacity. The bill being questioned, Mr. True was called upon to explain matters, and, on Murphy's statement that True intended to receive the money, an inquiry was begun.

Body Torn to Pieces.

Woodsville, N. H., Dec. 10.—Ernest H. Webster, aged 23, had been at work setting up a pump under a mill here yesterday, and went down to start the engine and throw a belt onto a main shaft pulley. The employes above soon heard a peculiar thumping on the flooring through which the belt ran. One of the men went down and found that Webster had been caught by the revolving pulley. His head and upper body were thrown some distance, while his legs and hips were still in the shafting. Webster had the habit of shifting the belt by throwing his body against it, and it is thought that in doing this his clothing was caught.

Wheat Screenings Cornered.

St. Paul, Dec. 10.—Several large commission firms, acting with prominent millers, have secured a corner on wheat screenings and control all this product in the northwest. They have already raised the price per ton from $5 to $8.50, making it impracticable for western ranchers to send their sheep to St. Paul to be fed during the winter. Over 100,000 sheep have been diverted this month to the corn belt in Iowa and Nebraska, instead of being sent here for the winter feeding.

Soldier's Costly Hug.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 10.—Judge Norwood yesterday fined Private J. E. Moore of battery A, First Maine artillery, $500, or six months on the chain gang, for embracing the wife of a prominent county official on the street while the soldier was intoxicated. Judge Norwood administered a severe lecture and characterized the soldier's conduct as that of a heathen.

Old Wages Restored.

Nashville, Dec. 10.—The Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway on Jan. 1 will increase wages 5 percent, thus placing the wages of the operatives on the same scale they were two years ago, when a cut of 10 percent was made. A 5 percent advance was made last summer.

Garcia's Condition.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The condition of General Garcia is less favorable, though at midnight he was resting easily.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Kansas troops have reached Manila.

There is a strong fight against Senator Hawley in Connecticut.

All the large shoe factories at Nashua, N. H., are running on half time.

Marion Piper, charged with sending improper letters through the mails, resisted Boston officers making her arrest.

Print and all cotton goods at Fall River are quoted on a basis of 2 3-16 cents asked, with the market very firm.

Harlow E. Woodward, a Boston druggist, is a petitioner in bankruptcy, with liabilities at $66,254.41, and assets of $9175.

Arthur L. Brown has been appointed postmaster at Belfast, Me. The office was made vacant by the death of Postmaster Kilgore.

The following officers of the volunteer navy have been honorably discharged: Naval Cadets Rixey, Gridley, Lamberton, Herbert and Fesler, and Ensigns Coyle and Cottrell.

An inventory of the estate of John Stetson, Jr., of Boston, filed by the special administrators, shows that the personal estate is valued at $427,192, and the real estate at $1,156,000, subject to mortgages aggregating $558,000.

BAY STATE SOLONS.

A Few Facts Concerning the Makeup of the House For 1899.

Boston, Dec. 10.—Clerk Kimball of the house of representatives has received blanks from practically all the members who have been elected for 1899, and, as usual, they contain much interesting information. Of the 240 members, 96 are re-elected, 13 have seen legislative service previous to 1898, and 131 will serve their first term. The youngest member will be J. P. Lanigan of Roxbury (Boston), who was born on the last day of the year, 1874. Three members were born in 1823—W. W. Shaw of Raynham, a new man, and Messrs. Fisher of Amherst and Stanley of Newburyport. It is thought that Mr. Fisher is the oldest member, as he was born in January, but information is awaited as to the day and month of Mr. Shaw's birth, which he failed to furnish.

Representative Mellen of Worcester will begin his 15th year of service. Representative Ross of New Bedford begins his eighth, and Representatives Hayes of Lowell, Myers of Cambridge and McCarthy (Jeremiah J.) of Boston their seventh.

There will be 36 lawyers in the body, about the usual proportion, and 24 farmers, which is less than the usual number. There are also 24 merchants. Eighteen members are in the real estate and insurance line. There are but 8 manufacturers, 9 carpenters, 8 clerks, 8 newspaper men, 6 druggists, 4 provision dealers, 6 bank presidents, 3 cigar manufacturers, 2 teachers and 3 electricians. There is 1 physician, 1 sailor, 1 furniture dealer, 1 milkman. There are 2 shoemakers, 3 clergymen and 2 overseers. Fifty-six are engaged in general occupation. Messrs. Mellen of Worcester, Turner of Malden and Jeremiah J. McCarthy of Boston do not state their occupations, and one man says that he has none. One man deals in wines and spirits.

Ton of Powder Exploded.

Wilmington, Dec. 10.—Three men were killed and eight injured, three of them probably fatally, by the explosion of a pressmill and four grinding mills in a yard of the Dupont powder works yesterday. A load of powder that was being wheeled into the press room was accidentally overturned, and the car wheels running into the loose powder caused a friction that set the powder afire. The explosion quickly followed, all the powder that was in the press-room going off in five successive detonations. The pressmill was wrecked. tonations. The press mill was wrecker. The car contained perhaps a ton of powder.

Sensation In Quay Case.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10.—Counsel for Senator Quay in the conspiracy charges for which he is to be tried next week, yesterday subpoenaed ex-Common Pleas Judge Gordon and ex-Postmaster General Wanamaker as witnesses for the defense. This news is interesting in view of the known opposition of both of these men to Senator Quay politically, and in view of the charges recently made by Senator Penrose, in which he stated that the charges against Senator Quay were the result of a conspiracy to defeat him for re-election to the United States senate, and in his place name a person favorable to Messrs. Wanamaker and Gordon.

Miller Breaks a Record.

New York, Dec. 10.—Before midnight last night Miller, in the six-day bicycle race, had beaten the world's record made by himself a year ago, and his friends believe that he will be able to remain ahead of his own record until the race is ended. A large crowd thronged Madison Square Garden all day, and at midnight thousands of enthusiasts remained to cheer on the jaded riders. The scores at 2 a. m. were: Miller, 1808; Waller, 1778.5; Pierce, 1736.8; Albert, 1669.3; Gimm 1616.4; Lawson, 1598; Aronson, 1559; Nawn, 1529.8; Forster, 1500.2; Stevens, 1481.4; Hale, 1384.7; Julius, 1136.5.

Mysterious Shooting.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 10.—Nettie Moses, the 20-year-old wife of Daniel F. Moses, a farmer nearly 60 years of age, residing in North Pembroke, about four miles from this city, lies in a very critical condition, the result of a bullet wound she received yesterday morning. The circumstances are very mysterious. Moses came to the city in the afternoon to get a trained nurse to attend his wife, and while here, it is alleged, he made various conflicting statements of his whereabouts in the morning, and of the shooting.

Back From Porto Rico.

Newport News, Dec. 10.—United States transport Berlin arrived here yesterday from San Juan. On the transport were Major General Brooke, his staff and the First Kentucky volunteer infantry. A committee of Louisville citizens arrived last night to escort the soldiers to Louisville, where a three days' reception awaits them. The regiment will leave tonight for the west. The delay here was caused by the fact that winter clothing had to be served to the men. The trip from San Juan was entirely uneventful. The transport brought but six sick men home.

A Southern Blizzard.

New Orleans, Dec. 10.—The weather throughout this state, Mississippi and north and central Texas during the past 24 hours is the worst experienced in December for many years. Specials from the territory named report rain, sleet, snow and high winds, followed by freezing weather. The cattle ranches in southwest Texas are in bad condition because of a drought during the summer, and the losses to stockmen will be quite heavy.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:04; sets, 4:12.
Moon rises—5 a. m.
High water—9 a. m.; 9:30 p. m.

The weather in New England will probably continue fair till Sunday morning, followed by increasing cloudiness and threatening weather, with rising temperature. Snow is possible Sunday afternoon or night, depending on the storm now developing in the south Atlantic and gulf states. Variable winds.

A LUCULLUS DINNER.

ONE FEAST THAT ASTOUNDED TWO OF HIS FRIENDS.

Pompey and Cicero Tried to Catch the Famous Gormand In a Trap, but the Roman Spendthrift Fairly Outwitted Them.

"Bright Sides of History" is the title of a series of articles by E. H. House in St. Nicholas. In a story form, introducing modern boys and girls, the author recounts some of the most amusing episodes in history. The following is one of his stories:

"Lucullus was very fond of fine dinners—more so than was good for him in his later years. In early life he was one of the greatest of Roman generals, and at middle age he had kingdoms at his feet. But, like many public men of that period he was pursued by envious enemies, and instead of making a stand against them he gave up all his glory and devoted himself to idle luxury. Although he was enormously rich, he amazed his friends by the amount of money he spent in feasting them. No matter at what hour a visitor called a costly banquet was always ready to be served. People who were intimate with him often tried to catch him unprepared, but no one ever succeeded. The most artful trap of all was set by Pompey and Cicero, but Lucullus was too sharp even for these able men."

"Do you mean," asked Harry, his eyes round with astonishment, "do you mean the great Pompey and Cicero we hear so much about at school?"

"The very same. Those were the men. Did you think that Pompey was always fighting battles, and that Cicero did nothing but speak pieces in the senate? Oh, no. They used to vary those occupations by strolling about the forum on pleasant afternoons, and one day they met Lucullus, strolling like themselves, and laid a plan to take him by surprise. They said they had a particular favor to ask. He promised to do anything in his power, and then they proposed to dine with him that very day, on condition that he should make no preparations and give no instructions, but let them share the ordinary meal intended for himself.

"Lucullus had not expected this. Though he was extravagant enough, even when wholly alone, he could not bear to entertain guests without a good deal of extra extravagance on their account. So he tried to make an appointment for the next day, but they would not listen to him. Then he wanted to call his servants, and they objected to this also, suspecting that he might contrive to give some secret orders. They insisted that he should not open his lips to any one besides themselves, but just ramble around until dinner time and then take them directly to his dwelling. Here he made a stand. He protested, reasonably enough, that they demanded too much. He had left home without even saying that he should go back there to dine. At least his friends must allow him to announce that he would return at the customary hour. Otherwise there might be no food at all.

"They saw no harm in this, and, after consulting together, agreed that he could send that one short message and nothing more, but he must employ a stranger to do the errand, and must speak to him in their hearing, so that they could guard against any suspicious words or private signals. Lucullus pretended to be extremely troubled and declared that they deserved nothing fit to eat. Nevertheless he consented, and calling a public messenger gave this direction, 'Go to my house and tell the steward to serve dinner in the Apollo as usual.' Pompey and Cicero were delighted. They kept close to their host through the rest of the day, feeling sure that, though they would have an excellent meal, they had prevented him this time from making one of the gorgeous displays in which he reveled.

"When at last the three entered the dining room the sight of the table almost took away their breath. It was decorated with a magnificence they had not dreamed of. But this was nothing to what followed. Course after course of the rarest food was set before them, with wines that were almost beyond price, until at the end they calculated that the cost of the repast could not have been less than a sum equal to $10,000 in our money of today."

"Why that is a small fortune to spend for one dinner!" exclaimed Percy.

"You may say so, indeed. They were quite right in their reckoning. Lucullus had outwitted them and carried his point exactly as he wished."

"How, uncle? Tell us how!" the children cried.

"Think it out for yourselves," said Uncle Claxton, but the only attempt at a solution came from Dick, who after pondering deeply caused an outburst of mirth by remarking that perhaps it was Friday. Dick evidently imagined that the explanation which had cleared up the mystery of his uncle's dinner might be good enough for anything in ancient Rome.

"No, no, Dicky," said Uncle Claxton, "that's not the secret. You must remember the message which Lucullus sent to his steward—that he would 'dine in the Apollo.' He had several dining halls, named after various Roman gods, and all differently arranged for different kinds of feasts. He had only to mention which of these he would occupy to let his servants know what preparations were necessary and precisely how much money should be spent. It was the rule that a dinner or supper in the Apollo should cost a sum equal to about $10,000 of our American money, and it was at this rate that Pompey and Cicero were entertained. They did not learn till long after how Lucullus had managed the affair."

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	40	26	37	34
Monday	50	33	54	40
Tuesday	41	33	40	56
Wednesday	40	34	40	50
Thursday	34	43	43	39
Friday	27	39	50	52
Saturday	33	38	56	48

New Advertisements Today.

Boston Branch Grocery.
Sorosis Placket Fastener.
Mortgagee's sale of real estate.
Salesman wanted.
Francis T. Mackedon—Ladies' winter coats.

Good Afternoon.

It is rather amusing to see how some of our good Republicans of Wollaston are falling all over themselves in explaining why it was that Mayor Sears majority in that ward was but 64 when they had assured His Honor at the eleventh hour that he was certain to have from 100 to 200 majority in that ward; that while Mr. Bryant was working against them he would not cut any ice. Now they have plenty of excuses for the falling off, and wind up by saying that we gave Mayor Sears three more votes this year than last year.

The truth of the matter is that they underestimated Mr. Bryant's strength, and while they were assuring themselves that everything was all right, Mr. Bryant had his coat off and was fighting to carry out his object, which was to defeat the man who did not reappoint Mr. Peter J. Williams as chief engineer of the fire department.

It is easy to see now that the battle is over, what might have been done, but shrewd politicians will agree, that knowing Mr. Bryant was against them, they should not have allowed him to receive the nomination for Councilman, and then try and defeat him at the polls and elect a Democrat.

At the time of the caucuses it was said by Republicans, "We could easily have prevented Mr. Bryant from receiving the nominations for Councilman." If this be true it was politics not only to defeat his delegation to the Mayoralty convention but to prevent his being nominated for the City Council. It was well known that if he had not succeeded in defeating Mayor Sears at the polls that he would fight him through the Council and be a stumbling block the whole year to a successful administration.

The result shows, therefore, in spite of all that can be said to the contrary, that the friends of Mayor Sears in Wollaston were over confident of his reelection, and for that reason were somewhat lax. Perhaps it can not be sumed up better than by one of Mayor Sears supporters in Wollaston, who remarked that he had learned something about politics this year, and that it had cost him a few cold plunkets to learn it.

The Citizens' No-license League of Brockton returns thanks to the citizens for the enthusiastic manner in which they supported the cause of No-License, and takes quarter of a page in the local papers to do it. The committee says: "Thanks are particularly tendered to those who deprived themselves of time belonging to their social and business relations, to the aged and sick who displayed so remarkable an exhibition of their interest, to the public press which has so openly championed the cause of No-License, and to all who have in any way contributed of time, money or influence in bringing about so magnificent a victory."

During the campaign the committee were large advertisers in the Brockton papers, and substantially recognized the value of the press. This was in marked contrast to the Quincy committee, which did not expend a dollar with the newspapers, and went so far as to request that an appeal, signed by the committee, be published free. The local newspapers, by espousing the cause of No-License, not only at election time but throughout the year, are the largest financial contributors toward the success of No-License, and regret to say that their efforts are not always appreciated. They go further, for in November the Ledger refused the advertisement of a Dorchester liquor dealer which would have paid $100 a year, and that is only one instance.

PAYMASTER IN TOWN

Co. K Expect Their Money Today—Personal Notes.

Co. K, 5th Mass, Inf. U. S. V.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 7.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Again today the sun shines down upon us, and we are reminded that once in a while there is such a place as the "Sunny South." It must surely have been one of these kind of days which the one who gave that name to the south enjoyed when he wrote those lines.

The appearance of the paymaster is expected now any day. He is in Greenville but just when he will visit the 5th Massachusetts it is doubtful to say. Although if he pays a regiment each day he will surely be here by Saturday.

Last Saturday in a five-mile cross country run, for three prizes offered by the officers of the 4th New Jersey regiment and open to all soldiers, Private Peter McPhee of Co. K, 5th Massachusetts, who is a resident of Quincy, won the second prize, and it is safe to say that if McPhee had had on a pair of different shoes he could have captured first prize. As it was he made the winner, as the boys say, "hustle."

Lieut. Spear is officer of the guard today.

We understand on good authority that there are to be two majors appointed in the near future. Capt. Hansen of Co. G, now acting Major of the 2d battalion, and Capt. Clare of Co. M., acting Major of the 3d battalion would both make capital majors, as they perform the duties well at regimental drills and evening parades. Should they be appointed that would leave vacancies for two captains, and there are now vacancies for one first lieutenant and one second lieutenant.

As Co. K in officers and men is second to none in this regiment it will not seem strange to see at least two of the vacancies filled by one of Co. K officers and one Co. K sergeant. It would be a disappointment to the men of Co. K if their company is ignored in this new set of appointments.

Wagoner Livendale is detailed at the Hospital Department. Private Bailey formerly a member of Co. K, but now a member of the Hospital Corps Company is back to our Regimental Hospital and is messing with his old company again.

Quite a number of the boys are desirous of furloughs so as to be home at Christmas.

Private R. F. Buckley was the orderly for Major Morrison yesterday.

Private Griff P. Roberts was selected to be regimental orderly.

It is Corporal Herbert F. Tucker now instead of Private Tucker.

Private Leonard was detailed for prison guard today.

Corporal Haskins is a busy man now days with his pictures.

Bulger Johnson is considered one of the finest in the regiment.

Privates Collins and Dougherty keep everbody in good spirits around the cook house.

The 21 days that Co. K was detached from the regiment with the 2d batalion we had 20 orderlies, a record which no other company can boast of, and as an orderly is picked for the neatest appearance and the cleanest gun, it goes to show that Co. K is second to none in neatness H. L. C.

Quincy Music Hall.

Numerous farce comedies have been presented here at various intervals, but none so mirthful and effervescent as the new version of "Mr. Beane from Boston," which the famous Bros. Gorman, John, James and George bring to Quincy Music hall on Thursday night next. Not a single member of the present company has ever been seen in this city, and the general opinion of both press and public of the different cities visited is that the supporting company is superior to any the Gorman Bros. have hertofore had. Some twenty odd musical numbers will be introduced during the action of the play, the majority of which are new and orginal. This will be one of the best entertainments seen at Quincy Music hall this season. Tickets 25, 35 and 50 cents now on sale at Durgin's drug store.

—The travel to Nantasket beach last Sunday by electric cars to witness the destruction of the storm was something unprecedented. The Hingham Street Railway registered something like twenty-five thousand fares. One car alone plying between Hingham and East Weymouth carried over twenty-one hundred passengers. In the annals of car travel it was a great day.—Hingham Journal.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

DR. ASH'S PURCHASE

the City Does Well in Selling Part of Farnum Property.

The Ledger mentioned Friday that Dr. Ash had purchased the Farnum property at West Quincy of the city for $4,500. This sale does not include all of the property, but about one-half.

The City of Quincy's mortgage on the Farnum property was for $9,000 being an investment of the Woodward Fund. This included the store at the junction of Copeland and Crescent street, the house and stable adjoining, the block of stores and tenements on Copeland street, and the dwelling house in the rear of the block, facing on Crescent street.

Some time ago the store at the junction of Copeland and Crescent street was partly destroyed by fire. Since then no income has been derived from it, and it has become an eye sore to the people of this section of the city. Owing to the condition of business, the city did not deem it advisable to tear down the burned building and rebuild, and when Dr. Ash desired to purchase, City Treasurer Gray strongly recommended the sale. Mr. Gray says the city received $16 per month rental for the store previous to the fire. The insurance received for the fire was $200 and this with the $4,500 received from the sale to Dr. Ash is more than half of the original amount loaned by the city upon the property; and therefore the city will not lose by its foreclosure.

That part sold to Dr. Ash is triangular in shape and includes the store at the junction f Copeland and Crescent streets, and the house and stable adjoining.

Mr. Ash when seen this morning said that it was his intention some time to erect a house on the corner but how soon he would build he could not say. It was his intention, however, to make some improvements upon the estate as soon as good weather returned which would probably be the tearing down of the old building on the corner. Further than this he had nothing to say.

Braintree Literary Society.

The club met Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Avery. Quotations were from "Much Ado About Nothing."

The three papers of the first hour were as follows: "The National Temperament in Music," Mrs. F. E. Norris. "The English Ballad," Mrs. A. E. Avery. "The Church the Patron of Music," Mr. Conrad W. Crooker.

The second hour was occupied the reading of a part of Goldsmith's, "She Stoops to Conquer," which was in charge of Prof. Oakman.

The club will meet again next Monday evening, Dec. 12th, with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Abercromibe. Quotations will be from "All's Well That Ends Well."

Adams Street Petitioners.

By request the Ledger publishes a list of the petitioners for the removal of the street railway tracks on Adams street, only two of whom are abutters of the railroad:

Charles H. Porter,
A. F. Schenkelberger,
William B. Rice,
Henry M. Faxon,
Harry L. Rice,
Theophilus King,
J. Franklin Faxon,
Charles A. Price,
Timo. Reed,
L. Dowley Williams,
Thomas L. Sturtevent,
J. L. Sturtevent,
George B. Dewson,
J. H. Gilbert,
John C. Randall,
Henry W. Porter,
Robert B. Porter.

In connection with the change of location, Sect. 16 of Chapter 578 of the the Acts of 1898 provides that when locations for street railways are altered upon petition of the street railways or any interested party, the alterations shall be made by the railway company and the expense thereof shall be borne by the party or parties interested.

In this case the party interested are the petitioners for the street railway desires no change, and the question now comes if the City Council orders the change or alterations petitioned for if the seventeen petitioners would not have to go down into their pockets and pay the bill.

TODAY'S COURT.

William Bucham was sentenced to three months in the house of corection for assault on James Mc Clements at Milton.

Theodore L. Wright was fined $5 for drunkness at Quincy.

William Healey was arrained for assault on Mary Buckley at Weymouth. Case continued one week.

DR. HERBERT S. HAYFORD
195 Hancock Street.
OFFICE HOURS—11 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.
Telephone, 4-3.
Quincy, July 5. tf

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Snow is predicted for Sunday.

The ground is in good condition for snow.

The Fragment society will meet in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

A side glance at our store windows shows the merchants are preparing for Christmas.

Cars will be able to pass over the Washington street culvert at Canal street tonight.

Work has been commenced driving the piles for the new street railway building at Neponset.

The Wollaston Golf Club's house was again broken into this week and eight dozen balls were stolen.

The time for petitioning for a recount of votes of the municipal election expired last night. None were asked.

At Nash's auction yesterday afternoon several pictures were sold and one of Admiral Dewey brought the highest price.

The Gleaners will meet at the home of Mrs. W. E. Simmons, 14 Central avenue, Monday, Dec. 12, at 2.30 P. M.

Dr. Ash received a painful wound in the eye last Monday while driving on Hancock street near Fenno street by a hanging wire striking him in the face.

Mike and Dan have made the connection with the dynamo at Music hall by which the Greenleaf hotel, and Durgin & Merrill's block will be lighted with electricity tonight for the first time.

The camp fire stories of Col. Edward Anderson have received many very complimentary notice, and his lecture at Quincy Point next Wednesday evening will be a treat.

The East Norfolk C. E. Union held its bi-monthly meeting at the Randolph Baptist church, Monday evening, Dec. 5. It was the first time the Union has met with this society since it became a member of the Union.

Chief of Police Eldredge, of Boston, will lecture on "The Police and the Public," at the Universalist church next Monday night. The introduction will be by Mr. John O. Hall who will make a short address.

If the Quincy merchants invite you by advertisement, buy your Christmas gifts in Quincy. Here's where we live, and here's where our friends, the merchants and their clerks and other employes also live. Let's all help each other along.

The second social dance given by Winthrop J. Fearaby was held in Music hall, Atlantic last evening and was largely attended. Many being present from out of town. The grand march was led by Mr. George R. Willey and Miss Flossie Brown. Treat's full orchestra of Boston, furnished enchanting music.

The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist church, hold an entertainment, sale and supper in the vestry Wednesday evening. The ladies will serve one of their famous suppers. The young people of the Braintree parish will present the drama, "Diamond cut Diamond." These young people are excellent entertainers.

Pound Party.

The A. O. U. W. hall at Norfolk Downs was crowded to its fullest extent last evening it being the dance and Pound Party given by Lodge No. 178, A. O. U. W. Each lady brought a pound of something placing her name inside the package. They were auctioned off to the gentlemen as souvenirs at 8.15, the same gentleman escorting that lady in the grand march. It was one of the largest parties ever held in the hall. Music was furnished by Robinson's orchestra. Dancing was continued until twelve.

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Square, Oval, Circle Gothic and Arch-Top

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High-Grade Work at Moderate Prices.

188 Lincoln Street,
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By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer, Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Household Furniture AND VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

—OF—

ALVIN ROGERS,

At Public Auction

ON THE PREMISES,

13 PLEASANT ST., cor. QUINCY ST., South Quincy.

On Friday Dec. 16, 1898,

at 1.30 P. M., we will sell the

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

consisting in part as follows: Parlor Cherry Suit of 3 pieces, Easy Chair, 3 Hair Cloth Chairs, Rocker, Couch, Black Walnut Sideboard, Hat Tree, Oval Gilt Frame Mirror, large Gilt Frame Mirror, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, Pictures, 3 Marble Top Tables, Arm Chair, 3 Rockers, Rattan Rocker, Carpets, 4 Bureaus in good order, Ash Chamber Set, Comforters, Sheets, 3 Single Beds, 4 Tables, 2 small Stands, 3 small Glasses, Mattresses, 3 Rugs, Commode Set, Curtains, Trunk, Tools, Crawford Range in good order, Glenwood Range, large size, in good order; Kitchen Utensils, large lot of Crockery worthy attention of buyers, Kitchen Table, 1 Hen Coop, and a variety of useful household goods.

Sale positive. Terms cash.

On Saturday, Dec. 17,

at 2 P. M., on the premises,

THE REAL ESTATE

will be sold. Large double house of 16 rooms, situated on corner of Pleasant and Quincy streets, frontage of 66 feet on Pleasant street and 100 feet on Quincy street. This house is well constructed and arranged for two families, in good condition with city water and furnace. Everything complete about the place, and the owner sells without reserve as he desires to close out his real estate in the city. Excellent chance for investment or to purchase for a home. Location the best in the city, near depot, electrics, and centre of business. Buyer can arrange easy terms if desired. House can be seen for inspection upon application to the auctioneer. Do not miss this chance to purchase desirable real estate at a public sale. Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed in ten days.

Also, 9 room Cottage in rear of this estate, No. 19 Quincy street, containing about 26,000 square feet of land. This is an excellent opportunity for a working man to obtain a home. The house is in good repair and will be sold without reserve.

Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed.

Sale positive. Terms easy.

Remember day and dates.

Dec. 7—8t p lw

By D. E. MACCARTHY, - Auctioneer. 106 Court Street, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Mary E. Poland of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusets, to Judd W. Cone of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth as aforesaid, dated October 19th, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 748, Page 251, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, January 3d, A. D., 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called Atlantic, being lot numbered 219 on plan of "Norfolk Downs" by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, plan numbered 640, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southwesterly by Freeman street, fifty (50) feet; northwesterly by lot numbered 218 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; northeasterly by lot numbered 255 as shown on said plan, fifty (50) feet; southeasterly by lot numbered 220 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; containing five thousand (5,000) square feet of land according to said plan; subject to the same restrictions in deed from Judd W. Cone to said Mary E. Poland.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, balance in 10 days or on delivery of deed.

EDWIN HAWKRIDGE,
Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.
Dec. 10. 3t 10 17 24

POLL TAX NOTICE.

UNPAID Poll Taxes will be given to an officer to collect with cost

MONDAY, Dec. 19th.

You will save $1.50 in cost by paying before that time.

A. L. BAKER,
Collector.
Quincy, Dec. 6, 1898. 5t

Cold Drop FLOUR,

$4.50 Cash

We guarantee it to be perfect bread flour.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,
Quincy, Nov. 26. tf

NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, Quincy, Mass., November 21, 1898.

ALL Persons having bills against the City of Quincy are requested to present the same to the various departments at once.

All persons owing bills to the City are requested to make a prompt settlement.

Respectfully,
RUSSELL A. SEARS,
21 28 d3 6 10 17 Mayor.

PULMONINE.

for Coughs and Colds. This is not a Patent Medicine. Dr. Cushing's formula upon every bottle. Price 35 cts. Your druggist has it. If not, order of the Cushing Medical Supply Co., 580 Washington St., Boston, Mass. nov26-13ts

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FLOUR,
50 Cash
guarantee it to be
bread flour.
PRATT & CO.,
Nov. 26. tf

All Respectable Ladies want the

Sorosis Placket Fastener

Because it keeps the Placket in a closed condition, and gives a beautiful hang to the skirt. All first-class dry goods houses sell them and all good dressmakers use them. Can be applied to any skirt in five minutes.

This invention has brought the award of the Great Diploma and the large Gold Medal of the Inventor's Academy, Paris.

Quincy, Dec. 10.

BOSTON BARGAINS

Are often worthless, and many times we have seen bargain prices quoted on watches that were actually higher than our regular every day prices. Our stock is as large as that of any two stores in Norfolk County.

All Prices, from $3.00 Up.

A Written Guarantee with Every Watch Sold.

We have them for Boys and Girls, Ladies and Gentlemen, in Nickel, Silver, Gold Filled and Solid Gold.

No Trouble to Show Goods,
WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT.

OUR STOCK OF SILVER WARE IS COMPLETE.

Tea Sets from $6.00 Up.

Napkin Rings, Shaving Mugs, Pickle, Berry, Cake and Butter Dishes, Castors, Ice Pitchers, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Child's Sets, Puff Boxes, Ladles, Button Hooks, Shoe Horns, Tooth Brushes, Nut Picks and Cracks, etc. Jewelry: Pins, Rings, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, etc.

OPERA GLASSES FROM $1.50 UP.

Pen Holders, Clocks, Fancy Figures, etc.

Engrving Done While You Wait.

WILLIAMS' MODERN JEWELRY STORE,
104 Hancock Street, Quincy.

THE WISDOM OF TRADING HERE.

Confidence in the people you trade with should be the first principle of shopping with the thinking buyer.

If one needs the services of a physician, he naturally has a preference, and its nothing but confidence in the man you talk with that leads you to follow his advice to the letter. The sole aim of the clerks in many of the stores of today, seems to be the one object of selling goods, no matter by what means or by what misrepresentations.

At this store things are different; the fundamental principle of this business is to keep the interest of our patrons at heart, misrepresent nothing and sell the best goods the market produces at prices a little lower than those of the leading Boston stores. These methods alone account for the success of this business, and the confidence of the people have in our store system.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Reliable, Low Priced House Furnishers,
Hancock Street, - Quincy.

The Brick Sidewalk Leads To Gus Bates'

and

Gus Bates will sell you a Parlor Stove at cost. He is also just the man to do your plumbing and heating. Before you purchase be sure and see . . . .

BATES.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

NO CROW FOR THEM.

Councilman Hultman Entertains Ward Two Committee.

According to history, soldiers after the heat of a battle, whether victorious or vanquished, gather about the camp fire, and while the smoke from their pipes floats lazily away, discuss the stirring events that so recently have been upon the stage of life. So it also is in politics.

For several years Councilman Eugene N. Hultman has made it a rule to entertain, at his home on Washington street, the members of the Ward Two Republican Committee and a few intimate friends These events are always enjoyable and are looked forward to with pleasure by the favored ones. Last evening was the time set for the gathering this year, the host being Councilman Hultman's son, Eugene C. Hultman, a chip of the old block. It is needless to say that all bidden to come were present including His Honor Mayor Sears, who this year was a special guest. One would naturally suppose that this year politics would form the chief topic of conversation and crow the chief item on the menu.

Strange as it may seem politics were not touched upon, and the menu of which the guests partook was anything but crow.

The early part of the evening was spent in general conversation, and in the enjoyment of the Captain's supply of cigars. At 10 o'clock supper was announced. Captain Hultman told many of his ever laughable experiences during his life at sea, Captain T. H. Newcomb several amusing stories of the war, Mayor Sears some lawyer yarns, and Mr. John R. Graham some of his many experiences on his farm in Kentucky. When these would stop for a few moments to gather headway for another broadside, the heretofore mentioned chip of the old block, filled in with some of his own personal experiences. With such an array of talent the hours passed all too quickly and at midnight good nights were said with regret.

Who Did It.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

In a recent issue of the Ledger Ward Five, Wollaston, is said to be the cause of Mayor Sears' defeat. Is this true? On comparing the returns with last year, Mayor Sears lost one vote in his own ward, 31 votes in Ward 2, Mayor-elect Keith's home, 47 votes in Ward 3, and 43 votes in precinct 2 of Ward 4. He gained 3 votes in Ward 5, Wollaston, and 6 votes in Ward Six and 28 votes in that democratic stronghold, precinct 1, Ward 4. The vote for Mayor was 175 larger this year than last, nearly all of which went to Mayor-elect Keith. The Swedes—some 300 to 400 strong—in Wards 1 and 3, and precinct 2 of Ward 4 really turned the election. They voted for Mayor Sears to stay at home because a good Democrat is better than a bad Republican and a public official ought to stick to his party and his friends and not go afishing in muddy water.

Secondly the Mayor, and especially the Board of Health did not treat Mr. Julius Johnson gentlemanly when complaint was made and proof offered against certain parties, the proceedings were star-chambered and the indictment quashed and all because he had a— —"pull" (? ? ?) This was rank favoritism, class legislation and Tammany hallism, and ought to be and has been repudiated. Possibly, this is wasting a good deal of powder over a dead crow, and the incident does not warrant the result of so much wind and little wool, but the principle is right and lives, and has been vindicated.

Right here the remark of President Lincoln applies, "That you can fool some of the people all the time, and all of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time."

The fact is, the Scandinavian Republican club this time held the "balance of power," they bolted largely and "did it" quietly and successfully, and are perfectly willing to take all the blame and some of the honor. It was hard work to convince some of the good, old Republican church deacons, who have never voted for a Democrat before in their life, that in so doing they were not directly voting for the devil, but they "did it" and are not ashamed of it either and willing to stand for it.

The past election reminds me very much of two western farmers who traded horses so that both won, which of course is very hard to do and now everybody seems happy and satisfied. The anti-Sears men got the Mayor-ship, and the Republicans got the rest.

Respectfully,
WORKER.

A CARD.

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Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

THE DREAD ALARM.

A Blaze in the Business Section of Weymouth.

At 7.30 last evening the fire department was called upon to respond to an alarm pulled in from Box 38. This alarm is known as the "Dread Alarm," the box being situated in Washington square, at the corner of Washington and Commercial streets. The box covers the principal business section of the town, and an alarm from it is pretty sure to be followed by a general alarm. Last night however, owing to the efficient work of Department the other departments were not called upon for assistance.

The alarm was for a fire in the Tuft's Library building. The street floor of the building is cut up into two stores, one of which is occupied by J. E. Connell, druggist, and the other by James Rand, dry goods. The fire started in that corner of the cellar directly under the prescription department of Connell; and was discovered by Charles Higgins, a clerk, who quickly sounded, an alarm, the box being direclty in front of the Washington street entrance to the store.

The fire department was quickly upon the scene and soon had several streams of water playing into the cellar. For a time it looked as if Mr. Connell would lose everything, but greatly to the credit of the department, he sustained a comparatively small loss. Meanwhile a scene of great disorder was taking place in the library, and was it with difficulty that all the persons in the reading room were made to understand that there was no immediate danger and no call for such excitement.

In the cellar of Mr. Connell's store was stored an immense quantity of explosives and highly combustible material, such as alcohol, witch hazel and benzine. Of course if the flames were allowed to reach these, the entire building was doomed to destruction, but this was just what Chief Walsh was determined should not occur.

As Mr. Connell's stock consisted to a large extent of glass ware, the fire men had to be very careful to allow no stream of water to diverge from its course and thereby do untold damage to the interior of the store. Mr. Connell gives the fire department great credit for the presence of mind they showed in this line, as they so handled the hose that two lines were run through the store, and not a thing was broken.

Those who were first upon the scene had taken some of the fixtures down, and into E. W. Hunt's but Chief Walsh thought that it would be advisable to await developments before tearing everything to pieces, and the result showed his good judgment and the confidence that he had in his men.

The local representative of the Ledger was early upon the scene, and gained admittance to the burning structure. In an interivew with Mr. Connell and Insurance Adjuster Jordan, he learned that the loss was estimated as follows: J. E. Connell, $2,500; James Rand, $1,500, Library, $300; mostly by smoke. All of these losses were fully covered by insurance.

It is thought that electric wires were responsible for the conflagration. This was the first alarm that has been sounded for a fire in Ward Three since the burning of the Union church in June '97. It was also the first time the new hose wagon has been used.

A PHILANTHROPY NOT A CHARITY.

Rev. Edward Anderson, the pastor of the Quincy Point Congregational church, will address the men's vespers at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock and will speak of his army experiences in the war of '61. Miss Rachael McClellan and Mr. C. M. Hersey will sing. All men are invited.

Officers Elected.

Gen. Sylvanus Thayer Women's Relief Corps elected the following officers at their meeting on Monday evening:

President,—Mrs. Sarah Crosby.
S. V. P.,—Mrs. Elizabeth Loring.
J. V. P.,—Mrs. Lizzie Howe.
Chaplain,—Mrs. Emma Dyer.
Conductor,—Mrs. Myra Woodsum.
Treasurer,—Mrs. Charles G. Anderson.

Will Get the Whole Story.

Mayor Sears has received from the Board of Harbor & Land Commission a communication requesting information "regarding the storm of Nov. 26 and 27, with reference to beaches, harbors, channels, landings, navigation generally, wrecks and wreckage the encroachment of the sea on the land and general destruction wrought by it on the coast." The Mayor has referred the communication to Mr. J. S. Whiting to prepare the necessary data.

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WEYMOUTH.

The East Weymouth Loyal Temperance Legion will meet in Temperance hall, Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

The East Weymouth W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. W. W. Hayden, Wednesday afternoon December 14.

Prof. Roland D. Grant will deliver a very interesting lecture on the Yellowstone Park at Odd Fellows Opera House East Weymouth, Monday night.

Mrs. George French and son have left Weymouth Centre for the West.

At the W. R. C. fair, held at Odd Fellows opera house, a large audience listened to "Sweethearts" played by excellent talent.

The Fairmount Cemetery Association will meet with Mrs. Wallace Whitten on Thursday afternoon.

William H. Chipman, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of Weymouth, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Mason of Front street, late yesterday afternoon. Mr. Chipman was 77 years and 9 months of age, and had been a railroad man nearly all of his life. For years he was employed by the Old Colony Railroad Company, in the capacity of conductor, and was well known throughout the State. For the past ten years he has been in charge of the messenger service of the road.

T. John Evans has been appointed postmaster at Weymouth centre.

Herbert F. Bates, the popular station agent at East Weymouth, has resigned his position with the New Haven railroad and accepted a position of responsibility with the Boston Terminal Company.

Post Office Contest.

Who shall be postmaster at Braintree is the question that now is uppermost in the minds of some of our citizens.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Republican town committee and that body thought best to take no part in it, but suggested that a caucus of those who patronize the Braintree office, be held so that they might show by their votes what their preferences are. In accordance with that suggestion, a caucus will be held in the Armory tonight.

There are three candidates in the field: Mr. A. Southworth the present official, ex-Postmaster N. R. Procter and Mr. M. A. Minchin.

Mr. Southworth's friends feel that he has been a faithful official, and will do what they can to have him retained.

Mr. Minchin is a popular young man and has a following; but Mr. Procter has the most numerously signed petition and at present seems to be the most popular candidate. The result of this evening's conference will be looked forward to with interest.

The Unity Club.

The Rev. James E. Bagley conducted the regular meeting of the Unity Club, which was held at the vestry of the Wollaton Unitarian church on Friday evening. The large audience listened to some of the ablest prepared papers which have been read this season, and also a couple of well rendered solos from Verdi by Mrs. F. A. Page and Mr. E. Walter Arnold. Mrs. John H. Litchfield read a paper on the Medici's; Mrs. W. E. Simmons on Marco Polo and his travels. Mr. W. G. Corthell on the richest monastery in Italy,—Certosia of Pavia. Miss Lingley on Andrea del Sarto and Della Robbias and Miss Hayes on Verdi, the paper being read by Mr. Bayley.

Here is One Slate.

Rumor has it that Mayor Keith is to make a clean sweep. A Ledger reporter said in a joking way to a well known Democrat yesterday: "I suppose that the slate is all made up." "Yes," was the response. "how does this list strike you?" This was the list:

Commissioner of Public Works,—John T. Cavanagh.
City Clerk.—James H. Slade.
City Treasurer.—James F. Burke.
City Solicitor.—P. R. Blackmur.
Chief of Fire Dept.—P. J. Williams.
Chief of Police—J. W. Hayden.
Principal Assessor—John Federhen, 2d.

The Ledger is inclined to think that Mayor Keith will make his own appointments without much help.

Union Church Dedication.

The dedication of the beautiful new church at East Braintree will take place at 7.30 Tuesday evening. The programme is not yet fully completed but the following named reverend gentlemen will take part in the exercises: Rev. Frank E. Butler, Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, Rev. Daniel Evans, Rev. Edward Norton, Rev. Oliver Huckle, Rev. S. K. B. Perkins, Rev. Henry J. Patrick, D. D., and the pastor, Rev. H. S. Snyder.

The sermon will be by Rev. Mr. Huckle.

The soloists and choir will be Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, soprano; Miss Gertrude Edmands, contralto; Mr. George J. Parker, tenor; Mr. D. M. Babcock, basso; and Mr. Howard M. Dow, organist.

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SENATORKYLE'SSTORY

Concerning Purchase of Philippines by Japan Is Declared False.

Reasons Why the Proposition Could Not Be True.

Improvement In Conditions and Growth of Better Feeling at Manila.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Senator Kyle of South Dakota is authority for the statement, which he declares he makes on semi-official authority, that Japan has offered this government $200,000,000 for the Philippine isalnds. He says that there is a distinct sentiment in official circles in favor of eventually turning the islands over to Japan, or to some other power or powers. These statements are given some weight by the fact that Wednesday Senator Kyle had an interview with the president concerning our policy in the Philippines.

The above story was called in when subjected to a little scrutiny, and at the Japanese legation it was said that if any negotiation of the kind was in progress, the legation officers were unaware of it.

In the diplomatic circle generally the report was received with amusement. One diplomatist said that the foremost interest Japan had in the Philippines lay in having it under American ownership.

"Japan," he said, "has been building up a fine commerce with the Philippines which is still on the increase with every promise of indefinite growth. It would be a serious blow to her hopes in that quarter if the islands were to pass under the control of any other nation than the United States. As for owning them herself, that would be quite out of the question. It would mean the subjugation of the rebellion, and that in turn would mean a large increase in her army and navy, the burden of which is already so heavy as to keep a treasury deficit always staring her in the face. Formosa is a sufficiently troublesome problem for her to handle, without adding the Philippines to it. Formosa is peopled for a large part with savages, some of them cannibals, and fierce fighters. The government is gradually subduing them, and when this work is complete there will doubtless be a revenue from the island which will enrich Japan, but meanwhile the Japanese treasury is in no condition to be spending money for territory.

"Aside from the question of expense, moreover, there are other considerations. Japan has enterprise, courage and a highly developed spirit of patriotism, and she showed her prowess as a fighter in the war with China; but she is, after all, a small nation comparatively, and hardly equal to coping with any of the great powers of Europe. Germany has had her eye on some of the Philippine group for a long while, and there are other western nations which would not mind having a slice. It would be a comparatively easy matter for any of these powers, or for two or more of them in combination, to find a cause for quarrelling with Japan and getting the Philippines, or the most desirable of them, away from her. In short, there is no power on earth which could hold the Philippines without the likelihood of soon having a fight on its hands for their retention except the United States, and for that reason Japan's hopes are wrapped up in the idea of American control."

These views are in entire accord with those expressed by an officer of the Japanese government in conversation last spring, before Dewey's victory in Manila bay and while it was still known to very few persons in Washington that the capture of the Philippines had been considered by the administration among the other features of its war program. The talk in the administration circle then was of taking the Philippines from Spain and giving them outright to Japan as a means of crippling Spain in the Pacific in case of a protracted war. No thought of buying or selling was then in anybody's mind, and the interview at that time was obtained for the purpose of using it when the news of the Philippines program should come out.

Senator Kyle's statement is probably based upon a casual remark of the president, indicating his supposition that Japan or any other power would be willing to pay us a large price, and not upon any assertion by the president that such an offer had been made.

Meeting of the Cabinet.

The discussion of the details of the administration of government affairs in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines under the treaty of peace which is about to be signed in Paris occupied a large part of the time at yesterday's cabinet meeting.

The establishment of a new postal system in Cuba was regarded as a pressing necessity. The present purpose is to fashion the new system, so far as practicable, upon our own model.

Nothing had been heard from Paris up to the close of the cabinet meeting.

An official denial is authorized that the sale of the Philippine islands to any other nation has ever been considered by this government, and it is stated that the published statements to the effect that their sale to Japan had been under discussion were altogether false.

The cabinet also talked over an elaborate tariff measure, which is now in preparation here, to go into force, as now planned, contemporaneously with the entire relinquishment of the island of Cuba by the Spanish on Jan. 1. This tariff measure, it is said, will show an average reduction all along the line of about 50 percent from the Spanish tariff rates. The understanding now is that there will be no export duties and that in other ways the burden of taxation will be reduced.

Advices From Dewey.

A cablegram from Admiral Dewey was read, summarizing the existing conditions at Manila and such points in the Philippines as have been visited by his officers. Advices were received also from General Otis, the commandant of the United States military forces in the islands, and they both go to show a notable improvement in conditions and the growth of a better spirit among those factions of the natives which promised to give trouble. This fact is particularly gratifying, as the United States government is already giving consideration to the best means to redeem the pledge it will be placed under by the treaty of Paris to secure the release of the Spanish prisoners held by the Philippine natives. There are about 500 clerical prisoners, and the government is confident that their captors will deliver them up on proper representation from General Otis and Admiral Dewey, made possible through Consul Wildman. It may be necessary to call the navy into service in this matter, for the reason that some of the prisoners are held in captivity on other islands than Luzon, which can be reached best and most effectively by Admiral Dewey's ships. Besides those clerical prisoners, the Americans themselves hold nearly 15,000 Spanish soldiers as prisoners, men captured at the fall of Manila. These are actually on parole about the city, and the question is how they are to be returned to Spain. This must be settled by the peace commissioners in Paris.

IMPORTANT RECOMMENDATIONS

Contained In Annual Report of Inspector General of the Army.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The inspector general of the army, in his annual report, says that the war brought out results in the branch of the service devoted to military instruction in civil schools and colleges, and makes the basis for some interesting recommendations in this line.

The inspector general pays a marked compliment to the personnel of his department, as well as to other branches of the government under whose direction the war was prosecuted, with the following compliment to the president:

"The indominatable energy, the perpetual improvement, the care and painstaking that was demonstrated from the White House down to the loading wharf, through every branch and desk of the war department to the final exit of an organized command of every arm and corps of the service upon foreign soil, deserve recognition."

He emphasizes strongly the need of periodical military maneuvers and experimental mobilization to insure the health and safety of the troops in actual service. If this is omitted, he declares, the most lavish expenditure, with the best intentions and most untiring energy as a substitute for practised skill, is but a poor makeshift.

Favorable mention is made of the national home for disabled volunteers. Reports from its branches during the year showed an average population of 18,510, a net gain over the previous year of 392. This would have been much greater had more accommodations been available for all the worthy applicants. The average cost of maintenance per capita for the year was $125.99, an increase of $4.84 over the previous year, but less than the three preceding years.

One of the most interesting features of the report is that upon military colleges. Except for the interruption of military instruction by the withdrawal of regular army officers during the war, 15,000 students are being annually trained in practical and theoretical military science in private and public schools and colleges. The presidents of 46 of these colleges, whose military departments numbered 7100 students, reported that 29 of these regular students and 50 alumni had been commissioned in the regular army and 157 students and 296 alumni in the volunteer army, a total of 541 officers, or enough for about 12 regiments. Further, 1084 students and ex-students joined the army as non-commissioned officers or privates. Accepting these statistics as a fair average, it would appear, says the report, that the regular and volunteer armies secured from the students annually instructed by regular army officers at the various colleges enough officers for 24 regiments.

In conclusion on this subject the inspector general says that some substantial recognition should be accorded the students who spend a large part of their school life in military study, and he recommends the selection of some of these students for appointment annually in the army. Such a policy, he says, would benefit both the students, the colleges and the government.

Want to Become Citizens.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The brothers Cortez, wealthy Filipinos who have just arrived in Washington from Manila, were received by Secretary Hay yesterday, who listened with interest to their statements of events and conditions in the Philippines. The callers brought with them letters from Generals Merritt and Otis, Consul Wildman, and other American officers at Manila, speaking in terms of high praise of the valuable services rendered the United States troops and navy by those men, and telling of the heavy sacrifices made by them to assist our forces. They seek as a measure of recognition the gift of American citizenship by special act in advance of other Filipinos.

Not Ready to Resign.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Major General Wheeler authorized the following statement as to reports that he had decided to resign from the house of representatives: "I am surprised to see what purports to be an interview about me resigning from congress. I have never gone further than to say that I would consider the question when I had time and would take such action as my friends would approve. Thus far, however, I have reached no final conclusions."

Ballington Is a General.

New York, Dec. 10.—The second annual meeting of the grand field council of the Volunteers of America, which has been in session here for the past three days, finished its labors yesterday. The uniform of the female members has been ordered changed from cadet blue, now worn, to the cadet gray color. To further distinguish the bonnet from that of the Salvation Army it was decided to have a smaller bonnet, and the top of it will be rolled backward. From today Ballington Booth will be designated as "General" Booth.

Becker Gets Seven Years.

San Francisco, Dec. 10.—Karl Becker, known to the police all over the country as the prince of forgers, was sentenced to serve seven years in San Quentin yesterday for defrauding the Nevada bank of this city out of over $20,000 by means of a raised check which he and three others presented to the bank for payment.

GALLOWS ROPE BROKE.

Two Hangings Before John Anderson Was Swung Into Eternity.

Nine Minutes Between First and Second Drops.

Brief Story of the Crime at Sea Which Resulted In the Execution.

Norfolk, Dec. 10.—The death warrant was read yesterday forenoon to John Anderson, condemned to be hanged for the murder of the mate of the Olive Pecker. He was calm, and said that he was ready to go. "I shall die and go into the presence of God without blot or blemish of guilt on my soul," he solemnly declared.

The execution occurred in the city jail at 3 p. m. Anderson marched from his cell to the scaffold unsupported, and with firm step ascended the steps without assistance. After prayer by Rev. J. B. Merritt, chaplain of the Seaman's Bethel, who kissed him good-bye, Anderson made a short speech, saying he had forgiven the men who swore his life away, and would die at peace with the world and God. He spoke pleasantly to, and smiled at the death watchers and the crowd below, and in a firm tone said: "I am ready."

At 3:06 the trap was sprung and Anderson's body shot downward. The rope parted just inside the knot and his body fell to the cobble stones. A thrill of horror ran through the crowd. Officers and witnesses rushed to the body and snatched the black cap from the head and found blood oozing from mouth, nose and eyes. A doctor was called and soon Anderson opened his eyes and, it was said, began to breathe. He was carried, feet foremost, up the stairs to the platform and laid down until a chair was obtained. He was then placed in this, but he never spoke.

Preparations for rehanging him were hurriedly made. The other end of the rope was adjusted around his neck. He was raised to a standing posture and the straps again placed on his limbs. While being supported by the officers the trap was again sprung. In 23 minutes life was pronounced extinct. Nine minutes elapsed between the first and second drops. Anderson's neck was broken, supposedly by the last drop.

Marshal Treat refused to turn the body over to the Virginia Anatonomical society, and it was placed in a casket and buried in the seamen's lot in Elmwood cemetery.

When the rope broke there was a cry from some one in the crowd: "Telegraph to the president."

Anderson's crime has attracted widespread attention, being a sea tragedy of singular romance and atrocity. The schooner Olive Pecker sailed from Boston laden with lumber for a point on the River Platte, Brazil. When 150 miles off the coast of Brazil, Anderson, a Swede, had an altercation with the captain. When the latter retired to the cabin Anderson followed and shot the captain dead. Then he armed himself heavily and went on deck, where he terrorized all on board. The mate, who was aloft, was called down, and while pleading for his life was shot four times. Then the crew were ordered to throw the dying mate overboard, and on protesting that he was not dead were assured that he "was dead enough."

This done the crew were marched below at the point of a pistol and ordered to throw the captain's body overboard. Then Anderson directed that oil be thrown over the lumber, after which the oil-soaked ship was set afire, and the murderous crew took to the boats. Anderson was apprehended at Bahia, Brazil, and sent north on the United States gunboat Lancaster. He was tried and convicted in the United States court at Norfolk, and a most stubborn fight was made up to the supreme court, the conviction being confirmed.

The last move was an application for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that Anderson's constitutional rights were invaded, and the lower court assigned him counsel instead of giving him counsel of his own choice.

Chief Justice Fuller in announcing the court's opinion, said the record of the case showed that no fundamental right had been denied Anderson, but that he had been represented from first to last by able counsel. The time when counsel was not present was at a preliminary hearing of Anderson, but this was not used in the subsequent trial. The decision of the lower court was affirmed.

Banks Have Compromised.

Boston, Dec. 10.—After working assiduously for weeks the receivers of the two banks wrecked by reason of the alleged wrongdoing of Lewis Warner have succeeded in clearing the tangle which existed in their respective accounts. As a result the litigation over the thousands of dollars which were claimed by each institution has been amicably settled. Suit had been instituted by the receivers of the Hampshire County National bank against the receivers of the Hampshire County Savings bank, with a view of procuring the funds which were in dispute. The terms of the compromise were agreed to several days ago.

Paid Fines and Skipped.

Boston, Dec. 10.—Two female shoplifters were arrested at a hotel where they were dining by police inspectors yesterday and about $1000 worth of articles taken from prominent dry goods houses recovered. The women were immediately taken before a police court, where they paid $100 each as a fine. They gave fictitious names, and, on being released, left the city.

Two Charges of Assault.

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 10.—Samuel Connors, the negro charged with felonious assault and attempted murder on Mrs. Louisa Buttrick, was held in $15,000 bail for the grand jury by Judge Berry yesterday after a hearing. Connors denied all knowledge of the offense. Mrs. Buttrick is still confined to her bed in the hospital, with the chances in favor of her recovery.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Golf and Shinny.

This golfin game that ev'ry one is crazy on an playin
May be enjoyable an sich I don't doubt fur a minute.
I've only seen the game played onct, but I'm right here a-sayin
I'll bet there wasn't one of them air fellers playin in it
Who didn't want to change a spell, an did in recollection.
An be back on the commons with the Doty tribe and "Skinny"
An club the ole tin can ag'in an kinder lose connection
In the modern game of golfin in the ole time game of shinny.

Of course there wasn't "caddies," or they wasn't gals a-playin,
An shins was cracked, but what's the odds so long's they didn't mind it.
The clubs they wasn't polished up, but what's a club, I'm sayin—
The spirit in the boy made up fur that who stood behind it.
I like the golfin game because it brings back recollection
Of times back on the commons with the Doty tribe an "Skinny."
It kinder does me good to know that folks like the connection
In the modern game of golfin to the ole time game of shinny.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Geography.

"Well, what is an island?" asked the man upon being informed that his son had now taken up the study of geography at school.

"Land entirely surrounded by water," replied the boy.

"That is not correct," said the man. "An island is land surrounded by water on all sides except the upper side. Land entirely surrounded by water is suburban real estate."

Then the man remarked to his wife that schools were too theoretical; there was need of an admixture of practical knowledge in their instruction.—Detroit Journal.

Johnnie's Version.

Teacher—Yes, children, it's a very good proverb, "When you put your hand to the plow don't look back." It means that when you make up your mind to do a thing you must do it with all your might, without regret and paying no attention to anything else. Now, will some little boy repeat the proverb for me? Ah, yes, Johnnie will! What is it, Johnnie?

Johnnie (with a broad smile of triumph) —When you gits to plowin, don't rubber.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

His Idle Dream.

He went into a store to buy a book.
The pretty maiden at the counter there
Half smiled as she bestowed on him a look
That thrilled him from his toes unto his hair.

He handled fifty books, for which he cared
No more than if they'd been the merest dirt.
He lingered just because the maiden stared.
He felt that he'd become an awful flirt.

A glass hung on the wall behind him, and
Therein at last he saw his mirrored face.
Some soot upon his nose had chanced to land—
In seven seconds he had quit the place.
—Chicago News

Noteworthy.

Local Cadger (to elderly antiquary in search of materials for new book)—There, now, that's valuable information, guv'nor, ain't it?

Elder Antiquary—It is indeed. I shall be very glad to make a note of it.

Local Cadger—Do, guv'nor! Please make it a fiver.—Boston Globe.

Wind Business.

Smith—What kind of business is Brown engaged in?

Jones—Pneumatic, I think.

Smith—Pneumatic! Why, I never heard of a business like that!

Jones—Well, whatever it is, he's running it on wind.—Chicago News.

The Chrysanthemum.

We have waited as the hours
Drifted by,
A fair freak among the flowers
To descry.
Now we welcome it once more
In the parlor and the store
With its tresses pompadour
And awry.

Mighty matter to disclose
Does it come;
It's no wonder that the rose
Now looks glum.
Let your hair be kempt amiss—
The whole secret lies in this
For a poet or a chrys
Anthemum.
—Washington Star.

Education.

Mistress (angrily)—See, Bridget! I can write my name in the dust on this mantelpiece.

Bridget (admiringly)—There's nothin like eddication after all, is there, mum?—Roxbury Gazette.

Practical Grief.

When Phyllis jilted Corydon,
His state of grief was something quite intense.
He wrote a quatrain thereupon
And sold it for $1.80.
—Indianapolis Journal.

Who Dick Is Now.

Mr. Bainbridge—Daughter, who is this Richard Waddington Grimes I hear you talking about so much?

Miss Bainbridge—He is the little Dick Grimes you used to know, papa. He writes poetry now.—Detroit Free Press.

A Rare Instance.

Upon his rounds the letter carrier ran,
And to ponder in this manner he began:
"Here's another case, by jing!
Of that often heard of thing,
The office that's a-seeking of the man."
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Signs Multiply.

"Here's another sign of a hard winter."
"What is it?"
"The holes in the doughnuts are smaller than usual."—Chicago Record.

A Tribute.

The man whose jibbing motor car
Since noon hath blocked the way
Admits between his curses
Motors have "come to stay."
—Judy.

Nothing but a Title.

"Suppose," suggested the editor of the woman's page, "that I write an article on 'The Logic of the Heart?'"

A Picture.

'Twas not framed in gold or silver,
Yet it rather took my eye—
A very small boy on a big doorstep
With half a pumpkin pie.
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MOVE FOR MORE SLEEP

Washington Society Queens Indorse the Philadelphia Idea.

MRS. GAGE A STRONG ADVOCATE.

With Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Foster, She Declares That the Present Pace Is Ruinous to Health—Mrs. Leiter and Others Say That Proposed Change Will Not Prove Popular.

The conclusion reached by a number of prominent Philadelphia women that society requires more sleep has attracted much attention in social circles in Washington. Mrs. Lyman J. Gage, wife of the secretary of the treasury, said recently:

"I am heartily in favor of Washington society emulating the good example of the Philadelphia women. There is no doubt that young girls frequently ruin their health by the late hours which their social duties entail. Nor is the evil confined to young girls. Young matrons, elderly matrons, too, are often sufferers from 'the pace that kills.' But most of all I think that the long hours are injurious to our young men. They, unlike their gentle companions in social gayety, cannot lie in bed in the morning.

"Many of the young men who figure in society are busy men of affairs. To dance and act the agreeable from 7 or 8 in the evening until 2 or 3 next morning and then to appear in the world of business before noon is to carry out a programme which cannot fail to destroy both mind and body. I think that the hostesses of the opening season can alleviate this evil. To begin such functions as cotillons and germans about 9 and to end them shortly after midnight would be a step in the right direction."

Mrs. Julia D. Grant said: "I will most cordially indorse a concerted movement on the part of the social leaders of Washington to arrange that the hours now given to evening entertainments shall be fewer and so more in accordance with the laws of nature. Mothers of young girls now absolutely dread their entrance into society because of the great drain on their strength which social life means. I think the older members of the world of fashion can obviate all this. Have no entertainment, dance, dinner or reception which will extend later than midnight."

Mrs. John W. Foster, wife of the former secretary of state, said: "To my mind there is nothing so injurious to the health as keeping late hours. During a varied experience, in which my social duties have been more or less exacting, I have followed a rule not deviated from a dozen times a year to retire at 11:30 p. m. and rise at 7:30 a. m.

"I believe that all social functions can be so arranged as to permit the participant to retire before midnight, and I think that every hostess should strive to accomplish this object. I have always advocated this theory, and I welcome any league which has its furtherance in view. I think that sleeping until noon, as most of our social leaders are compelled to do, is not conducive to health, and it has always seemed a sinful loss of time.

"I cannot express myself too strongly on the harm done our young men who endeavor to fulfill social duties. To work all day and dance all night cannot aid either the worker or the work to which he has assigned himself. In Washington at least society young men, with few exceptions, are employed in business which requires health, strength and a clear head. I think all hostesses should remember this, and not compel their masculine contingents to choose between the loss of all social gayety and of suffering from ruined constitutions."

Miss Wilson, daughter of the secretary of agriculture, thought that an attempt at the innovation in Washington society would prove a dismal failure. "I don't mind telling you, though," she added, "that I have more than once wished, fond as I am of dancing, that an earlier hour than 4 or 5 could be chosen for the closing figure of the cotillon."

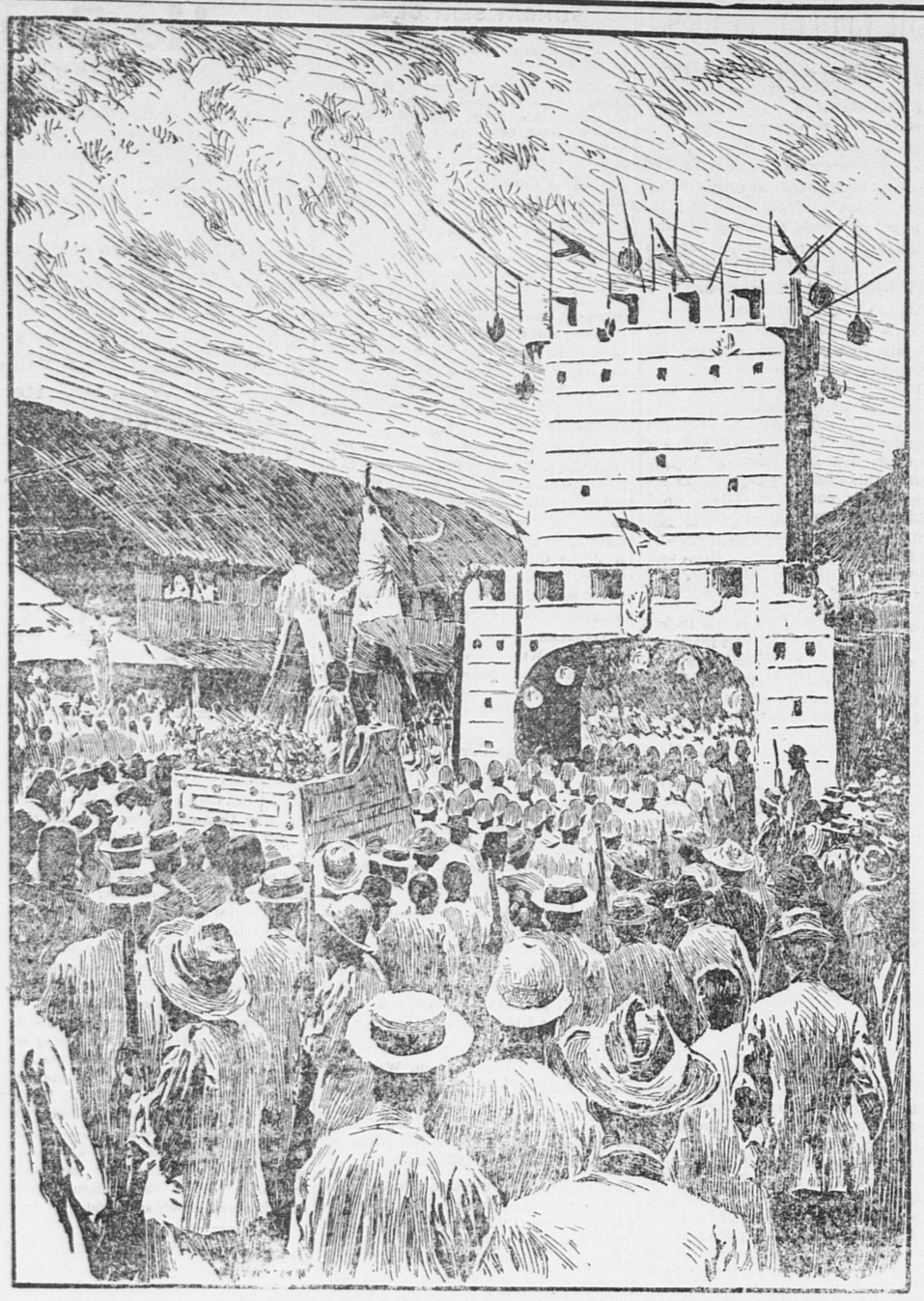
Mrs. Nellie Grant-Sartoris, whose eldest daughter, Vivian, is a social favorite, and whose younger daughter, Rose Mary, will be soon introduced, said that, while earlier hours might be an improvement, they would never prove a popular innovation so long as young people danced. Mrs. Levi Z. Leiter, in whose ballroom the most popular cotillons and late dances in Washington have been given, was not in favor of a change. "Washington society women are far too wise to attempt any such thing," declared the mother of Lady Curzon.—Special New York World.

Can Photograph on Cloth.

Will Free of Madison county, Ind., has at last discovered a process which all photographers have been working on for years—of photographing on cloth and making colors fast and giving the cloth no discoloration. The colors are so fast that they will withstand boiling water and are as clear cut as those of any photograph. The discovery will open a new line in fancy pillows. The first displays are made up in pretty pillows, the picture being about life size.—Anderson (Ind.) Cor. Chicago Chronicle.

Gold Bearing Gizzard of a Duck.

Frank Routledge, who with several friends has leased the shooting rights on a ranch facing the Columbia river at Fairview, Or., killed a very fine mallard duck recently among his day's bag. He has discovered quite a quantity of virgin gold in the gizzard of said duck and has it on exhibition. The gold is probably worth 50 cents. Mr. Routledge is going to get his dog a flying machine and have him scent that duck back to Alaska.—Portland Oregonian.



TRIUMPHAL PARADE OF INSURGENTS IN MANILA. From HARPER'S WEEKLY

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Aguinaldo and his insurgent followers have presented fully as picturesque a figure in our difficulties with Spain as Gomez and his Cuban army of ragged, half-starved natives.

It is at the present time practically impossible to estimate how many thousand insurgents there are in the Philippines, and especially those under arms around Manila. This unknown insurgents army is a very much mixed-up affair. It is officered, that is true enough, but the discipline is something of a very laughable nature. For intance, a captain may have a hundred men in his company one day, and the next day find himself commanding but fifty men, the rest having gone over to another captain, presumably one more to their liking.

A characteristic of these islanders is their peculiar freedom of spirit. An apparently peaceful native may be tilling his fields one day, surrounded with the implements of domesticity, and the next finds him shouldering a musket, which, by the way, he doubtless obtained from the Spanish soldiers, and elbowing his way through a crowd of similar chattering natives possessed of a momentary warlike spirit. If the United States acquires the Philippines, it will probably find another problem to solve—that of establishing peace and industrial habits among these insurgents. Perhaps, however, the good example set by many of the insurgents who have retired to their farms and rice planting to await another period of war, will inspire the majority to go and do likewise.

Our picture, which we publish today, is reproduced from Harper's Weekly, and shows a triumphal procession of insurgents in Manila. An arch of triumph, characteristically decorated, looms up prominently in the background. The genius of liberty, presented by a beautiful native woman, stands on a float filled with flowers, holding an insurgent flag, and is drawn along by natives.

These processions show that the insurgents are beginning to realize what the downfall of Spanish power means to them, and in the first flush of victory probably wish to assert their independence; but doubtless this feeling, which even now is rapidly dying away, will be dissolved entirely when they begin to appreciate the good offices of the United States government.

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Takes His Jags In Transit.

"The other day I was coming east on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad," said Mr. H. T. Towns of New York. "In the parlor car in which I traveled were a couple of hilarious New Yorkers, who were spending their money for champagne, or at least one of them was, with a liberality that was nigh akin to recklessness. The number of quart bottles that they consumed was startling, and every time the colored attendant brought in a fresh bottle he was presented with a $1 note. Whenever the contents of one were pretty nearly gone the elder of the bacchanalians shouted out to the waiter, 'Who told you to stop bringing in wine?'

"But along toward evening the supply ran out, much to the disgust of the pair, and they had to be content with high balls, cocktails and other plebeian drinks. These were sufficient, however, to keep up their spirits, and later in the night I could hear them yelling for another round.

"The next day the conductor of the train told me that this couple had been riding up and down the road for nearly a week and that they hadn't drawn a sober breath in all that while. It seemed that it was the odd way taken by the senior member to indulge in a spree. He took the younger man along merely for company and footed all the bills. About once a year the notion took him to go off on a tear, and, not wishing to indulge in inebriation at home, he couldn't think of as good a scheme as riding continuously on a trunk line, where there would be only strangers to wonder at his dissipated behavior. The idea of picking a Pullman as the theater of a protracted jag struck me as decidedly original."—Washington Post.

Time Spent In Shaving.

Think of the time lost in shaving. Campbell, the poet, calculated that a man who shaves himself every day and lives to the age of 70 expends during his life as much time in the act of shaving as would have sufficed for learning seven languages. Southey, commenting on this, minuted himself, May 15, 1830, during the act of shaving, and he found the time employed nine minutes. He neither hurried the operation nor lingered about it. Listen now to William Corbett concerning shaving: "As it may cost only about five minutes of time and may be and frequently is made to cost 30 or even 50 minutes and as only 15 minutes make about a fifty-eighth part of the hours of our average daylight, this being the case, this is a matter of real importance. I once heard Sir John Sinclair ask Mr. Cochrane Johnstone whether he meant to have a son of his, then a little boy, taught Latin. 'No,' said Mr. Johnstone, 'but I mean to do something a great deal better for him.' 'What is that?' said Sir John. 'Why,' said the other, 'teach him to shave with cold water and without a glass.'"—Boston Journal.

Three Centuries Behind Americans.

Several papers dealing with the Pennsylvania coal regions appear in The Century. Henry Edward Rood, writing of "A Polyglot Community," says:

More than one-half the total number of immigrants into the United States are coming from Austria-Hungary, Italy, Poland and Russia. While official statistics are not available, yet careful investigation leads to the belief that perhaps 50 or 60 per cent of arrivals from the countries mentioned have had no regular occupation, while possibly 30 per cent may have been servants or laborers. Five years ago the Rev. Mr. Maujerie, himself an Italian, in company with the writer made a tour of observation through the Lehigh region of Pennsylvania, and stated that in his opinion the Italians working there were about three centuries behind Americans in their standards of living—that is, in their ideas as to food, clothing, shelter, wages, work and general intelligence. Since that time there has been no improvement in the class of immigrants arriving at our ports.

Strained the Jar.

A little old woman with a sharp nose and sharper tongue was in the country grocery store buying supplies. Among other things she brought in from her cart was a battle scarred jug, which she ordered to be filled with treacle.

At last, when her purchases were completed, she began looking over the account, item by item, before paying.

"What's this?" she exclaimed. "You have charged me for two gallons and a half of treacle."

"Yes, ma'am."

"But that jug holds only two gallons."

"You must be mistaken. I measured the treacle carefully, and it took two gallons and a half to fill it."

"Well," said the old woman with a sigh, "I don't so much mind having to pay for the treacle, but I do object to having the old jug strained by your putting in half a gallon more than it will hold."—Strand Magazine.

A Bad Bargain.

The unprofitableness of some of the rush and worry of business life is neatly suggested in the following dialogue, found in one of the papers:

"Where is Jones?"

"Gone to California."

"What for?"

"To regain his health."

"How did he lose his health?"

"Earning the money to go to California."—Youth's Companion.

One Field Uninvaded.

"I see that glass bricks are coming into general use," said the popular science boarder.

"They won't invade the gold brick field," said the cheerful idiot. "They are too easily seen through."—Indianapolis Journal.

Papa's Watch.

"By their works ye shall know them," as the curious small boy said when his father gave him his watch to play with.—Boston Courier.

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

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r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
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r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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THE SOCIAL REALM.

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The Friday club entertained friends on Wednesday afternoon at The Greenleaf parlors. Each member invited two or three guests so that it was quite a large gathering. The meeting was instructive and interesting and enjoyed by the club and guests. Miss Ellen Packard Nichols of Boston, spoke on "The Younger British poets."

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Miss Mira S. Brown entertained thirty of her friends Dec. 3, it being her sixteenth birthday. She was the recipient of many gifts. The evening was pleasantly passed in music and game.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Ries of Weymouth are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

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Mrs. Joseph Poulin of Weymouth is visiting friends in Andover.

New Books.

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Ladies' Aid Society.

At the Wollaston Congregational church Thursday evening, the Ladies' Aid society held their monthly social. The artistic entertainment was in charge of Mrs. Amos Leavitt and Mrs. William Washburn, which was as following:

Mrs William Whitman of Campello gave a very pleasing and interesting talk on her trip to California; Mrs Carolyn Rogers sang in her unsual good taste; the illustrated proverbs given by Mrs. Charles Seavey were enjoyed by all; and the orange race caused a great deal of merriment.

Chocolate and coffee were poured by Mrs. Arthur Brasee and Mrs. H. G. Kingman. The apron and candy table was in charge of Mrs. Charles Finch.

Matrons: Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. Rufus Tobey and Mrs. W. M. Wight.

BRAINTREE.

Skating has arrived and all the ponds in town are crowded every day with skaters.

The Braintree Fire department netted about $75 from their recent concert and ball.

H. L. Tripp of Braintree is now with the Quincy Electric Light and Power Company.

Mr. W. L. Gage made a mistep while in Boston Monday, and in falling dislocated his shoulder.

The explosion of the mine at Castle island on Tuesday afternoon was distinctly heard and felt at South Braintree.

Private Osgood leaves to join his company in Greenville, S. C., Monday. Warren has spent a pleasant furlough with his friends on Tremont street.

Corporal Charles A. Whiting of Co. K, sent home some cotton in three stages of development, last week. They were on exhibition at a bazaar which was held in Holbrook this week.

The High and Monatiquot Grammar schools will give a musical and literary entertainment in the Town Hall Friday evening, Jan. 13. A special drill is being prepared by the grammar school for that evening.

The Union Choral society met at Weymouth on Wednesday night. There was a larger attendance than on former nights in spite of the many attractions.

The ladies connected with the First church gave a supper and social in the chapel at 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The committee in charge of the supper was Mrs. Julia Hayward, Miss Sarah Thayer, Miss Dugey, Mrs. Frank H. Dearing and Miss Marjorie White. About the usual number of gentlemen sat down to enjoy the spread which was up to the usual high standard of excelence.

Chief Engineer Battles was a winner at the Kenwood alleys, Monday evening, on candle pins with a three string total of 270 pins. H. L. Boutin was again a prize winner he winning on the bottles with 531 pins.

There was no service at the St. Francis church Nov. 27, the first time for sixteen years that services were put off by a storm.

The choir of St. Francis church is rehearsing a new Mass for Christmas, under the direction of its organist, Miss Marie F. Shay.

A carrier pigeon found its way to the dining room window of Mr. O. A. Bridgham on Tuesday morning. He was invited in and given a hearty breakfast. When left alone for a moment, he departed through the open window. Mr. Bridgham describes him as a handsome bird. He was marked: No. 2, M. W. C.

Hollingsworth mill is to start up in South Braintree for a while, it is claimed 250 that tons of paper wet in salt water by a wreck at Brewster in the late storm is to be made over.

It is now almost definitely decided to have the Christmas sing of the Old Stoughton Musical Society, in the Town Hall, Braintree, Sunday evening. Full particulars will appear next week.

A case of scarlet fever has been reported in the family of Mr. C. C. Mellen, South Braintree, and a case of diphtheria has been reported in the family of H. J. Richards, Commercial street, East Braintree, Parker Richards being the patient.

The grand fair and costume festival of nations held under the auspices of the South church in the Town Hall Tuesday and Wednesday evenings was the event of the week and was well patronized.

A little son has come to gladden the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reviere of Pond street.

The contract for widening Commercial street has been awarded to a Mr. McDermott of Brockton.

It cost about $100 to remove the elm tree from South Braintree square. Owing to the wires it had to be taken down in pieces.

Elmer Copeland, formerly of East Braintree was reelected Commander of D. A. Russell Post, G. A. R., of Whitman on Tuesday evening.

Candidates for the Thayer Academy basket ball team have been in practice at the gymnasium this week. A strong team will be selected to represent the school.

Rev. John Purcell, director of St. Francis' Sunday School, held the usual semi-annual examination of the children on Sunday afternoon. It was a written examination and will be a factor in the prize awards at the close of the year.

Mr. Charles L. Estey, the Singing Evangelist who was necessarily detained from coming to this town last week will commence his work Sunday afternoon in the Baptist church. Every one cordially invited to attend all the services. Meetings every evening in the audience room of the church with the exception of Saturday evening.

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

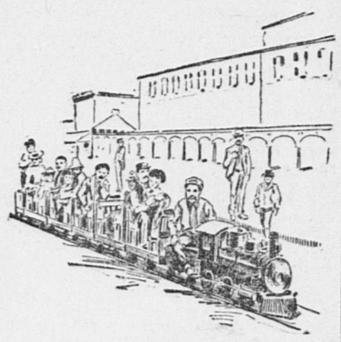
THE SMALLEST RAILWAY.

It Is a Delight to the Youngsters, East and West, Who Have Seen It.

The most attractive feature at Coney Island this summer to the children was the novel miniature railroad. They swarmed about it. Their old time joys, the merry go rounds, roller coasters and shooting shoots, were neglected for this new amusement, which has interested their elders as well. Its success has been repeated at the Transmississippi exposition at Omaha, where it has been quite elaborately reproduced, and the western youngsters are reported to be reveling in its delights with as much zest as their eastern cousins.

At Coney Island the railroad is laid out under the old iron pier, and the tracks are 500 feet long. The train traverses this distance at a speed of 20 miles an hour, and it is said that it has already covered many times over a distance equal to a journey to the Klondike goldfields.

The engine, which is as complete in every detail as those drawing trains bearing hundreds of passengers, is only 25 inches in height, about 18 inches wide and measures 4½ feet from end to end. It is a substantial affair, in spite of its diminutive appearance, for it weighs 450 pounds, draws a train of eight or nine cars, each of which holds



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two passengers, and consumes four bushels of coal per day to generate the steam which is necessary to give it the required velocity.

The track gauge is 12 inches, and "T" steel rails are used. The crew for the train comprises an engineer, a fireman and a conductor. The cars are each four feet long, weigh 50 pounds and are capable of carrying two persons. The seats are about 18 inches wide, and the occupants of the cars sit facing each other. The cars are 2½ feet high, and have been named after such war heroes as Dewey, Hobson, Sampson, Shafter and other popular favorites.

The little train at Coney Island starts on each journey laden with delighted children, some of whom shed tears of grief when, at the end of their journey, they are removed from the train.

To the children a ride on the train is like a glimpse of fairyland, and they never tire of inspecting the tiny engine which pulls such a heavy load. "Grown up folks" also ride on the little train. One day two persons whose combined weight amounted to 450 pounds occupied one of the cars during a trip and seemed to greatly enjoy their ride on the smallest railroad in the world.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

A Millionth of a Second.

A second seems about as short a space of time as one would ever need to measure, but for scientific purposes instruments have been invented marking even shorter periods of time. The most remarkable of these is a "chronograph" recently completed, and which measures one-millionth part of a second. The instrument is necessaily very complicated, but the vibrations of a very sensitive tuning fork form the basis of the measuring process. These vibrations are transmitted to a piece of sensitized paper in the form of wave circles resembling the circles that spread from a stone dropped in the water.

Heard Them Wink.

In a family that has recently been increased by a very small and hungry baby is a little girl, to whom the new brother is a constant source of entertainment and wonder. The other night baby was lying alone in the cradle while the rest of the family were at dinner in an adjoining room. Suddenly the baby began to smack its wee lips together so loudly that the sounds were heard at the table. "Is the baby asleep?" asked the father. Before the mother could reply little sister said, "I dess he isn't, 'cause I heard his wink his eyes."

Doing a Good Turn.

Two Baltimore ladies, while touring from Baltimore to Washington, were directed by a "native" to a hidden spring within a few feet of the highway. Instead of selfishly drinking and then leaving the spot unmarked they put up a temporary cardboard sign, and later revisited the spot and placed in position a tin sign calling attention to the spring, also providing a chained cup for the use of other thirsty wayfarers. If you know of a like spot, go and do likewise.—Christian Work.

Little Polly Mary.

Little Polly Mary all the morning hour
Doted on her bonnet with its bright new flower,
Wondered if the next day would be bright and clear,
Wished the jolly holidays came twenty times a year,
Looked without the window when teacher didn't see,
Watched a golden robin building in the tree,
And
When the hour came, all too quick for Polly to recite,
Will you believe, she never got a single answer right!
So for failure, on the record book, her name, alas, was starred!
But was it 'cause, as Polly thought, the lesson was so hard?
—Youth's Companion.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3d SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 12 M. Teachers' meeting in chapel Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Conducted by the pastor.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Subject: "The advent call to repentance." Sunday School at 12 M. Choral evening song and address at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The downfall of Puritanism." Rector's Bible class at rectory on Tuesday evening. Woman's Guild at the parish house Wednesday afternoon.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Fellowship,"—a special sermon to the one hundred who have united with the church in the past three years. Bible School at 12. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service in the church auditorium at 7.30. Subject: "Drifting,"—a suggestion from the storm at sea.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "The policy of expansion." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Religion a source of joy." All welcome.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street—Lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "Shal mortal man be more just than God?" All welcome. Seats free. No collection.

SWEDISH METHODIST CHURCH,—Fort street, Rev. H. Larson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Rev. C. Hagberg will speak. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "The unpardonable sin; what is it?" Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "Sinai or Calvary."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street.—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Bridal adornment." Bible School at 12 M. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Samson's riddle illustrated." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Morning services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Young Ladies' prayer meeting at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30. Subject: "God's love." The candinavians are invited.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by Rev. G. B. Dean of Forest Hills. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by pastor. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock.

WOLLASTON M. E. CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Waterhouse, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School and Bible class at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. People's service at 7 P. M. Grand Gospel Song service. Brief sermon by the pastor. Subject: "A loving command." All welcome.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Subject: "In his steps, or what would Jesus do?" Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Morning service, 10.45. Subject: "How to live." Sabbath School at 12.15 P. M. Children's Mission Band at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. o'clock. Subject: "A visit to Bethlehem." Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

PARK AND DOWNS UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rawson Road—Rev. F. T. Knight, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30, when Mr. Frank F. Prescott, editor of Quincy Patriot and Daily Ledger, will speak upon the subject of "journalism."

ATLANTIC METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Extent of responsibility." Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7. Subject: "What one must not believe and what one need not believe." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Subject: "Personal assurance of God's love." The following Sunday evening a review of "Quo Vadis" will be given by the aid of the stereopticon."

SPIRITUALIST MEETING—Faxon Hall—Mrs. M. A. Bonney, medium, at 7 P. M. Circle Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 and 7.30 o'clock, at the home of Henry Chubbuck.

Vesper Music.

The vesper music at the Wollaston Unitarian church at 4 P. M.

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Castle Square Theatre.

At the Castle Square theatre the coming week the attraction will be a drama of Colonial times called "Col. George of Mount Vernon." This play is by Augustus Thomas, who has already gained favor by his earlier dramatic work, and it will have its first production on any stage. The action of the drama passes in Virginia in the year 1759, the hero being George Washington, at that time a Colonel of the English army by Gen. Braddock's appointment. The characters are historical, and the story of the play deals with both the social and military life of Washington, introducing as one of its principal incidents the unsuccessful attempt of Gov. Dinwiddie to secure the arrest of Col. George for treason, his action as Governor being nullified by that of the House of Burgesses in appointing Col. George Commander-in-Chief of the Colonial troops. The staging of this play will be especially attractive. Following "Col. George of Mount Vernon," on Monday, December 19, the Castle Square Company will appear in David Belasco's "Mayblossom," originally produced about fifteen years ago, when it was immensely successful.

Keith's Theatre.

Amelia Summerville, in days agone the buxom merry mountain maid of Dixey's "Adonis," will be the star at Keith's the week of Dec. 12, supported by a competent company, in an amusing one-act piece entitled "Kydd's Bride," which has made a pronounced hit in other of the theatres on the Keith circuit. Other entertainers will be: M. Rudinoff, that artistic Frenchman, who draws smoke pictures, imitates birds and makes funny shadowgraphs; Charles T. Aldrich, the cleverest ecentric comedian and juggler in the varietes; Fred Velmore, who imitates sawmills, brass bands, etc.; Swan and O'Day, the great buck and wing dancers; Damm brothers, comedy acrobats; the Reed family, in a new singing, dancing and comedy sketch; Hassan Ben Ali's Arab acrobats; Kleist brothers, eccentric musicians, and the biograph, with new views The Four Cohans, in their funniest farce, "Running for Office," are underlined for the week of Dec. 19.

Boston Museum.

Boston seems to have gone wild with delight over William Gillette's latest comedy success "Because She Loved Him So" which still continues the reigning attraction at the Boston Museum. An idea of the nature of the great hit which has been made may be obtained from the manner in which engagements have been transferred so that the piece might have a longer run here. Other companies were booked to come to the Museum, and Charles Frohman's company which is playing "Because She Loved Him So" had been booked for engagements elsewhere, but so signal and emphatic was the triumph in the eyes of Boston theatre goers that arrangements were immediately started to secure transfers, and as a result Boston—and all New England too for that matter—is the gainer. It is unquestionably the great laughing success of the season, and such a merry piece has not been seen on the Boston stage in a long time. The motive is the cure of a jealous wife, and the originality of the situations, and the brightness of the lines make this a piece which is sure to have an enormous go wherever it is presented. The company is one of the strongest that has ever been brought together for a piece of this sort, and if the production had been a New York one Charles Frohman could not have lavished more money upon it.

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Washington, Dec. 12.—The sudden change from the warm climate of Cuba with the hardships he had endured, to the wintry weather of New York and Washington, is responsible for the pneumonia which resulted in the death yesterday of General Calixto Garcia, the distinguished Cuban warrior and leader and the head of the commission elected by the Cuban assembly to visit this country. He contracted a slight cold in New York, which did not assume an alarming stage until the early part of last week. On Tuesday night General Garcia, in company with the other members of the commission, attended a dinner given in his honor by General Miles, and it was a result of the exposure that night which culminated in his death.

General Garcia left a large family, only one of whom, Justo, a captain on his staff, was with him when he died. His widow and Mercedes, a daughter 17 years of age, are at Thomasville, Ga., where the girl is quite ill; Mario, a son 19 years of age, is with the mother at Thomasville, and Colonel Carlos Garcia, another son, is in Cuba. A daughter, Leonora who married an American, is now living in Paris. General Garcia's mother is still alive and resides in Havana.

General Garcia, whose name will be ever linked with those of other patriots who have fought against unequal odds for the freedom of his country, has had a most active and varied life, much of which has been spent in fighting for the cause of Cuban liberty, which he had the satisfaction of seeing accomplished so short a time before his death. He was a man of culture and refinement, of splendid education and came from a distinguished family of Jiquani, of Santiago province. He was born in Cogquin, Oct. 14, 1839, and was therefore in the 60th year of his age. General Garcia was educated in Havana and in Spain. In 1864 he was married to Isabel Velez.

General Garcia was the original conspirator in the uprising of the Cubans against Spain in 1868, and in that war under Gomez he attained the rank of a brigadier general. In October of 1868 he captured the towns of Jiquani and Baire and recruited many hundreds of patriots. He had command of the eastern departments during that revolution after 1873 and won many notable victories. While the revolution was in a critical state in the other provinces and its outcome was uncertain he maintained it with vigor in the territory under his command.

In 1875, while reconnoitering with his escort, he was surrounded by 2000 Spaniards. Preferring death to capture and subsequent execution at the hands of his enemy, he attempted suicide by placing his revolver under his chin and firing, the bullet coming out between his eyebrows. For months he lay between life and death, but was saved finally by Spanish surgeons who, possibly, had owed their own lives to his mercy. The Spaniards, believing he was about to die, gave him a pardon. The hole which the bullet made when it entered the chin and came out between the eyebrows was always visible and shows plainly in the calmness of death.

For his participation in the revolutionary movement General Garcia was sent to Spain where, for four years, he was confined, remaining there until the peace of Zanjon. He then returned to the United States and, together with Joseph Marti, attempted another revolution. He landed in Cuba with a few followers, but the country wanted to try the home rule offered by Spain. He capitulated to the Spanish forces in order to save his few remaining followers and was again banished to Spain in 1880, where he remained under surveillance until 1895, when the last revolution broke out in Cuba. Then he escaped to France and later to New York.

His movements since that time and his active participation in the war are familiar to many newspaper readers. After coming to this country he endeavored to get an expedition to the island of Cuba in the steamer Hawkins, but this met with shipwreck in a storm and the cargo was lost. General Garcia was the last man to leave the vessel.

Undaunted by his failure, General Garcia made another attempt to ship stores for the insurgents, this time obtaining the ship Bermuda. He was intercepted, however, by United States authorities and was arrested on the charge of filibustering, but was released on $3000 bail. He forfeited this bail, and in a final attempt landed on the eastern coast of the island with one of the largest expeditions that ever reached Cuba.

After landing he succeeded General Antonio Maceo in command of the troops of the eastern department, holding the rank of major general, General Maceo marching west with his men. At Maceo's death Garcia was elected lieutenant general of the Cuban army, which position he held to the close of the war. During this command he assaulted and took by siege Tunas, Guisa and Guaimaro and cleared the interior of his department of Spanish troops

After declaration of war by the United States and Spain, General Miles sent his representative to General Garcia and subsequently the American and Cuban generals co-operated in their movements against Santiago. All the officers who participated in the active work around Santiago bear testimony to the great aid, assistance and loyalty manifested by General Garcia during the campaign.

When the Cuban assembly met at the close of the war General Garcia was one of the principal advisers and was elected chairman of the commission directed to come to the United States and confer with the authorities here with reference to the work in hand.

AN EXCITED CROWD

Advocated Hemp Necktles For Alleged Boodlers of Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Central Music hall was filled yesterday with citizens of Chicago, who had gathered in mass convention in order to protest against the extension of the franchises of Chicago's street car lines to 50 years. Early in the meeting the speakers dwelt mainly upon the question of compensation for extension of street car grants, but before it closed the proposition of municipal ownership was extensively touched on, and received generous applause.

Franklin H. Head presided, and the speakers were Mayor Harrison, former Governor Atgeld, George E. Cole, John M. Harlan and Rev. Father Hodnett.

Ex-Governor Altgeld was first to advert to the subject of municipal ownership, and his remarks aroused the greatest enthusiasm of the meeting. Referring to the alleged use of money in the city council, Mr. Altgeld said: "How can we stop this thing?"

"Hang them," "Get a rope," "Hang the boodlers," responded the audience.

The resolutions which were prepared in advance were found inadequate to the sentiment of the meeting, and a resolution was included favoring municipal ownership of the street car lines, if not this year, then when the present grant expires in 1903.

Charged With Incendiarism.

New Britain, Conn., Dec. 12.—Peter Smik, a Pole, aged about 35, was arrested in Kensington and brought to this city on suspicion of being an incendiary. The officers announce that they have discovered a nest of firebugs and allege that Smik is the leader. During the last two years 11 fires apparently of incendiary origin have occurred in the "Blue Hills" district between Kensington and Meriden, and in each case the owner of the property was a Pole, and there was a heavy insurance. New Britain insurance agents formed suspicions and had officers working on the case for three months. It is intimated that more arrests will soon follow, as it is thought Smik can be induced to confess.

Lawyer In Disgrace.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—State Senator Vernon H. Burke will be expelled from the Cleveland Bar association. Judge Frank E. Dellenbaugh will be investigated. The Bar association arrived at this decision after three hours of deliberation. The report submitted by the trial committee, which carried with it the expulsion of Burke and the investigation of Dellenbaugh, was adopted by the vote of 80 to 20.

A Generous Newspaper.

Omaha, Dec. 12.—The World Herald sent by telegraph $1000 to the First Nebraska regiment, located at Manila, and $1000 to the Third Nebraska regiment, commanded by Colonel Bryan, now at Savannah preparing to start for Cuba. This money is contributed at the solicitation of The World Herald by over 3000 contributors and is sent to the two regiments to provide for a Christmas dinner.

Wark Reprieved.

London, Dec. 12.—Lieutenant Wark of the Royal artillery, who on Thursday last was sentenced to death on the charge of murdering Miss Jane Yates of Liverpool, a girl of good family, by conspiring with her to procure an illegal operation, which resulted in her death, has been reprived.

Dreyfus to Return.

Paris, Dec. 12.—Le Soir announces the return of Dreyfus at an early date. It asserts that the government has formally decided upon this course and has ordered a body of soldiers to be ready to escort him from the port of landing to Paris.

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MARY WENT.

LAST Week Mary and everybody else were invited to call at the Quincy Second Hand Variety Store. They went, and Mary tells us that she was delighted with what she found. She bought an excellent stove for half its value, a chamber set for a remarkably low figure, and small ware in abundance for almost nothing. In fact, she was so well pleased, she sent her husband, who bought all the tools he could carry off for a few dollars.

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SENTIMENT AT MADRID

Memorandum Protesting Against American "Act of Violence."

Spain Refused the Rights Granted to Criminals.

President McKinley's Reference to the Maine Stirs Up Feeling of Anger.

Madrid, Dec. 12.—The government entirely approves the memorandum of protest against the action of the United States commissioners filed by Senor Rios at Paris.

The memorandum protests against the refusal of the Americans to surrender the securities deposited in the treasuries of Cuba and Porto Rico by private Spaniards, remarking that "never has a civilized nation committed such an act of violence."

Secondly, it protests against the ultimatum demanding the Philippines.

Third—It protests against the position in which these Spaniards are placed who desire to remain in Cuba.

Fourth:—It protests against the reference to the destruction of the Maine in President McKinley's message to the United States congress. On this point the memorandum says:

"Spain has proposed arbitration, but the United States refuses to give her the right which is granted to a criminal namely, the right of defending himself The Spanish commissioners leave the care of fixing the responsibility for the explosion to the entire world, which will say whether those are responsible who desire the truth or those refusing to seek it."

The newspapers generally express relief at the signing of the treaty. The independent organs, most of the provincial papers and the Carlist and Republican journals attack both political parties Conservative and Liberal, reproaching them equally with having brought the country to the present pass.

El Imparcial alone publishes the contents of the treaty, which produces a less unfavorable impression than had been expected, owing to the commercial and other concessiosn to Spain.

El Liberal says: The Paris negotiations offer a far sadder spectacle than the ships which are bringing back our repatriated soldiers, deplorable as the condition of the latter is.

The cabinet, it is said, will meet the cortes intact. Senor Sagasta will ask an indemnity bill for the cession of the Philippines. The cabinet will then declare that, as it finds itself at a crisis, it cannot admit any debate and will, therefore, demand the immediate adoption of the bill, after which Senor Sagasta will submit the question of confidence to the queen regent.

El Heraldo says the government believes that, in the present circumstances, the holders of the Philippine debt will accept the arrangement arrived at, and considers that the Cuban bondholders should demand of the future government of Cuba a fulfillment of the contract by claiming a mortgage on the customs which guarantee the debt.

London Newspaper Comment.

London, Dec. 12.—The editorials in the London morning papers express satisfaction at the signing of the peace treaty, the negotiations for which, The Daily News remarks, have occupied rather longer than the war.

The Times, pretty accurately representing the views of the other papers, says: Spain has lost her colonies because her colonial system was founded upon spoliation and tyranny. The United States have not treated her any more harshly than Germany treated France in 1871 or Russia treated Turkey in 1878. Therefore the Spanish memorandum of protest is unreasonable and unjustified. The article then refers to the difficulties facing the United States, and expresses confidence that the "healthy vigor and practical capacity of the Anglo-Saxon" will be fully competent to deal with them.

"In Time of Peace."

Berlin, Dec. 12.—Emperor William yesterday received the recently elected presidents of the reichstag. In the course of a general conversation, he said that, although Germany was on a peaceful and friendly footing with all the powers, the international situation required great attention, as, "indeed, every layman can see for himself." Therefore, his majesty urged, it was necessary to carry out the proposed completion and perfecting of the army. "What I propose," he remarked, "is certainly not much, but consideration for the tax-paying capacity of the country would not permit more to be proposed."

Suspicion of Poisoning.

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 12.—James Begley, a war pensioner, died at his home here yesterday, supposedly from poison administered by some unknown party. He drew his pension Saturday and a few hours afterwards he went into a store and fell unconscious. He was removed to his home and died without regaining consciousness. His money had disappeared. A post mortem examination was held and it is the belief that Begley encountered some party who first drugged and then robbed him.

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Quincy, Nov. 29 1m

About Puffs.

There are more kinds of puffs on earth than we ever imagine. First of all and worst of all is the newspaper puff, anybody can tell it at a glance. It doesn't sound honest. It sounds as if the man who wrote it didn't mean a word of it and used as many glowing terms to cover up his real opinion as possible. Then there's the puff that woman, woman fair (sometimes not so fair), uses to put powder on her face with, and any of the Co. K boys could tell you that they are more afraid to face that puff of powder than a shoot of powder in battle. Then there's the puff that many a man gives his own goods, particularly the cigar dealer who smokes. Then there's the ten thousand 50c. Puffs that a Boston Bluff is selling in Sunday's newspaper at 39c., and the two thousand just like them that we sell at 25c. made from the same silks with the same linings, in the same factories, by the same people. Some of the Quincy stores would call these good values at 50c. "How is it?" Well, we found we were getting rich too fast (and as we once before told you, we want to make our pile gradually) and so decided to cut down our profits and give it to you in the neck, and to show you what the Cheap Store (as everyone calls us) means by lowering her profits, we beg to state that we are showing over two thousand bright new Ties in all the shapes and styles at 25c. The best of them being the kind you pay 50c. for. The next grade at 19c. are the kind the Quincy stores ask you 23 and 25 cents for.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	31	40	62	44
Monday	32	50	47	44
Tuesday	—	41	48	58
Wednesday	—	40	40	44
Thursday	—	34	60	35
Friday	—	27	52	20
Saturday	—	33	46	30

New Advertisements Today.

People's Course.
Desirable house to let.
The Pirates of Penzance at Music Hall.
Mortgagee's sale.
Girl wanted for general housework.
Ticket book lost.

Good Afternoon.

City Auditor Hall and City Treasurer Gray will make their Dec. 1 statements to the City Council this evening. The receipts of the eleven months, including $83,627.86 cash on hand, and $466,670.25 in notes payable have been $936,437.66. The cash on hand Dec. 1 was $173,181.67. The receipts for November were $195,524.16, and the expenditures $111,798.70. There is still a balance of $125,006.58 of the appropriations of $609,895.21 made this year. The finances seem to be in good shape.

Oh, no, the majority given Mayor-elect Keith was not the smallest given any Mayor in Quincy. In 1892 Mr. Fairbanks was elected by majority of only 24 over Mr. Hodges, and again in 1894 Mr. Hodges was elected by majority of but 28 over Mr. Thompson. Other small majorities were in 1891, when Mr. Fairbanks defeated Mr. Hodges by 61 votes, and in 1890 when Mr. Fairbanks defeated Mr. Witham by 65 votes. Other majorities have been, 193 for Mr. Porter over Mr. Witham in 1889, and 179 for Mr. Adams over Mr. Hammond in 1895; 241 for Mr. Adams over Mr. Hammond in 1896; 275 for Mr. Porter over Mr. Hodges in 1888; 361 for Mr. Hodges over Mr. Thompson in 1893, and 300 for Mr. Sears over Mr. Hodges in 1897. This also shows that Mr. Hodges received not only the largest majority of any mayor, but was defeated by the smallest majority of any mayor and was also elected by the second smallest majority ever given a mayor.

Again it is necessary for the Ledger to say, that a newspaper does not necessarily endorse communications which it publishes. An Adams street gentleman, who takes exception to the recent letter signed "Traveler," accuses the editors of endorsing it because they pulished it and says it was scurrilous. We are free to say that we believe the letter was the honest sentiments of the writer, and can see no objection to a public statement thereof. Regarding the proposed change, we think the petition is an unusual one, and shall anxiously await any good arguments for a change. Adams street is the wider street; it is more direct, it is less dangerous to carriage driving, and less dangerous for the operation of electric cars. The two turns from Alleyne street both into Adams and Hancock streets would both be dangerous to pedestrians, bicycle riders, carriages and passengers on the cars.

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McKINLEY EXPECTED

Will Visit Soldiers at their Camp at Greenville, S. C.

Co. K, 5th Mass. Inf. U. S. V.
Camp Wetherill, S. C.,
Dec. 8, 1898.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

We are having some very nice weather here now which in part pays up for the bad weather we had at first.

The mess houses are nearing completion. Companies K and D are now nearly tie and should the race continue it will be a very close finish.

The paymaster has not as yet put in appearance but is expected very soon.

The boys of the 5th hear with regret that the 7th Army Corps have got orders to move to Cuba and the 5th is left behind, Gen. Lee wanted the 5th and would have been glad to have got us but Gen. Young thought it too good a regiment to let go from his division.

Lieut. Whitney is commander of the guard today.

Priv. Capaccioli returned from a furlough today looking better than when he went away.

Priv. Harold F. Studley received an honorable discharge from the service today.

A number of K men took in the oyster supper at Greenville last night. One man lost his overcoat and thought it a very expensive time indeed.

Private P. J. Sheehan was selected as regimental orderly today.

The roof of the mess house is being covered with tarred paper. All the stove boxes are being lowered to one line above the floor by Artificer Seaverance or as he is known here as "Pop." H. L. C.

A telegram from Greenville informs the Globe that President McKinley is expected to review the Fifth Massachusetts regiment on Wednesday morning and that he will receive a warm welcome from the troops and the people.

The 5th's boys won the football match Saturday against the 4th Missouri, 5 to 0.

It is reported that all quartermasters have been instructed to make requisitions for 10 days' traveling rations. This indicates that there may be a sudden movement of troops before long southward to Savannah, and thence to Cuba.

This is confirmed by the fact that several officers who were contemplating bringing their wives to Greenville have, it is said, canceled their hotel and boarding house contracts. And yet, travelling rations will keep for months and may be issued for a homeward as well as a Cuban trip. The fact of the case is this, with good authority behind it that some of the regiments here will be sent home, and some will be used for garrison duty.

It will be impossible to recruit the regular army up to its full quota at once and so the best volunteer regiments will be kept and the others mustered out. The men of this regiment will not eat their Christmas dinner at home, but right here in Greenville.

One Reason of Many.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Of the many reasons why the tracks should not be changed from Adams street to Alleyne street I think the one of danger to the carriage riding public is one which should receive consideration.

Having lived for over forty years in sight of President's bridge I think I can safely say that I have seen thousands of horses frightened or scared by the steam cars coming from under the bridge. Now a horse scared or frightened the driver loses control of him for a time, and the best and safest course we must all allow is to have a straight way course whereby to get control of him. In changing the tracks of the street railway from Adams to Alleyne street the only straight way course is taken away and thereby increases the chance of an accident more than 100 per cent. The reason for this is that the distance from the bridge to the place where the curve comes and where a car in taking that curve must necessarily present a broadside on Adams street is less than two seconds distance from the place the horse is frightened and two seconds is hardly time to secure control of any frightened animal. Francis A. Spear.

Mustered Out.

The 10th signal corps company, U. S. V., was paid off and mustered out of the United States service Saturday forenoon at the East armory. The company present numbered 41, two being sick and absent. Lieuts. Sprague and Palmer were mustered out with the company. Capt. T. C. Clark will not be mustered out until Dec. 20. Lieut. Sprague who resides on Maple place in this city will again become first lieutenant and signal officer of the Second Brigade, M. V. M.

LOST.

LOST—A Pocketbook containing a small sum of money, from Baxter street to Hall's store, Quincy Canal. The finder will be suitable rewarded by leaving the same at the Ledger office.

Quincy, Dec. 12.

A Rat-ling Time.

In a barber shop not far from the postoffice Saturday night Edward was waiting and thinking how many passengers he had carried on his last trip. Not a sound was heard save the tick of the clock as the pendulum swung to and fro beating time to the movements of the polished steel as it glided through the whiskers. Fred came in, hung up his coat and sat down also to wait. Pretty soon Edward jumped up, eyes as big as a ballot, and pointing his finger towards Fred's coat, said, "In heavens name, what are they?" and exclaimed in an excited manner, "The wall is full of them." "What's the matter," said Fred, "have you got e'm again" "I guess so," says Edward" grabbing for the broom which stood in the closet preparing to defend himself. But as soon as quiet was restored, Fred said that they were pet white rats. He was taking them home in his coat pocket and their heads were sticking out now and then.

Wonderful Record.

Hon. E. C. Bumpus of this city was among the guests of the Clover club at its banquet in Boston Saturday evening. In a speech he said that he came from a family that never laughed. One of his ancestors landed in Plymouth in 1612. His grandfather, he continued, never smiled in his life. He himself was the first member of his family that really indulged in humor. He said that the Puritan spirit and the wit and good humor of the Celt blended beautifully together. He himself had learned a great deal from the Irish race in regard to wit, for he had not only laughed at the humor of others, but had been the cause of making other people happy. He said he had the wonderful record of making Josiah Quincy, the present mayor of Boston, who, he thought, was never known to smile, laugh heartily and long at a story he told him.

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Quincy, Dec. 12. 1t

A Grand Entertainment.

The People's Course entertainment at Music hall Saturday night was pronounced by all to be the best yet. A few more of the same kind and the hall would not be large enough to hold those who wanted to go. The evenings programme was dramatics by the Criterion club of Boston. Three plays were given, a comedietta, entitled 'The Circus Rider," a comedy entitled "Yellow Roses" and a farce entitled "A Pair of Rubber Boots." The characters in the three sketches were well sustained and the applause that greeted the fall of the curtain upon each was sufficient evidence that the audience was more than pleased. The Criterion orchestra furnished some excellent music during the evening, one selection being "The Criterion March" composed and dedicated to the club by Mr. Walter E. Loud of Quincy.

Want Competition.

The Board of Trade and Commercial club of Brockton are anxious that the City Council should grant the Boynton Bicycle railway a location. The following resolve has also been adopted:

"That the Brockton Board of Trade favors the granting of all reasonable franchises and privileges to any competing railway system which promises to afford relief to our city, and to build up and stimulate the industrial and commercial growth of Brockton."

Challenge for Cup.

The Quincy Yacht Club is in receipt of the following communication:

Lynn Yacht Club.
Lynn, Dec. 8, 1898.

Secretary Quincy Yacht Club:

Dear Sir:—At a meeting of the Lynn Yacht Club held on Dec. 7 it was voted to challenge the Quincy Yacht Club for a series of races to be sailed next season—1899—for the Quincy Yacht Club Challenge Cup.

Yours very truly,
F. E. Newhall, Secretary.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

More snow today. Will it be a big storm?

Miss Blanche Bristol of Uxbridge is visiting relations in Atlantic.

Superintendent of Police Eldridge at Universalist church this evening.

The schoolmasters of Quincy dined Saturday evening at the United States Hotel, Boston.

Mr. Elmer L. Corthell, the eminent engineer, is a guest of his brother, Mr. W. G. Corthell.

Dr. Andrews of Augusta, Me., is still at the bedside of Mr. Phinney, who continues sick.

The Slayton Colored Jubilee Singers will be the attraction in the People's course this week.

Members of the lodge of Pilgrim Fathers which is to be started here in Quincy are being examined.

There has been fine skating on Long meadow, near Rogers Ice house, but now the snow storm will spoil it.

It was necessary to put an officer on duty at Eaton's ice pond Sunday to keep boys and men from skating.

The third week of December last year was rather warm for the season as will be seen by the summary of noon temperatures.

Street cars commenced Sunday to run through Wollaston, although passengers were obliged to transfer at the Farrington street sewer.

The Phillips church of South Boston, with which Rev. E. N. Hardy was formerly connected, celebrated its 75th anniversary Sunday.

The Assessors land values, which have been omitted for a few days on account of election news will be continued tomorrow.

Quincy people may ride into the new South station in Boston on Christmas day, but possibly not until New Year's day or one week later.

Mr. Frank F. Prescott spoke for half an hour at the Park and Downs church on Sunday evening on "Printing, Newspapers and Journalism."

Mr. Peter Kerr, Royal Secretary of Order Scottish Claus, gave an address in Monument hall, Charlestown, Saturday evening, at a concert and ball.

Mr. Harry Flint was in town Saturday on a business trip from Middleboro. He has half interest in a shoe store there and also owns a large cranberry bog.

The police took charge of a sick man found at the Quincy depot Sunday afternoon, and kept him until night when he had recovered sufficiently to go to his home.

It looked this morning as though there was another good snow storm coming, and that there would be another delay in completing the sections of the sewer on Hancock street that have been opened.

The West Quincy branch of the Young Ladies' Charitable Association is one of the societies in charge of the entertainment at the "Onobiloric" in Music hall, Dorchester, on Saturday evening, at the fair for the Consumptives Home.

Many prominent Boston people will be present at the performance of the Pirates of Penzance, to be given Tuesday evening at the Music hall for the benefit of the City Hospital, and Governor Wolcott is expected to be one of the number.

The San Francisco Call reports the death of Capt. Freeman A. Dow at sea. Mr. Dow was born in Quincy and is survived by a widow, a son and a daughter. The remains are expected to arrive at San Francico on the bark C. D. Bryant from Honolulu.

Ladies who visit Boston are reminded that the large stores are at this time overrun with pickpockets, and it is not safe to lay a package on the counter even for a moment. Several Quincy ladies have been relieved of their pocketbooks in Boston recently in most cases the purse being taken from their shopping bags.

The funeral services of the late Christina A. Elrick, wife of William Elrick, Chief of Clan McGregor, were held yesterday afternoon; the Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church, officiating. The esteem and love for the deceased and the sympathy with the bereaved was indicated by a gathering of neighbors and friends, which filled the house before the hour of the service many being unable to enter. There were many beautiful floral tributes.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for Dec. 12:

Eugene Coffin, W. H. Fuller, & Co., O. Gustafson, Howard M. Hanscom, Edward Horlan, William Jennings, A. L. Mann, Miss L. A. Davis, Miss Hulda Svensson.

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APPROPRIATION BILLS

Have Right of Way In the House—Wor Before the Senate.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Beyond the firs three days there is no program mappe out for the house this week. Today wi be devoted, under the rules, to the con sideration of business relating to th District of Columbia and tomorrow th District of Columbia appropriation bi will be taken up. This is in pursuanc of the determination of the leaders t give the appropriation bills the right o way whenever one is ready. There i nothing in the district bill this year t attract opposition and unless the unex pected happens the bill ought to pas Wednesday at the latest.

The appropriations sub-committe on pensions will commence work on th pension appropriation bill today, but i can hardly be ready before next week It is confidently expected, however that it will be passed before the holidays

It is possible that Chairman Hull o the military affairs committee will b able to bring in the army reorganizatio bill as soon as the district appropriatio bill is out of the way. He is exceeding ly anxious to get the bill into the hous at the earliest possible moment, as h is particularly solicitous that it shoul pass the house before the holidays. I it should follow the district bill a ver interesting debate would be precipi tated. The future policy of the gov ernment is ordained in the bill for th increase of the standing army, and th whole subject will be opened up.

The Democrats are divided upon th question of increasing the regular army but how far the opposition will go i antagonizing the measure it is impos sible to forecast. Only last week, dur ing the debate on the urgent deficiency bill, Mr. Dearmond of Missouri, one o the leaders, evaded a direct reply whe the question was put fairly to him b Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropria tions committee. If the army reor ganization bill should not come up th various committees, under the call would probably be allowed to clean u business that they have on the calendar

The course of proceedings in the sen ate this week will depend upon the dis position that is made of the Nicaragua canal bill. It is Senator Morgan's in tention to call up this measure today and he has expressed the hope that h will secure action at once. Few of his most sanguine co-workers agree with him in this opinion, and the best indi cation is that unless an agreement ca be reached for postponement, several days at least will be consumed in its consideration.

The opponents of the measure will meet its supporters with a proposition to defer consideration until after the Christmas holidays, and they will give as their reason for this request the fact that the report of the government commission appointed to investigate the feasibility of the canal has not yet been made, urging the importance of receiving the information which the commission will be able to furnish before acting upon so important a question. If the bill is taken up in earnest it will consume the greater portion of the senate's time until finally disposed of.

Another subject on the calendar is the anti-scalping bill, which Senator Cullom has informed the senate he will seek to get up at an early day, but it will meet with opposition if he makes the effort and is not likely to succeed thus early in the session.

The special order for today at 2 o'clock is the bill providing for the registry of foreign built ships, but if the Nicaragua bill should be taken up the registry bill would not be allowed to consume much time. Senator Morrill has given notice of a motion tomorrow to consider the bill providing for the purchase of a site for the United States supreme court, but the proceedings with reference to this measure will be confined to a speech by the Vermont senator.

The urgent deficiency bill will receive attention early in the week. The committee on appropriations will meet today and it is believed that more than one meeting on the bill will be necessary. Senator Allison, chairman of the committee, hopes, therefore, to get the bill before the senate for consideration Tuesday.

It has been prophesied that the army bill would be used as a pretext for discussion of the Spanish war and the fear of such a course has not entirely subsided.

Says Wife Cut Him.

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 12.—John Connelly is at the hospital with a three-inch cut in the groin, and his wife, Jane Connelly, is under arrest on the charge of inflicting the wound. Connelly said that while he and his wife were engaged in an altercation she succeeded in taking a razor from his hands and did the cutting. It is alleged that Connelly attempted to defend himself with a razor that was on a shelf near by. Mrs. Connelly managed to get it away from him and inflicted a wound that is likely to cause him considerable inconvenience, yet it is not likely to prove fatal.

Warship Grounded.

New York, Dec. 12.—The battleship Massachusetts, soon after leaving the New York navy yard Saturday for Hampton Roads, struck an obstruction near Governor's island and three of her compartments were torn open. She was taken back to the navy yard at once. Pilot Bell, who was taking the Massachusetts out, said the tide was unusually low, and that the Massachusetts while on her way to the Tompkinsville anchorage, struck the bottom. Further than this Bell refused to talk.

Knowlton Found Guilty.

Boston, Dec. 12.—Special Policeman Clarence H. Knowlton has been adjudged guilty by the board of police of having accepted bribe money from Cora E. Bradford. Knowlton was charged by Captain Foster of the Fifth division with having accepted bribe money from Mrs. Bradford, and having made an agreement with her, for the payment of cash, to furnish her with information relative to the issuance of warrants to search her premises for liquor and other purposes.

Alleged Female Poisoner.

Wichita, Kas., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Lulu Johnson of Pond Creek, Okla., is in jail at Pond Creek and will be tried on Dec. 16 on the charge of poisoning her sixth husband at Lawrence, Kas., in May. She is also accused of poisoning a half-brother in Sumner county, Kas., last July.

COL. EDWARD ANDERSON,

Pastor Washington Street Church,

Will Give a Lecture

—ON—

Wednesday, Dec. 14th,

—ON—

"WORD PICTURES OF WAR PHASES."

The illustrations will be from his book,

"Camp Fire Stories,"

told rather than read. The lecture will be given at the church at 7.45 P. M.

Col. James A. Sexton, Ex-Postmaster of Chicago, says: "I have read carefully Col. Anderson's Camp Fire Sketches and I was charmed with them. They are, indeed, beautiful stories, well told and delightfully interesting and refreshing. His description of the country through which his army passed is simply perfect. With fine powers of characterization, he is possessed of a charming and magnetic style and a never failing fund of kindly humor; while at other times the pathos of his description causes a generous flow of tears."

Gen. Horatio C. King, Secretary Army of the Potomac, writes: "I have read Camp Fire Stories through at two sittings. It is the best collection of war sketches I have ever seen."

Boston Transcript: "Somehow a story seems to tell what war meant in all its phases better than mere description.

Quincy, Dec. 10—1w 12-1t

People's Course.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY,

SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 17

7.45 o'clock. Doors open 7.15.

THE SLAYTON COLORED JUBILEE SINGERS.

Admission with Seat, 10c.

EMERY L. CRANE, FRED B. RICE, } Managers.

J. H. DINEGAN, - - Auctioneer.

Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Warren E. Steeves of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated December 1st, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 805, Fol. 350, will be sold on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on TUESDAY, the third day of January, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and herein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of Quincy called Atlantic, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 256, on plan of "Norfolk Downs," by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans, No 14, plan 640, and bounded as follows, viz: Northeasterly by Rawson Road, fifty (50) feet; southeasterly by lot No. 255 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly by lot No. 218 on said plan, fifty-five and 33-100 (55.33) feet; northwesterly by lots No. 217 and 257 on said plan, one hundred and 14-100 (100.14) feet. Containing, according to said plan, 5,266.5 square feet of land.

Being the premises conveyed to Warren E. Steeves by Henry A. Smith, by deed dated Nov. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 802, page 147, and subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed.

These premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

Terms cash.

QUINCY CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
Mortgagee.
By Richard D. Chase, Treasurer.
Dec. 12. 3t 12-19-26

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer, Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Household Furniture AND VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

—OF—

ALVIN ROGERS,

At Public Auction

ON THE PREMISES,

13 PLEASANT ST., cor. QUINCY ST., South Quincy.

On Friday Dec. 16, 1898,

at 1.30 P. M., we will sell the

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

consisting in part as follows: Parlor Cherry Suit of 3 pieces, Easy Chair, 3 Hair Cloth Chairs, Rocker, Couch, Black Walnut Sideboard, Hat Tree, Oval Gilt Frame Mirror, large Gilt Frame Mirror, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, Pictures, 3 Marble Top Tables, Arm Chair, 3 Rockers, Rattan Rocker, Carpets, 4 Bureaus in good order, Ash Chamber Set, Comforters, Sheets 3 Single Beds, 4 Tables, 2 small Stands, 3 small Glasses, Mattresses, 3 Rugs, Commode Set, Curtains, Trunk, Tools, Crawford Range in good order, Glenwood Range, large size, in good order; Kitchen Utensils, large lot of Crockery worthy attention of buyers, Kitchen Table, 1 Hen Coop, and a variety of useful household goods.

Sale positive. Terms cash.

On Saturday, Dec. 17,

at 2 P. M., on the premises,

THE REAL ESTATE

will be sold. Large double house of 16 rooms, situated on corner of Pleasant and Quincy streets, frontage of 66 feet on Pleasant street and 100 feet on Quincy street. This house is well constructed and arranged for two families, in good condition with city water and furnace. Everything complete about the place, and the owner sells without reserve as he desires to close out his real estate in the city. Excellent chance for investment or to purchase for a home. Location the best in the city, near depot, electrics, and centre of business. Buyer can arrange easy terms if desired. House can be seen for inspection upon application to the auctioneer. Do not miss this chance to purchase desirable real estate at a public sale. Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed in ten days.

Also, 9 room Cottage in rear of this estate, No. 19 Quincy street, containing about 26,000 square feet of land. This is an excellent opportunity for a working man to obtain a home. The house is in good repair and will be sold without reserve.

Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed.

Sale positive. Terms easy.

Remember day and dates.

Dec. 8—8t p lw

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AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

All Respectable Ladies want the

Sorosis Placket Fastener

Because it keeps the Placket in a closed condition, and gives a beautiful hang to the skirt. All first-class dry goods houses sell them and all good dressmakers use them. Can be applied to any skirt in five minutes.

This invention has b ought the award of the Great Diploma and the large Gold Medal of the Inventor's Academy, Paris.

Quincy, Dec. 10.

SWITHIN BROS.

REAL ESTATE!

President's Hill.

President's Hill Annex.

Cranch Hill.

Choice Lots and Improved Property for Sale in West Quincy, Wollaston, South Quincy, Quincy Point, Quincy Centre

Room 12, Durgin & Merrill's Block, Quincy

THE WISDOM OF TRADING HERE.

Confidence in the people you trade with should be the first principle of shopping with the thinking buyer.

If one needs the services of a physician, he naturally has a preference, and its nothing but confidence in the man you talk with that leads you to follow his advice to the letter. The sole aim of the clerks in many of the stores of today, seems to be the one object of selling goods, no matter by what means or by what misrepresentations.

At this store things are different; the fundamental principle of this business is to keep the interest of our patrons at heart, misrepresent nothing and sell the best goods the market produces at prices a little lower than those of the leading Boston stores. These methods alone account for the success of this business, and the confidence of the people have in our store system.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,

Reliable, Low Priced House Furnishers,

Hancock Street, - Quincy.

12 Cabinet Photographs ARE 12 Christmas Presents.

Can you get more value for your money?

The best of work in correct styles at

SKINNER'S STUDIO,

Adams Building, Quincy

Dec. 3. tf

Cold Drop FLOUR,

$4.50 Cash

We guarantee it to be perfect bread flour.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,

Quincy, Nov. 26. tf

WEYMOUTH.

The funeral services of the late Francis Ambler were held at the First Baptist church, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Ellsworth of Braintree officiated, assisted by Rev. H. S. Snyder of the Union Congregational society of Weymouth and Braintree. Music was furnished by a male quartette. A life size portrait of Mr. Ambler was in position before the pulpit and was flanked by immense quantities of cut flowers. There were also several very beautiful floral designs. Mr. Ellsworth took his text from the seventh chapter of Luke, and reviewed the life of Mr. Ambler. He stated that he had known him for many years, and that he believed him to have been a man of irreproachable character, and that he would be greatly missed. He said furthermore that Mr. Ambler had been of a very benevolent disposition, and that he was a friend of the poor and the rich alike. This was proven by the part that the church was filled with persons of every station in life.

George Bailey, a former resident, was in town Saturday.

At the Baptist church last evening, Rev. F. B. Cresse delivered a very interesting discourse entitled "The Dedication of the New Union Church, or Weymouth's Indebtedness to Her Churches." There was a large audience present.

The following young men have been appointed to serve as ushers at the new Union church: William Clapp, head usher; Oliver G. Tinkham, sub-head usher; Walter Hutchins, Ernest M. Vaughan, Edgar H. Bowles, George B. Dexheimer, Bertram B. Dexheimer, Carl Ttreiford, Chester C. Main, Fred Crocker and Charles H. Willoby. The ushers have formed a social club with Walter Hutchins as president, Oliver Tinkham secretary, and George D. Dexheimer, treasurer. Each member has been supplied with a handsome gold badge, to be worn while on duty. These ushers may be had for any entertainment or upon any occasion by applying to the head ushers.

The invited guests to the dedication of Union church will have their supper at 5.30 on Tuesday evening. On Thursday evening there will be another supper for the adults of the congregation. On the evening of the 15th of December the pews of the Union church will be sold for occupancy through one year.

The Charity club had a succe ssful dramatic entertaiment and sale of useful articles, on Wednesday evening Dec. 7. Partaking of ice cream and cake, and listening to love affairs is an easy and patent way of helping the poor. Yet it does the work designed.

The Quincy and Boston street railway have petitioned for locations thgough to the Hingham line. They propose to go through Commerical Front, Summer, Federal and Washington street.

The Sunday School of the Union church will have a rally day on the 18th instant. Efforts will be made to have all the scholars and parents out at 3 P. M.

Miss Ella Gardner of Porter has returned from a visit at Lowell.

The Ladies' Aid will hold a fair at the Porter M. E. church Dec. 13-15.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Belcher have returned to their home on Pleasant street, for the winter.

Interesting Work.

A large crowd of people visited Rufe's Hummock on Sunday to watch the digging of the channel to float the Steamer "John J. Hill." The Boston Tow Boat Co. has the contract. Captain Swanson of the steamer "Philadelphia" is overseeing the job for Tow Boat Company. His steamer, the "Philadelphia," which is acting as a supply boat, lies anchored a short distance off the beach. The captain has, besides one of the Eastern Dredging Co.'s large dredges, a gang of fifty men with picks and shovels. When the tide is out the men are set at work throwing the sand and clay out from around the vessel. It is said that it will cost about $5,000 to float her.

☞ Parlor Stoves. 30 patterns to choose from. Good heaters too. $2.98 to $20.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Goes to Grand Jury.

The celebrated criminal libel case of J. J. Keniley, Inspector of Plumbing, against Gustave B. Bates, which has attracted widespread attention in Quincy, and which has been continued from time to time in the District court, was settled this morning as far as this court was concerned. When the case was called Mr. Bates withdrew his plea of not guilty and waived examination. The court found probable cause to believe him guilty and held him in $1,000 for his appearance before the grand jury in April next.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

$10,000 Damages.

We continue to hear of heavy losses by the storm of Nov. 26-27.

President Alexander S. Wheeler of the Farm School on Thompsons Island, off Squantum, issues an appeal in which he says: "The serious loss to the Farm School by the recent gale compels the managers to appeal to the community for means to repair the damage sustained. The small steamboat, which is essential to the school, was completely destroyed by a schooner driving in upon it, the wharf and breakwater were badly injured from the same cause, the dikes were broken, the meadows covered with debris, the sea wall greatly damaged, etc. Upon a conservative estimate $10,000 will be required to make good the pecuniary loss. The managers urgently request the friends of the orphan boys who are taken by this institution and trained to become good citizens to now come to their aid. Subscriptions may be sent to Alfred Bowditch Treasurer, 28 State street, Boston, Mass.

Co. K Popular.

The people of Quincy were touched by the happiness of Co. K, 5th Mass. Regiment, U. S. V., over their Thanksgiving dinner, which was raised by popular subscription in the Daily Ledger, and they have without solicitation come forward with half the sum necessary for a Christmas feast. Mr. George H. Wilson and the Daily Ledger acknowledge the following subscriptions, and hope to make it $30 before Saturday night. All subscriptions will be acknowledged in the Ledger:

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
T. O'Brine,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
A. W. Stetson,	1
Daniel Desmond,	1
W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
C. M. Jenness,	1

A La Santa Claus.

A white dove flew, or rather dropped, down one of the chimneys on Mr. Horace F. Spear's house on Sunday.

A fluttering noise was heard in the chimney, and presently, much to the surprise of the occupants of the room, a dove dropped down from the chimney into the fire place. It was not hurt in undergoing its odd adventure, but was a trifle surprised. After undergoing some petting it was allowed to fly away.

Over One Half New.

Of the 240 members of the next House of Representatives ninety-six are re-elected, thirteen have seen legislative service previous to 1898, and 131 will serve their first term. The youngest member will be J. P. Lanigan of Roxbury, who was born on the last day of the year, 1874. Three members were born in 1823—W. W. Shaw of Raynham, a new man, and Messrs. Fisher of Amherst and Stanley of Newburyport.

G. A. R. Officers.

The officers elected for the ensuing year for Gen. Sylvanus Thayer Post, of Braintree are:

Commander,—Edwin R. Gustin.
S. V. C.,—Hollis A. Webber.
J. V. C.,—Charles E. Smith.
Surgeon,—Morrill Williams.
Chaplain,—John Barbour.
Quartermaster,—Charles G. Anderson.
Officer of the Day, — Joseph M. Foster.
Officer of the Guard,—James H. Holbrook.
Trustee for three years,—William H. Cuff.
Delegate to Department Convention,—Joseph M. Foster.
Alternate,—Elias Holbrook.
Janitor for one year,—E. L. Curtis.

☞ Oil Heaters for cold and chilly rooms, $3.50 to $4.50. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

TODAY'S COURT.

Herbert Winchester was arraigned for being a vagrant at Milton. He was sent to the house of correction for six months.

Joseph Dwyer and John Farren were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Milton.

Henry G. Riley was arraigned for keeping intoxicating liquor with intent to sell at Weymouth. Case continued until Tuesday for sentence.

The continued case of Gustave B. Bates for criminal libel at Quincy was called and he was held for the Superior court.

Hospital Sunday.

Contributions to the City Hospital of Quincy:

Amount previously acknowledged,	$479 63
Mrs. John Harkins,	1 00
A friend,	1 00
Stephen Otis,	1 00
Frederick Meier,	5 00
Total,	$487 63

DIED.

CHIPMAN—In Weymouth, Dec. 9, Mr. William H. Chipman of Front street, aged 78 years, and 17 days.

DOW—At sea, Nov. 2, Capt. Freeman A. Dow, beloved husband of Mrs. Nellie B. Dow, and father of Harold and Myrtle Dow, a native of Quincy, aged 45 years, 5 months and 2 days.

Council Business.

The principal matter to come before tonight's meeting of the City Council will be the public hearing on the petition to remove the street railway tracks on Adams street, between Hancock and Alleyne streets. The Committee on Streets will report on the petitions of the American Telegraph and Telephone Co. for a change of location for poles on Willard street, and the New England Telephone Co. for a relocation for one pole at the junction of Hancock and Granite streets. There will probably be reports from the Committees on Elections, Finance, the joint Committee on Finance and Sewers, and the Committee on Ordinances. In the calendar are the orders, refunding Willard Walsh $41.96 taxes, and transferring $170 from appropriation for painting the stand pipe to appropriation for maintenance of the Water Department.

Minchin Won.

The patrons of the Braintree postoffice held a caucus Saturday night. An informal vote was taken which gave Mr. A. Southworth, the present incumbent, 51 votes; M. A. Minchin, 58; and N. R. Procter, 59. The formal vote which followed, gave Mr. Southworth 41, Mr. Procter 55, and Mr. Minchin 66. Mr. Procter has a strong petition bearing the names of 160 Rebublicans and 70 Independents and Democrats, many of whom placed no importance upon the result of the caucus and did not attend.

☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, carpets cleaned. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

The Eve of the Future.

"The Eve of the Future" is the theme of a writer in the Paris Figaro who is almost willing to admit that she will be an American type, the result of the intermingling of many races and the pursuit of outdoor sports. She will have, he declares, a straight brow, rather low than high; a neck well poised on sloping shoulders—a neck to wear high, narrow collars; slender arms, a waist that one could span with two hands, hardly any hips and an independent, manly carriage. "The aristocratic air," he continues, "is not always linked with beauty. As a matter of fact 'blood does not always tell.'

"One finds the aristocratic type in all classes of the social scale—the rather long and finely cut nose, the firm chin, long, slender white hands, with slim and tapering fingers; tall, erect figure; long, narrow, delicate foot, made for pointed shoes; the whole person alert, elegant, snella, as the Italians say. We agree with the Americans in attaching more importance to the expression than to the shape of the features, and we prefer a spirituelle, mobile and vivacious face to features of perfect purity and perfect immobilty. Form attracts us, but we are in love with life, and it is the secret of the Parisienne's charm."

Right.

Parson—Well, I'm sure you are a very kind little girl to bring me these beautiful strawberries. I hope you did not pick them yesterday—Sunday?

Little Girl—No, I picked them this morning—but they were growing all yesterday.—Nuggets.

"A Drawn Battle."

—Vim.

No Such Luck.

Nervous Old Lady (for the seventh time)—Oh, captain, is there danger? Shall I be drowned?

Exasperated Skipper—I'm afraid not, ma'am.—Judy.

Christmas Gifts For Mother.

Did you ever stop to think how closely mother is identified with all our plans for Christmas? When she is not filled with the Christmas spirit, it is apt to be a dreary holiday, but when she loves Christmas there is joy and gladness in the home, no matter how the other members of the family may have felt about it or how poor the home may be. But, while the mother is really made responsible for the Christmas merrymaking, how seldom are her pleasures considered? That is not at all as it should be, and I want to suggest that the coming Christmas shall be considered mother's exclusive holiday. If the other members of the family can possibly do so, they should relieve her of all household care during that day. Think how she would enjoy a Christmas dinner, planned and cooked by the members of her family, and its menu kept a secret from her until the moment when she was escorted to the seat of honor!

But not only must mother be relieved of all responsibility so far as the Christmas entertainment is concerned; she must also be the one to receive the most gifts. If but one member of the family can have a Christmas gift, let it be mother. Without doubt she has gone without many and many a time that the children's stockings might be filled.

Colored Women In Clubs.

The club movement among colored women began about eight years ago, and the number of clubs has increased to such an extent that there is now a National Federation of Colored Women's clubs. Mrs. R. L. Terrell of Washington, Mrs. Booker T. Washington of Tuskegee, Mrs. Josephine Ruffin of Boston, Mrs. L. A. Davis of Chicago and Mrs. Ellen Cook of Washington are some of the leading women in this work of national organization. This federation has held four annual conventions. The last one was held in Nashville during the exposition last year, and the next one will be held in Chicago during the summer of 1899. There are about 200 clubs in this national federation. The largest number of these are, of course, in the south.

The plans and purposes of these clubs and leagues are modeled largely after the stronger clubs among white women. They have had a wonderful influence so far in supplementing the work of the school and the church in the social betterment of the race. These clubs have also brought to the front and made useful a surprising number of able and finely equipped women for all kinds of reform work.—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Good Woman.

Mme. Carnot, widow of the assassinated president of the French republic, who died recently of heart disease at Presles, was born in 1843, and originally bore the English name of White—Marie Pauline Cecile Dupont White. She was the daughter of Charles Brook Dupont White, the son of a M. Dupont of Rouen, who, marrying an English woman, adopted her name of White. Her father was an eminent political economist, the friend of John Stuart Mill and translator of some of his works. Her mother, an octogenarian, who is still living, was the daughter of a great Paris builder. When Marie Dupont White became the wife of Sadi Carnot, he was a mere civil engineer in the government service. To her influence is attributed his entry, in 1870, into political life. On his election to the presidency she set a new example by her interest in the unfortunate and her liberal benefactions. She refused a pension after his tragic death and took the sum subscribed by Frenchwomen for a monument to M. Carnot to found annual grants for deserving widows. She leaves three sons and a daughter to mourn her.

Women and the Egg Industry.

The last census showed that the increase in the poultry and egg business had been 79 per cent in the preceding ten years. From its value then it is estimated that the egg production alone is now worth about $180,000,000 a year, which is three times the value of the output of the gold mines of the country, twice as much as the pig iron, and more than half as much as the wheat product annually. Yet the egg and poultry business is almost entirely in the hands of women, and nobody pays much attention to its value. Most of it is attended to by housewives, who are classified by the census as "employed in no gainful occupation." Commercial and political fortunes depend on the gold, iron and wheat products, while nobody stops to consult the interests or the wishes of the homekeeper, whose egg industry is only one of her many ways of contributing to the wealth of the world.—Woman's Tribune.

Women In City Improvement.

The Municipal Affairs Magazine has devoted much space to the work accomplished by women in city improvement. It is a noticeable fact that in all the instances mentioned the good has come through organized effort. The clubwomen of Washington induced congress to give more attention to street improvement and the sanitation of slum districts. The Boston clubs joined forces with men for the bettering of poorhouses, prisons, tenement houses and hospitals. New York and Philadelphia possess health and civic leagues that have waged successful war on bad smells, dirty streets and public nuisances generally.

Rosa Bonheur's Last Picture.

Mme. Rosa Bonheur has declared her intention of painting one more large picture and has predicted that she feels that it will be her last, as she is over 70 years of age. It will be a picture of a large lioness and her cubs.

Two young ladies from Boston called upon Rosa Bonheur a few days ago while in Paris. She received them in her garden, where she was leading a lion cub by a chain and was affectionately regarding an immense tiger which roared in a cage near by.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—At Quincy Adams depot, on Tuesday last, a 50-ride book between South Braintree and Boston. Finder will please leave with K. T. P., Advertiser office, Quincy.
Dec. 12. 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl with some experience for general housework. Apply at No. 14 Bigelow street.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

WANTED—An experienced Furniture Mover. HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
Quincy, Dec. 9. tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street.
Nov. 9. tf

SLEIGH FOR SALE.

TWO Seated Sleigh in good order. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street.
Quincy, Dec. 2. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—At 78 Washington street, a desirable house of 6 large rooms, three on each floor. City water, etc. Apply to FRANK F. PRESCOTT at Ledger office or 14 Bigelow street. dec12-tf

TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 7. tf

TO LET—Cottage house, No. 29 Granite street, 8 rooms, three minutes' from City Square. Apply to H. M. FAXON, 4 Adams Building. Sept. 30—tf

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QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

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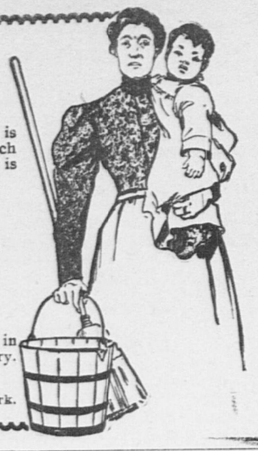

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TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of

RICHARD J. LARKIN,

late of Quincy in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Annie E. Larkin of Quincy, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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Dec. 2. 3t 2 9 12

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PUBLICATION OF TEXT

Of Peace Treaty Withheld Out o Courtesy Toward the Senate.

Impressive Scene at the Sign ing of the Document.

Curtain Falls on What Has Proved a Bitte Tragedy For Spaniards.

Paris, Dec. 12.—The United State commissioners rested yesterday after th long strain of daily conferences an almost daily sessions with the Span iards, the intensity of which they hard ly realized until it was over.

Warm personal friendships and mutua regard have arisen between the tw commissions as the result of their ex tended controversy at close quarters Yesterday several members of both com missions exchanged calls. The Ameri can commissioners unofficially informe the Spaniards that they would be glad t have the two commissions dine together The reply, which, like the invitation, wa conveyed diplomatically through a third party, was that the Spaniards would be most pleased, but feared it would be inadvisable because it might be misconstrued at Madrid, where already much feeling existed against the Spanish commissioners.

The treaty, as signed, consists of 17 articles, it having been found advisable to subdivide two or three of the articles in the draft agreed upon at the last meeting.

The commissioners of the two nations wrote their signatures on two copies of the treaty, the copy being for the archives. The document was prepared by Secretary Moore in behalf of the United States commission, and by Senor Villarutia for Spain, on account of the continued illness of Secretary Ojeda of the Spanish commission.

Each copy contained the English and Spanish text of the treaty in parallel columns. The wording had been approved previously by the commissions without a joint meeting, so there was no controversy on this subject.

Several members of the United States commission were inclined at first to publish the text of the treaty, but Senator Frye made a strong plea for the observance of courtesy toward the United States senate, and his arguments prevailed.

Further details, however, have been learned as to the wording of the treaty, which provides that Cuba is to be relinquished and that Porto Rico and the Philippines are to be ceded. The Americans are to pay for the repatriation of the Spanish troops from all the colonies. The Spaniards are to return all prisoners held by them. They are to retain possession of all military stores and munitions of war in the Philippines and of such ships as have not been captured.

The commercial treaties between the two nations which the war ruptured are to be renewed at the convenience of the two nations.

The protocol makes nearly 600 typewritten pages.

The signing of the treaty Saturday night would have afforded a subject for a great historical painting. The group gathered about the table in the stately chamber of the foreign office was impressive in itself, while the fact that the sense of the momentousness of the issues which the act decided was deeply felt by all the participants gave an empressive and solemn tone to the scene.

Around the great mahogany table sat the 10 arbiters of the destinies of an old and a young nation. Ranged standing behind them were numerous attaches of the American commission. The jets from the crystal chandeliers above the heads of those present magnified the brilliant green and scarlet of the upholsterings into gaudiness.

There was a theatrical contrast between the black-clothed actors and the scenery. To the Americans it was a happy ending of the epilogue of war; for the Spaniards it was plainly a bitter tragedy, none the less painful because long foreseen. They sat silently, as though almost crushed, and none could withhold sympathy from Senor Montero Rios, the president of the Spanish commission, who, coming from his bed, was bundled in a great overcoat, though logs were burning in the fireplace near by.

The spirits of the two bodies were symbolized by the clothes worn by the members of the commissions, for the Americans were attired in evening dress for the dinner given to them immediately after the meeting by the Duc de Loubat, and the Spaniards wore black frock coats.

Although the commissions met at 3:30 o'clock, expecting to finish their work in half an hour, the engrossing of the treaty on parchment was found to be so troublesome that it delayed the signing of the document until 8:20 o'clock. Clerk Martin of the American commission worked all day. When he came into the chamber at 7:30 o'clock with the document, he found the commissioners waiting.

The Spanish copy had arrived half an hour earlier. Mr. Arthur Furguson then then proceeded to read first the English, and after that the Spanish version of the treaty. This finished, the two copies were passed around the table, the commissioners signing them in the order of their rank—Judge William R. Day, Senator Cushman Davis, Senator William P. Frye, Mr. Whitelaw Reid and Senator George Gray, Senor Montero Rios, Senor Abarzuzu, Senor Garnica, Senor Villarutia and General Cerero y Saens—each commissioner signing its opponent's treaty. Both were tied with the Spanish and American colors.

When the seals were prepared to be affixed, attendants were sent scurrying for ribbons of the French tricolor, with which the documents were sealed as a compliment to the French hosts of the commissions.

Many officials interestingly watched every detail of the proceedings.

The last seal being impressed the commissioners rose and without formality each member shook the hands of all his antagonists, and exchanged assurances of sincere personal esteem. The Spaniards afterward commented acridly upon what they termed the bad taste of the Americans in mustering a crowd of attaches to gloat over the consummation of their downfall and to scramble for relics.

The signing was finished at 8:45. At that time the door of the chamber opened, and Senor Villarutia appeared and exclaimed to a group of correspondants who were waiting in the corridor: "C'est fini."

The other members of the Spanish commission folowed Senor Villarutia and hurried silently through the vestibule to their waiting carriages.

The American commissioners strolled out chatting complacently, and as they descended the steps the lights in the chamber were darkened.

Insurgents Making Trouble.

Manila, Dec. 12.—According to reliable advices received from Iloilo, the insurgents attacked Iloilo on the night of Dec. 1 and captured all the Spanish trenches except one. They then notified General Rios to remove the women and children and threatened to renew the attack the following night. When these advices left Iloilo General Rios was expecting reinforcements and field guns and the plan was for the Spanish gunboats to shell the town if the insurgent effected an entrance. The foreign residents were greatly alarmed and all merchantmen had been ordered outside the harbor in order to allow the gunboats to operate. Meanwhile the Spanish authorities have been advised that the Tulisanos troops are looting, in disobedience to orders, and cannot be restrained. On the other hand, the Spanish transport Isla de Luzon reports that the insurgents around Iloilo were repulsed with great slaughter on Dec. 6 while attempting to storm the last entrenchment. According to this story, 500 insurgents were killed or wounded by the machine guns.

The Boothby Murder.

Saco, Me., Dec. 12.—George R. Crellin, who is locked up in this city charged with the murder of Ivory F. Boothby of North Saco, denies all knowledge of the crime, and is emphatic in his statement that on the night of the murder he slept on the station platform of the Portland and Rochester railroad at Bar Mills, a considerable distance from North Saco. At no time after leaving North Shapleigh, his home, was he within half a dozen miles of the scene of the murder. He takes his arrest with great coolness, and does not seem to be anxious as to the result. Mrs. Jennie Bernstein, who keeps a lodging house in Portland, identified Crellin as the man who stopped at her house the night after the murder. She says Crellin appeared to have plenty of money and offered her a $5 bill in payment for his lodging.

A Brooklyn Holocaust.

New York, Dec. 12.—Four persons were killed by a fire in a 5-story apartment house, 134 Prospect place, Brooklyn, last night. A man and his wife, names unknown, living on the fifth floor, were burned to a crisp. The man's body was hanging out of the window where he had evidently gone to save himself. John Winne, a young man 20 years of age, of 620 Carlton avenue, ran into the building to attempt a rescue. In trying to lower himself down the dumb waiter shaft he fell and was found dead at the bottom. Another man, as yet unidentified, lost his life. The house is the property of Leon Abbett, son of ex-Governor Abbett of New Jersey.

Deplorable Circumstances.

St. John's, Dec. 12.—Rev. Sydney Chancey, a Methodist minister, settled on the French shore, writes to the St. John's papers detailing the wrecked condition of the people living there. He declares that alarming destitution prevails along the whole coast line, and that prompt assistance is necessary to prevent wholesale starvation. He instances cases where families are already existing upon fish and diseased potatoes, having no flour, and urges prompt relief to avert the disastrous consequences which must oherwise ensue.

Police Are Puzzled.

Suncook, N. H., Dec. 12.—The condition of Mrs. Daniel F. Moses, who was shot by a strange man who entered her home on Thursday last, is growing worse, and the attending physicians do not expected to survive. Her entemortem has been taken, in which she says that the shooting was not done by her husband. The latter is still held under arrest, on suspicion of knowing about the affair. The "mysterious stranger," who Mrs. Moses said did the shooting, perplexes the authorities.

Cereal Statistics,

Washington, Dec. 12.—On the basis of farm prices on Dec. 1, the agricultural department figures place the 1898 crops of corn and oats as worth $83,000,000 more than the same crops of 1897. Statistician Hyde accredits this largely to the difference in prices. The corn crop is a trifle larger than in 1897, and the average price per bushel is 2.4 cents higher. The oats crop is also a little larger than the 1897 one, and the prices were 4.4 cents higher.

Passed Virginian Wreckage.

Boston, Dec. 12.—Pilot McLean of America No. 1 reports that on Friday, when 14 miles northeast from the Highland light, off Cape Cod, he passed considerable wreckage, among which was the stern of a vessel, on which was lettered Virginian. This name answers for one of the barges which was in tow of the tug Underwriter on the day of the blizzard and foundered at sea with all on board.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:06; sets, 4:12.
Moon sets.
High water—10:45 a. m.; 11:15 p. m.

Excepting local cloudiness, fair and generally clear weather was the rule yesterday, and while it promises to continue through today the conditions are becoming unsettled, with indications now pointing to generally cloudy weather Tuesday, possibly with light snow in the afternoon or night. The temperature does not promise to change greatly for the next two or three days.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Mary Jones Walthall, wfie of the late Senator Walthall of Mississippi, died at Memphis, aged 58. Mrs. Walthall was well known and very popular in Washington.

Arthur R. Peckham, 21 years of age, bookkeeper at the Loraine mills, Westerly, R. I., was thrown from his horse and instantly killed.

A fire at Franklin, Mass., destroyed the sawmill, box factory and grain store of Metcalf & Son, and partially gutted a tenement. The loss will be nearly $31,000.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has received information that foot and mouth disease is raging in the province of Hainaut, Belgium.

Ella Costello, aged 16, died at Danbury, Conn., from burns received by the accidental explosion of a lamp.

Joseph W. Peters, superintendent of the Portland and Rochester railroad, died at Portland, Me., from a cancer in his throat. Mr. Peters had been in ill health for some months.

Sir William Anderson, director general of the British royal ordnance factories, and part inventor of cordite, died yesterday in his 64th year.

The surfmen of the Chatham life saving station yesterday recovered the body of another victim of the Portland disaster. The remains were those of a man, but it will be some time before identification can be made, as the body was considerably decomposed.

Rev. Thomas J. Sullivan, pastor of St. Mary's church, Uxbridge, Mass., and one of the best known priests in the Springfield diocese, died of heart and kidney troubles from which he had suffered more or less for many years. Father Sullivan was in Boston last Friday, making arrangements for the 25th anniversary of his ordination on the 20th of this month.

E. G. Rathbone of Ohio, ex-assistant postmaster general, has been appointed to take charge of the postal service in Cuba. He will leave for Havana in a few days. A commission of four experts and a number of postal employes also will be dispatched to Havana.

Edward M. Conklin, who has been connected with the North & Judd Manufacturing company for upwards of 20 years, died at New Britain, Conn., aged 46.

Homer M. Washburn, aged 52, vice president and manager of the Continental Wall Paper company, the gigantic trust, died very suddenly at Springfield, Mass., of Bright's disease.

The secretary of the treasury has recommended to the war department that Christmas presents intended for officers and soldiers of the United States armies in Cuba and Porto Rico be admitted free of duty. An order to this effect probably will be issued.

A POPULAR MISTAKE

Regarding Remedies for Dyspepsia and Indigestion.

The national disease of Americans is indigestion or in its chronic form dyspepsia and for the very reason that it is so common many people neglect taking proper treatment for what they consider trifling stomach trouble when as a matter of fact indigestion lays the foundation for many incurable diseases. No person with a vigorous healthy stomach will fall a victim to consumption. Many kidney diseases and heart troubles date their beginning from poor digestion; thin, nervous people are really so because their stomachs are out of gear weary, languid, faded out women owe their condition to imperfect indigestion.

When nearly every person you meet is afflicted with weak digestion it is not surprising that nearly every secret patent medicine on the market claims to be a cure for dyspepsia, as well as a score of other troubles when in fact as Dr. Werthier says there is but one genuine dyspepsia cure which is perfectly safe and reliable and moreover this remedy is not a patent medicine but it is a scientific combination of pure pepsin (free from animal matter) vegetable essences, fruit salts and bismuth. It is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Despepsia Tablets. No extravagant claims are made for them but for indigestion or any stomach trouble Stuart's Dspepsia Tablets are far ahead of any remedy yet discovered. They act on the food eaten no dieting is necessary simply eat all the wholesome food you want and these tablets will digest it. A cure results because all the stomach needs is a rest which Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give by doing the work of digestion.

Druggists sell these tablets at 50 cents per package. Circulars and testimonials sent free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. 3t-12-14-16.

Warning to Bad Chinamen.

London, Dec. 12.—The Pekin correspondent of The Daily Mail says: An imperial rescript, just issued, sentences to death a Chinese literatus who wrote threatening letters to a foreign missionary in Kiang Si, and confers high Chinese honors on the missionary for his tact and forbearance in the matter. The edict astonished the Chinese, and the action of the empress dowager is likely to have a salutary effect.

Resignation Accepted.

New York, Dec. 12.—The congregation of Plymouth church, represented by a large advisory committee of its prominent members, decided yesterday to accept the resignation of Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, to take effect on May 1. After Jan. 1 Dr. Abbott will be relieved of all participation in the active management of the church, and will simply preach when his health permits.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M. except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
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MILES AND SCHOFIELD

Give Their Opinions as to the Needs of the New Army.

Expansion Necessarily Means a Large Increase.

Interesting Statements Made Before the House Military Committee.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Generals Miles and Schofield showed that they were divided on some questions relating to the management of the army when they appeared before the committee on military affairs yesterday.

To many it seemed that General Schofield was working directly to antagonize General Miles. For instance, after alluding to the friction between the commanding general and the secretary of war, and saying that the present system makes it possible for the secretary to practically ignore the commanding general, he recommended that the regulations be so altered that the president have the power to select his commanding general at any time.

He also said he was opposed to the title "lieutenant general," on which, it is said, General Miles has set his heart, and he would substitute the title "general-in-chief."

General Miles promptly took exceptions to those views, and said the plan would lead to favoritism in the selection, if left to the president. He showed some feeling when he said he did not speak from a personal standpoint, "as he was ready to be retired at any time," and also when he said that Generals Merritt, Brooke and himself had come through the recent war without hope of recognition.

General Miles began by explaining what he proposed to accomplish in his new army bill.

The experience of the last year, he said, had demonstrated that our present military estimate was inadequate to maintain our position as a first-class power.

The war with Spain had shown pretty clearly how many men would be required. The war had required 52,000 men for actual field operations at various points. Of these 22,000 men went to Manila, 20,000 to Cuba and 10,000 to Porto Rico. These were men actually in the presence of the hostile enemy. Since then there had been reinforcements for garrison and other purposes. At the same time the general pointed out the necessity at home must not be overlooked; the entire frontier had been stripped of troops during the late war.

These considerations, said General Miles, had led him to recommend a standard of one soldier for 1000 of population at home, with native troops in the newly acquired colonies on a basis of two native soldiers for every 1000 population.

"If we are to be a first class power in the world," proceeded General Miles, "we must have a military system adequate to meet our responsibilities the world over. I believe in making that system so small that it will not be a menace to the American people and at the same time large enough to make it adequate for any emergency."

The science of war had undergone a complete change since the days of our forefathers, General Miles said, and now smokeless powder, long-range rifles and machine guns were the decisive elements. With this changed condition he thought one soldier to 1000 population would give an army entirely adequate for every need. It would give an army of 62,000, according to the last census, and about 75,000 on the estimated population of today. In addition to this force the use of native troops would make an effective body in the several colonies.

General Miles said we now have a greater number of our men abroad than any other country, except, perhaps, Great Britain. The British force in Egypt was hardly more than 3500 men. On the basis of two native soldiers for every 1000 population, the native troops in Porto Rico would be recruited up to about 2000 and in Cuba up to about 3000.

"And if we are to keep the Philippines, and I have no more idea that we will give up Manila than we will give up Bunker Hill or any other place immortalized in our history, then this native force will largely augment our own troops there, and I understand the natives are ready to enter upon this service."

General Miles then turned his attention to the bill drawn by him. He had prepared this, he said, simply in order to express his views in definite form. He explained in detail the provisions as to cavalry, artillery, infantry and staff. As to cavalry organizations, he said the tendency was to reduce the number of men in a regiment, as experience had shown that 1000 men was about as many as a colonel could maneuver with effect. As to the artillery, he urged that the four-gun formation was more desirable than the six-gun, in giving to the enemy the first effective blows, which were the decisive ones.

The hearing took quite a spirited turn when several of the Democratic members of the committee began cross-questioning General Miles. When Mr. Cox asked that the minority have an opportunity to ask some questions, Chairman Hull expressed the hope that the committee would not divide on political lines, as it had never before separated into majority and minority.

When asked how many troops were required in Cuba, General Miles said that as troops were moving there now he would not go into details on that point, as it might be erroneously construed as comment on his superiors in office. He expected that most of the troops would be off for Cuba within 30 days.

"When will the Cuban government be organized?" asked Mr. Sulzer.

"I do not know; that is a political question," replied the general. He went on to say that probably 10,000 men would be sufficient for Cuba in the near future. The officers in the Philippines estimated they would require 25,000 men and possibly more. Altogether about 40,000 men were needed abroad and 35,000 at home.

"When Cuba is independent the 10,000 can be withdrawn and the army reduced?" suggested Mr. Sulzer.

"I would wait until that time comes and then consider," answered General Miles. "Whatever is the status of Cuba, it will be necessary to maintain a strong force there for a number of years."

The general, answering Mr. Hay of Virginia, said that there should be no delay because the peace treaty was not ratified. Porto Rico was adequately garrisoned for a double purpose, as a base for our ships and forces and also to prevent Spain or any foreign power from attempting to take it. While he dismissed the idea that Spain would make such an attempt yet it was well to be prepared for a move of that kind from any quarter.

For Reorganization of Army.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Representative McClellan of New York, a member of the military affairs committee of the house, introduced in the house a bill for the reorganization of the army. It was drawn after consultation with many army officers and is supposed to represent the ideas of the younger element of the army. It makes some very radical changes in the staff and has some novel features. It consolidates the adjutant general's department and the inspector general's department in the general staff, absorbs the ordnance department into the artillery corps and abolishes the signal corps, transferring the duties of that corps to the engineer corps and the officers to the infantry. It gives the quartermaster's and subsistence departments each a regiment of 1000 enlisted men. It adopts the cavalry strength of the Miles bill, the artillery strength of the Hull bill and the infantry strength of the Miles bill. One of the new features is a requirement that all officers of the general staff shall perform a tour of duty before each promotion, which would give them line duty at least every 10 years. This is the German method. The bill also creates an equipment department to relieve the quartermaster's department and confines the duties of the latter solely to transportation.

Bryan's Resignation Accepted.

Washington, Dec. 13.—All doubt respecting the intentions of Colonel Bryan was removed by the receipt at the war department yesterday of a telegram from him stating that he had mailed his resignation of his commission as a colonel of volunteers, and that it was approved by the division and corps commanders. The written resignation came to the war department in the afternoon by mail, and was immediately accepted, notice of that fact being telegraphed to Colonel Bryan.

Three Prize Fights.

Troy, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Four thousand sports saw the 20-round bout between Larry Burns of Cohoes and Martin Flaherty of Lowell, Mass., last night, and the spectators went away well satisfied. Both men were in the best of condition and their work was fast and clean from the beginning to the end. The contest went the full length, and the decision was given to Flaherty with the approval of those who had witnessed the affair.

London, Dec. 13.—At the National Sporting club last evening there was a spirited bout between "Pedlar" Palmer and Billy Plimmer for the bantamweight championship, the National Sporting club purse and £500 a side. Palmer knocked Plimmer out in the 17th round.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Dec. 13.—Bobby Dobbs, the American, beat Dick Burge in a boxing contest last night for a purse of £250 a side. In the eighth round Burge claimed a foul, which the referee refused to allow. Burge's backer, thereupon, declined to permit him to continue the fight.

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Dreyfus Affair Leads to a Violent Uproar In the French Chamber.

"Whitewashed Panamaist" to Fight Two Duels.

Anti-Dreyfusites Create Riotous Scenes In the Streets of Paris.

Paris, Dec. 13.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday M. Grousset, Radical-Socialist, interpellated the government on the indiscretions of the general staff in the Dreyfus affair. He read abstracts from newspaper articles, which are alleged to have emanated from members of the general staff, which caused a violent uproar.

Deputies rose and rushed at one another and engaged in a series of fist fights. M. Grousset continued his remarks in the midst of this tumult, and recalled an article in The Intransigeant referring to letters from Emperor William and an interview between Count Von Munster, the German ambassador at Paris, and M. Casimer Perier, the former president of the republic.

Count de Mun, the Conservative leader, here interrupted the speaker and said he desired that the house be consulted as to whether the discussion should be allowed to continue.

Premier Dupuy said that as the head of the government he protested with the utmost energy against the language of the speaker, who, he added, had not measured its possible effect.

M. Deroulde, Revisionist, shouted: "Come off the tribune." This caused a redoublement of the uproar.

When semi-quiet had been restored M. Grousset said the center of the resistance to the revision of the Dreyfus case was no longer the ministry of war. It was elsewhere. As to the secret documents in the case, he pointed out that they had been ridiculed by Emperor William himself.

M. Grousset spoke of articles in newspapers in which it was hinted that Russia and the czar were mixed up in the Dreyfus affair. He also alluded to the recent semi-official note relative to the minister of foreign affairs, "M. Grousset being obliged to explain certain statements to the German ambassador (violent interruptions), relative to the latter's daughter." (Uproar and hoots.)

"Austria," M. Grousset said, "was next mixed up in the affair." He demanded to know if the government was disposed to permit the centre of resistance to the law to pass from the ministry of war to the general staff of the military government of Paris; if it would any longer tolerate this attitude of the ringleaders, and if it would govern for the republic or for the Jesuits? (Applause from the extreme Leftists and violent protests elsewhere.)

Minister of War De Freycinet repudiated M. Grousset's allegations. He said that if there had been some indiscretions it was unjust and imprudent to attack the whole army. "Unjust because the army was excellent, devoted to its duty and incapable of the acts charged; imprudent because it was liable to lead to a disorganization of the military institutions."

As one of the results of insults exchanged during the debate in the chamber, M. Antied Boyer, Radical-Socialist sent his seconds to M. Deroulde, Revisionist, and to M. Gauthier, who characterized M. Boyer as a "whitewashed Panamaist."

Situation Is Precarious.

Paris, Dec. 13.—Exchange of blows with walking sticks and of shots from revolvers mark the latest stages of the Dreyfus excitement. It is indisputable that France's situation is precarious, sulking at Germany, hating England, and torn by internecine strife.

Picquart was to have been tried by court-martial Monday on charges of forgery and revealing state secrets in his efforts to prove Dreyfus innocent. This move is believed to have been made by the army chiefs to prevent his testifying before a civil court in the exile's favor. The court of cassation, which is reviewing the Dreyfus case and wants Picquart's evidence, directed that the military trial be postponed indefinitely.

M. Millevoye and the Comte de Ramel, members of the chamber of deputies, headed an anti-Dreyfus demonstration yesterday afternoon. They marched to the Cherche Midi prison, where Colonel Picquart is confined, but they were stopped by a cordon of police and were begged to retire. Thereupon M. Millevoye made a speech, during which he said they did not desire to conflict with "these brave fellows," pointing to the policemen, adding that they have achieved their object, of being able to shout: "Spit upon Picquart," who could hear them from the window of his prison.

Similar scenes took place at the Hotel Invalides, the residence of General Zurlinden.

All of the railway stations, which were protected Monday evening against an outbreak growing out of the poular feeling in regard to Dreyfus and Picquart, are still strongly guarded by the military, and several thousand Republican guards and police agents are doing special duty in various parts of the city.

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Christmas Number.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	31	40	62	44
Monday	32	50	47	44
Tuesday	31	41	48	58
Wednesday	—	40	40	44
Thursday	—	34	60	35
Friday	—	27	52	20
Saturday	—	33	46	30

New Advertisements Today.

Single house to let.
Geo. W. Jones—Ties.
Lady's gold watch lost.
C. F. Carlson—Pocketbooks.
Boston Branch Grocery—Tea.
Christmas number—Daily Ledger.
John H. Pray, Sons & Co.—Carpets.
H. L. Kincaide & Co.—Christmas offerings.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Just enough snow to bring out the sleighs.

Faxon lodge, I. O. G. T., of Atlantic, will hold a basket party Monday evening.

Mr. Albert Cose and family of Norfolk Downs have removed to Dorchester.

Business is very quiet in the granite tool makers shops in South Quincy, as well as in the stone sheds.

The electrics on the Quincy Point route were detained this morning a short time on account of the power giving out.

The main shaft in the polishing shops of the Eagle Granite Polishing Co., broke at 8 o'clock Monday morning and work was suspended.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross of Gordon street congratulate them on the arrival of a young daughter on Saturday morning.

The Rev. Francis Tiffany of Cambridge lectured at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Monday evening on "Soglio," a Swiss-Italian Mountain Hamlet.

The handsome new church at Weymouth Landing will be dedicated today at three o'clock. F. A. Perkins of Quincy, the contractor may be proud of his work.

The first annual banquet of the members of the Physical department of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 15, at 7 o'clock. Music will be furnished by Messrs. C. C. Bradford, F. H. Lord and R. N. Van Buskirk.

Quincy is fortunate in having such stores as those of Henry L. Kincaide & Co., especially at Christmas time. At one can be found elegant and valuable household furiture, always acceptable, and the other a delight for children, with toy for a nickle or a dime.

At the banquet in connection with the 75th anniversary celebration of Phillips church, South Boston, last evening, Rev. E. N. Hardy and Dr. William Gallagher were in the list of after dinner speakers. Mr. Hardy began his ministry in Phillips church as associate pastor. Dr. Gallagher of Thayer Academy, formerly a deacon of the church, gave the historical address.

☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, carpets cleaned. Henry L. Kincaide & Co,

BORN.

ROSS—In Quincy, Dec. 10, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. William Ross of Gordon street.

DIED.

TUCKER—In Milton, Dec 12, Miss Fanny Amory, daughter of Mr. John A. Tucker.
HOBSON—In Milton, Dec. 11, Martha S. Hobson.

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The beautiful estate of N. G. Nickerson, Belmont street, Wollaston. House, stable, 36,000 feet of land; great variety of Fruit and Shade Trees. Low price and easy terms.
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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Hears Remonstrance of Many Adams Street People.

To Street Railway Tracks on Their Street.

President Graham Says Alleyne Street is Not Practical.

Over two hours were consumed at Monday night's Council meeting by the public hearing on the removal of the street railway tracks on Adams street.

Councilmen Badger, Cain, Poland and Prout were absent.

MORE MONEY WANTED.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Board of Health asking for an additional appropriation of $60 for abatement of nuisances, and $230 for garbage collection. To joint Committee on Finance and Health.

PETITIONS.

Louis Slagher petitioned for a refund of $12.55 in taxes paid on property not is own. To Finance Committee.

Elijah G. Hall petitioned for an auctioneer's license. Laid on the table until later in the evening when it was granted.

Several petitions were received for minor licenses.

A petition was received from Patrick J. Cunniff for refund of tax of $36.54. To Committee on Finance.

A petition was received that Coddington street between Washington and Sea streets be widened to 60 feet. Rules suspended and order referred to Committee on Streets.

The auctioneer's bond of Stephen E. Wilson was approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting the American Telegraph Company a relocation of poles on Willard street. Rules suspended and order passed. Councilman Little alone voting no.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting the New England Telephone Co. a revocation of one pole at the junction of Hancock and Granite streets. Read once.

The Committee on Elections reported the result of the municipal election as already reported in this paper.

The Committee on Finance reported that the communication in relation to Sewer Assessments be referred to the Executive department. Adopted.

The joint Committee on Finance and Water reported an order appropriating 1,000 additional for maintenance of Water department.

The Committee on Finance reported an order appropriating $200 of the receipts of Burial Places for 1898 to appropriation for Burial Places of 1898.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass on order appropriating $3,000 additional for removal of snow. Rules suspended and order passed.

PUBLIC HEARING.

At this point a public hearing was held on the petition to remove the tracks from Adams street to Alleyne street.

Fred B. Rice, the first to speak for the petitioners, asked to have the names on petition read, also the names on additional petition which he filed at this time.

Continuing, Mr. Rice said that these showed that the public recognized the danger, as tracks are now located. Many of these are also holders of stock in the railroad and did not consider the value of the railroad would be injured. He did not wish to antagonize the road but to ask for what was right. There are several groups of people who use this street other than those who ride in the cars, mainly by carriages and wheels. These are the ones who will gain by the removal of the tracks. When the road was built the petitioners wanted to take action but were told no action could be taken for a year. At that time there was a proposition to build the tracks on Alleyne street, but the railroad looked into it and did not care to build there.

He gave the company credit for building a good piece of track, but they were dangerous, which shows that you can not build tracks there without danger to public travel.

He then read sections 13, 16, and 17 of the new law governing street railroads. There was a question under which clause action should be taken. This we consider unimportant. Which ever it is decided the petitioners will gladly comply therewith.

The street is too narrow. It is certainly dangerous for carriages or wheelmen at all times, especially at night. Outside of tracks to grass is about 12 feet. The people who use the cars on this street is great in summer and mainly of people who do not live in Quincy. In winter with the snow piled up it is still more dangerous.

Alleyne street is but little travelled. The curves are the things that scare most people but we can prove these curves are practicable. The distance is 400 feet greater, but the danger in not great. if the railroad uses care. Then the school chidren of the High and the Woodward would be landed very much nearer these schools. If the street has to be widened it can be done at less expense than Adams street, and the saving of track and paving would pay for all expense of change.

Perry Lawton, civil engineer, who made the plans presented by Mr. Rice, said he did not think there would be any great grade from Alleyne street.

Henry M. Faxon favored the petition, that those who drive on the street may be relieved of danger. In summer the space is too narrow for a horse inclined to shy, and in winter with the sloping snow it is almost impassable.

When asked by Councilman Jameson if he would stand his share of the expense Mr. Faxon replied that was a matter to be considered later.

Upon request of Mr. Rice, City Solicitor McAnarney said from the present reading of the act he did not think the Council had power to compel petitioners to stand the expense of the removal from Adams street. If the petition was to move the track from one side of a street to another then the expense would be on the petitioners, but this is a relocation and did not put expense upon anyone but the railroad.

But the new location on Alleyne street was another matter and assessment might possibly be assessed on those benefited.

Dr. N. S. Hunting said with the electric cars Adams street had always seemed a dangerous place to drive. Coming from the bridge a train would cause his horse to shy and when street cars were running fast he had to exercise great care.

Charles A. Howland had no objection to the tracks on Adams street if it was wider, but with a street 32 feet wide there was not room enough. If tracks are to remain he did not see any other way than to widen the street. He believed more people travelled there on foot than in the cars. He had callers drive into his yard to get rid of an approaching car. The travel on the street had fallen off 50 per cent. One-third less carriages and many bicycles fell off. He did not object at first to the tracks there and did not now if street was widened.

R. F. Claflin was not particularly interested except on general grounds. A narrow street was always a disadvantage and should be avoided when possible. The simple fact is that it is an encumbrance to a narrow pretty street and the benefit derived by the removal will be great.

C. M. Bryant spoke of the position the railroad took when this piece of road was built. Many were not aware the grant existed. He did not think that if people had opportunity to oppose it the company would have been allowed to go through. It was not safe for people to drive. Unless the location is changed the result will be that the street will have to be widened. The street was none too wide without the tracks.

Mr. Bryant was asked a number of questions by Councilman Jameson, and also allowed himself to be questioned by outsiders.

Charles H. Porter did not want to antagonize the road. If this were the only highway that could be used he would be the last to oppose. The opening of Alleyne street would work no disadvantage to the road and would not discommode passengers. The riding time would not be one minute different.

People were also in the habit of using his yard to avoid the cars. He had counted 175 bicycles in fifteen minutes passing on Adams street and in the same period 50 on Hancock street. School children would be landed nearer the High and Woodward schools by the change.

It would cost Quincy three times as much by assessed value to widen Adams street as to widen Alleyne street. The fall in grade from Alleyne street to Hancock street would have to be bridged. It was no argument against the petition that there were other streets as narrow as his. He would not be willing to have Adams street widened and receive only the assessed value. To take ten feet from his land would bring his window within six feet of the sidewalk.

This closed the hearing for the petitioners.

John R. Graham, President of the Quincy & Boston street railway, said the railroad had the location and when it was built they were far about it, and did all he could to please the Council and abutters.

The road was built upon urgent appeal of Wollaston people. To his mind it was impracticable to build over the proposed location on Alleyne street. Unless land was taken at the Hancock and Adams street corners the curves would be impracticable to operate The most feasible land was to wide Adams street. As the corner of Alleyne

Continued on page 3.

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PRESIDENT IN 1899.

A Rival to President Pinkham Appears in the Field.

The following letter from George A. Sidelinger, the Councilman-at-large who has been elected to next year's City Council announces the gentleman as a candidate for President in 1899. To those familiar with the organization in January last of this year's City Council, it will not be surprising as he was strongly urged at that time to make an aggressive campaign.

In point of service in the City Council Councilman Sidelinger has served four years, next year making his fifth. Last year and this year having been elected at large. He has served on the standing committees of Ordinances, Licenses, Sewers and Drains and Finance. Two years as chairman of the former and this year as chairman of the Finance Committee. During all these years there have been but few meetings at which he was not present. He is fully qualified for the position as president and if elected will make an efficient officer.

To the Editors of the Quincy Ledger:

In order that there may be no doubt as to my standing as a candidate for the Presidency of the City Council of 1899, kindly allow me space in which to explain my postion. As is very well known by the majority of the members of the present Council, I gave way to Mr. Pinkham in January last, when I stood a good chance for election, I did this because I had promised him my support in the event of my election to the Council of 1898. As Mr. Pinkham did not release me I had no alternative. Even after refusing to stand for the office, I received eight votes. I feel that I acted fairly in the matter and that I now have a right to ask and to expect the support of the members of the Council of 1899. In closing, allow me to say. I think the Council for 1899 is composed of fair-minded men and all I ask is their careful consideration. If after due consideration they decide that I have no claim, then I am sure I do not want the office.

Very truly yours,
George A. Sidelinger.
Quincy, Dec. 12, 1898.

Prizes for Women.

The Quincy Home Science Association continues to be active in its chosen work, and its latest effort will stimulate increased interest among women. The association offers prizes of $10 and $5 respectively for original essays by Quincy women, to contain not less than 4,500 words—not more than 6,000—on any one of the following subjects:

1. Bread. — Nutritive value of various kinds. Shall bread be made in the home? Statistics as to use of baker's bread. Compare quality and cost of home-made with baker's bread. Methods of work and sanitary conditions of the average bakery.

2. Income and Expenditure.—A just apportionment of ones' income to various calls upon it. From an economic standpoint, from a moral standpoint.

3. Home Laundries versus Public.—Questions of comparative expense, quality of work and sanitary conditions. Relation of laundry work to the general conduct of the average household.

Essays must be handed in to the secretary of the Home Science Association, Mrs John O. Hall, Jr., before May 1, 1899.

☞ Glenwood Ranges. Cost no more than the other sort. $18.00 to $33.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Bert Otis Taylor, the bogus wire inspector, was called. He was discharged upon the complaints for larceny from George A. Loring and H. G. Fay, and was held in $700 for the grand jury for larceny from Mrs. Wild, and $300 for assault on James Dady.

Thomas H. Sullivan was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

James Walsh was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued one week.

Henry G. Reiley was fined $50 for keeping liquor with intent to sell at Weymouth. Appealed.

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National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Person's Tax Bill for 1898.

[Continued from Dec. 3.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD ONE.

Valuation of Land Only.		Total Ward Tax.
Carlson, Hilda, Belmont, 3,556 feet, Crosby street, $250.		$11 70
Mossman, Lucy, Beverly, 11,893, Great Hill, $850.		15 30
Agnew, William, Boston, 7,633, Houghs Neck, $400.		16 20
Alley, William H., Boston, 3,500, Houghs Neck, $350.		6 30
Andrews, Richard F., Boston, 5,000, Ratchford, $300. 5,000, Crosby, 300.		19 80
Anderson, Christian P., Boston, 13,937, Shelton road, $1,400.		64 80
Anderson, Bertha M. 7,081, Shelton road, $703. 4,817, Albratros, 450.		20 70
Appleton, Lucy F., Boston, 4,760, Manet ave., $400.		16 20
Arnold, H. B., Boston, 5,000, Houghs Neck, $400.		7 20
Baker, Georgietta, Boston, 4,050, Rogers, $300.		18 00
Banister, Charles H., Boston, 5,000, Houghs Neck, $400.		21 60
Greenleaf Land Co., Boston,		723 60
47,940, Hudson,	$1,800.	
19,956, "	700.	
32,500, "	1,625.	
10,982, Butler road,	1,000.	
17,500, Putnam,	875.	
11,500, "	500.	
6,2000, "	300.	
28,000, "	1,400.	
10,489, "	800.	
42,983, Butler road,	3,000.	
15,000, " "	600.	
27,717, " "	1,500.	
25,200, " "	1,250.	
11,978, " "	600.	
17,244, Merry Mount road,	1,500.	
8,400, " " "	650.	
11,978, " " "	800.	
12,000, Valley,	750.	
96,000, Greenleaf,	4,800.	
16,000, "	450.	
13,279, "	400.	
78,750, "	4,000.	
11,250, Greenleaf, 29,106, Merry Mount road,	1,700.	
26,460, " " "	1,000.	
38,250, " " "	1,500.	
16,667, " " "	800.	
11 1-4 acres, Merry Mt. road,	1,700.	
131,000, ft., " " "	5,200.	
Barton, Charles C., Jr., Boston, 6,059, Parkhurst, $300.		18 00
Biesty, John, Boston, 6,300, Whitweil, $650.		47 70
Brimbaum, Bernard, Boston, 4,500, Bird, $350.		6 30
Brimbaum, William L., Boston, 4,500, Bird, $350.		6 30
Bird, John L., Boston, 6,500, Houghs Neck, $550.		30 60
Blielci, Charles, Boston, 5,000, Manet ave., $450. 6,089, Babcock, 350. 5,000, " 325.		38 25
Besse, L. Peter, Boston, 4,000, Bell, $250.		27 90
Boutlier, Alexander, Boston, 5,000, Winthrop place, $450.		8 10
Bray, Martha H., Boston, 5,000, Weymouth, $350.		18 90
Bruce, Miranda, Boston, 3,513, Crosby, $250.		15 30
Burnham, William H., Boston, 7,996, Parkhurst. $400.		19 80
Butler, Sigourney, estate, Boston,		178 20
14,854, Hancock,	$1,500.	
14,000, Butler road,	700.	
22,730, " "	2,200.	
13,332, Putnam,	1,000.	
30,376, Merry Mount road,	1,500.	
36,408, " " "	3,000.	

To be continued.

☞A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
Oct. 29—6 n G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

☞Lovers of mirth, music, pretty girls and clever comedians, have a treat in store for them on Thursday night, next, at Quincy Music hall, when the Gorman Bros., John, James and George, with their excellent company of farceurs, bring their new version of Mr. James Gorman's exceedingly funny musical comedy "Mr. Beane from Boston." Some twenty new and original musical numbers will be introduced during the action of the play, all of which have been well received elsewhere. The supporting company comes with an excellent recommendation from both press and public. Popular prices, 25, 35, 50. Tickets now on sale at Durgin's drug store.

☞Oil Heaters for cold and chilly rooms, $3.50 to $4.50. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

ALL TOGETHER, PULL

But the Ledger Man Had the Best Pull.

The contractor who undertook to launch the steamer John P. Hill at Wollaston beach has promised to "try a pull on Wednesday but it looked yesterday as if it would be labor in vain.

The Ledger correspondent, however, had "the pull" on Sunday, and in company with Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Douglas and the Misses Douglas, accepted an invitation to dine on the steamer with Chief Engineer Wallace Lockhart.

A most delicious dinner was served by the steward, Mr. Bruce McLean, and was enjoyed by those mentioned, and Mr. G. J. Riley, assistant engineer, who was included in the party.

After dinner, Mr. Lockhart, who by the way is a very agreeable and entertaining gentleman showed his guests about the ship and patiently and minutely explained the workings of the engines, boilers, steering gear, compass, log and sextant, all of which if not thoroughy understood by the party is not the fault of Mr. Lockhart.

In narrating his experience on the night of the storm after coming in by Boston light he disclosed to his company the horrors of a night on a rocky coast during a blinding snow storm and hurricane. Two anchors one weighing 3380 pounds the other 2870 pounds with 105 fathoms of chain attached to the heavier one were lost somewhere near the reef between Rainsford and Hangman's islands.

Capt. McLean was summoned home to New York early last week to attend the funeral of his little daughter, his return is expected this week.

Many pictures have been taken of the steamer by amateur photographers and visitors are as numerous as the pebbles on the beach. They come in carriages on bicycles and afoot. One gentleman was seen to pose his two pretty little girls for photo under the stern of the ship the effect being a view of the four-bladed propeller for a background.

The crew which numbered fourteen have gone to their respective homes except five who remain in charge. Well meaning visitors are received cordially and are welcomed by the genial chief engineer Mr. Lockhart.

Boston's Loss.

Henry H. Faxon and his Temperance Bureau are taking active part in the No-License campaign in Boston. He presents figures to show that the direct loss to Boston through liquor is $1,598,753 after deducting the net receipts, and that the total loss is $21,581,853. The direct loss includes eight-tenths of the court expenses, one-half of the police cost, one-half of the hospital expense, eight-tenths of the pauper bills, eight-tenths of the prison expense, (value of labor deducted.) Mr. Faxon urges a No vote.

Christmas.

It is a little early to wish all our friends and customers a "Merry Christmas." It is not too early to be thinking about Christmas gifts. Thousands of people are wondering what they shall buy. Many are waiting for suggestions. Get your Christmas ad in early. Some folks spend money the year round. Everybody buys at Christmas time. They have saved their money to buy. They will buy what you have to sell—if you tell them about it. Tell them about it in an ad in your best local paper. That's the paper we print—everybody knows that.

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POLICE WORK.

Interesting Lecture by Supt. Eldredge Last Evening.

Those who braved the storm to hear Superintendent Eldridge at the Universalist church Monday night felt well repaid for their effort, judging by the words of approbation heard on all sides. "A fine lecture," "splendid," "wish everybody could have heard it," were some of the comments dropped as the people passed out.

Had the weather bureau served up the "fair" article which it promised there would doubtless have been a large attendance, a goodly number considering the abominable walking, was present and the superintendent may take it as a compliment that there was such a large sprinkling of ladies in the congregation on such a night.

In his introduction, Mr. John O. Hall, commented on the tendency of the public to undervalue the services of the police, which he considered of great importance and whose duties were often arduous and full of peril. We ought to treat them more as men like ourselves for while they are not infallible, nor possessed of all knowledge as we sometimes expect yet they were according to his experience very capable and faithful public sevrants.

The lecturer handled his subject as an intelligent man of wide experience might be expected to do, and gave those present a better idea of police life with its varied cares and responsibilities. He spoke of the constant warfare waged between the officers of the law and the criminal classes, and showed what arts and devices were resorted to by the latter to outwit and escape the clutch of the former

Several funny incidents were related to show what unreasonable demands were made upon the police department and what strange ideas some people have of their duties.

The summary of the work of the Boston department for 1897 was given and some wholesome lessons were drawn from the statistics afforded.

Parents were warned to keep their children out of the streets nights, as the home club, where the father is president and the mother is vice president, is the safest of all clubs for both boys and girls, and there is no equivalent for a happy cheerful home.

The police department should be separated entirely from political influence and the good people of the commonwealth should unite with the police in the suppression of crime and in the rigid enforcement of the laws. It was a practical and valuable lecture and all hands were well pleased.

LETTER FROM CO. K.

Co. K 5th Mass. Inf. U. S. V.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 9.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Another clear day. All the companies are making the best of these nice days to do all the work possible on their mess houses so that should a storm arise they can work inside.

The paymaster has not put in appearance as yet, and little hope is now felt that he will come this week, but the boys will look for him the first of next week. Rumor has it that the troops that are to be moved will be paid first.

Three regiments from our army corps have gone to Cuba, and it is now doubtful if any more from this corps go before the 15th of January.

The work on the guard house is being pushed ahead as fast as possible, but the work is slow as most of the carpenters are working on the mess houses of their individual company.

A reception to the officers of the Fifth Massachusetts will be given by te officers of the 203d New York.

Major Morrison showed in Camp Meade, Pa., that he was a most competent leader of a battalion and at Camp Wetherill he has shown that he is capable of handling a regiment.

Guard for today: Belcher, Burns, Buckley, Clapp, Clements, Colberg and J. G. Clark.

Sergt. Colbert went over to the New York regiment this morning to witness the guard mounting. He probably will take a trip to the Missouri regiment before long to witness the same.

The boys of Co. K are very grateful to Mr. George Wilson who so kindly remembered us by sending the Boston papers. Not a day passes but what some of the boys get papers from this great friend of Co. K.

The boys of the foot ball eleven were out today for their last practice before the game tomorrow. H. L. C.

The Highland Whist Club.

The membership of which is made up of seven couple of Wollaston, and one of Winter Hill, Somerville, held their third party of the season, Saturday evening December 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Page, Winter Hill, Somerville. The club enjoyed the trip to Somerville greatly, played whist from eight till ten o'clock P. M. and took the special Saturday night train for home, which leaves Boston at 11.15.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

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and Adams street unless widened it would be more dangerous to operate than now. As a taxpayer, he would recommend the widening of Washington, School and Adams streets. Quincy was growing fast and it would be a benefit to widen these streets. He did not think the difference in receipts by going through Alleyne street would amount to anything. There would be more noise. If the change was practical he would not object.

Councilman Packard and Mr. Howland asked President Graham numerous questions about curves etc.

The hearing then closed and the order was recommitted.

TRANSFERS.

The Committee on Finance reported an order transferring $650 to the appropriation for State and military aid. Approved.

The Finance Committee reported an order transferring $209.87 from receipts of the Poor Department, to the appropriation for Support of Poor of 1897.

The Committee on Finance reported an order rfeunding John L. Johnson $43.20, and J. Moodie, Jr., $48.62 taxes.

AN INCREASE.

The Committee on Finance reported an order increasing the salary of the Overseer of the Poor to $500 per year. Ordered to second reading.

Committee on Claims recommended that the claims of Ada A. Bartlett and T. F. Cahill for damages by changing the grade on Copeland street be referred to the Executive department.

The Committee on Ordinances reported correctly engrossed on the plumbing ordinance. Passed.

The Committee on streets reported that the sidewalk assessment upon abutters be one-half of the cost of curbing and one-half of cost of concrete and brick.

MOTIONS ORDERS, ETC.

Councilman Sidelinger offered an order that the City Treasurer pay $500 to C. W. David for land damages caused by rebuilding Billings road. To Committee on Claims.

Councilman Jameson reported an order amending the ordinance increasing the salary of the Commissioner of Public Works by striking cut the words "He to furnish horse and pay for its keeping" To Committee on Finance.

UNDER CIVIL SERVICE

Councilman Jameson offered a resolve that the City Council request the Civil Service Commission to include the regular and permanent men of the Fire department in the classified list. To joint Committee on Legislative matters and Fire Department.

Councilman Little wanted the matter referred to the next City Council, but his motion was lost.

CALENDAR.

The order refunding Willard Walsh $41.96 taxes took its second reading and was passed.

The Order transferring $170.24 to Water Maintenance to pay Sheppard's coal bill of 1897, took its second reading and was passed.

Adjourned at 10.35.

Co. K Popular.

The people of Quincy were touched by the happiness of Co. K, 5th Mass. Regiment, U. S. V., over their Thanksgiving dinner, which was raised by popular subscription in the Daily Ledger, and they have without solicitation come forward with half the sum necessary for a Christmas feast. Mr. George H. Wilson and the Daily Ledger acknowledge the following subscriptions, and hope to make it $30 before Saturday night. All subscriptions will be acknowledged in the Ledger:

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
T. O'Brine,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
A. W. Stetson,	1
Daniel Desmond,	1
W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
C. M. Jenness,	1

Musical

The Christmas number of the National Home and Music Journal, a monthly devoted to literature, music and the home, is full of interesting matter. "Our Christmas Greeting" is the title of a short poem written expressly for the magazine by Arthur J. Lamb. The musical selections are two songs "In a Manger Lowly" and "The Road to the Sea" also two piano selections, "Air de Ballet" and "Child Love." This fine collection of music for only ten cents is published every month at Chicago by the Chicago Book & New Co.

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DEFENDED HANSCOM.

Constructor Hichborn Says the Navy Department Was Mismanaged.

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—Naval Constructor Hichborn was a witness for the defense yesterday in the court-martial of Naval Constructor Hanscom. Mr. Hichborn said: "I have known Mr. Hanscom as an able officer and a competent instructor, and, as far as I know, there can be no question as to his integrity. He worked day and night and on Sundays. The deficiency that the department most felt was the lack of torpedo boats. The Mackenzie was then being finished in this yard, and the work was hurried by the authorities in Washington."

"You believed, did you not, that the accused was not fit or competent to carry the burden placed upon his shoulders?"

"I did not. No department in the navy was properly managed. I believe that Mr. Hanscom did as well as the exigencies of the war would permit, as did every man in the service. Mr. Hanscom had a specially hard job."

Commodore John W. Philip expressed the greatest faith in Mr. Hanscom's character.

Riot In Havana.

Havana, Dec. 13.—After the news of General Garcia's death spread through Havana Sunday evening the Cubans wished to have all the places of amusement closed. They succeeded in closing two places frequented by Cubans, but the management of the Tacon theater, where there were many Spanish officers among the audience, refused to close the house. A riot ensued, in which three Cubans were killed and one Spanish officer and two Cubans were wounded.

Washington, Dec. 13.—A long dispatch giving an account of the trouble between the Cubans and Spaniards in Havana was received late yesterday afternoon at the war department. Adjutant General Corbin declined to make its contents public, but said that it agreed substantially with the press dispatches of the fight. A copy of the dispatch was sent to the White House, where it formed the subject of a consultation between the president and Secretary Alger.

Millionaire Knowlton's Will.

New York, Dec. 13.—On the written consent of Mary, Countess Von Franckenstersteiff, the will of her father, Edward F. Knowlton, was admitted to probate in the surrogate's court at Brooklyn yesterday. The estate, valued at $1,000,000, goes mainly to the titled daughter and her descendants. Mr. Knowlton committed suicide on Oct. 25 at the home of his sister, West Upton, Mass. To his daughter he leave $100,000 now and the income for life from the remainder of the estate, after a few smaller bequests. The principal is to go to his daughter's issue. The count is to receive $50,000.

Gathering Them In.

Detroit, Dec. 13.—Oren Scotten, manager of the Scotten tobacco plant and director in the newly organized Continental Tobacco company, states that the Detroit plant and stock will be transferred to the new combination, simultaneously with other big plants in various cities. Daniel Scotten, founder of the Scotten business, will be paid for his interest and retire, and Oren Scotten will be general manager of the Scotten branch. It is stated that Daniel Scotten retires with $2,500,000, and that Oren Scotten receives $700,000 besides his stock in the new concern.

To Strengthen Naval Reserve.

St. John's, Dec. 13.—Further evidence of the strained relations between Great Britain and France is afforded by the action of the British admiralty in distributing circulars all around the island of Newfoundland, inviting fishermen to enroll themselves in the naval reserve, for which special inducements are offered. So desirous is the admiralty to secure the colonial fishermen for this service that the drilling periods and the warship cruising are to fall during the autumn and winter months, so as not to interfere with the regular fishing operations of the colony.

Boston Will Be Benefited.

Boston, Dec. 13.—The Massachusetts Telephone and Telegraph company won a victory yesterday in the board of aldermen. Every one of the members voted in favor of giving to that company the right to lay its conduits and wires in the streets of Boston, thus affording competition to the existing company. Some perfecting amendments make it impossible for the company to charge a higher rate than $6 a month for unlimited service or to dispose of its franchise, and requires it to have an exchange in operation in the city within a reasonable time.

Volunteer Troops For Manila.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The war department has begun in earnest the relief of the volunteer troops at Manila by regulars. Secretary Alger yesterday signed an order designating for this purpose six regiments of United States infantry out of eight held in reserve for service in sub-tropical countries. They will go to Manila as soon as transportation can be provided. It may be that the two regiments still held in reserve will join the others before they sail. The volunteers in Manila will be retired in the order in which they reached that city.

Of "Noble" Blood.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 13.—Frederick Von Hartman, who has been arrested here on a charge of burglary, says he belongs to the German nobility, his father being Baron Von Hartman of Cologne, Germany. He says he called Emperor William a fool and was threatened with arrest, and that he fled to America a year ago and held a position in Chicago until he commenced a career of crime.

Cleveland Added to the List.

Boston, Dec. 13.—The Anti-Imperialist league has added Hon. Grover Cleveland to its list of vice presidents, and Mr. Cleveland has sent his acceptance. Governor Pingree of Michigan has also been added to the list. In replying to a letter giving assurance of the league's support, Senator Hoar has written an encouraging letter.

Commissioners Gave a Banquet.

Paris, Dec. 13.—The United States peace commissioners gave a banquet last evening at the Hotel Continental to the United States ambassador. The banquetting room was festooned gaily with American flags. The company toasted President McKinley, Ambassador Porter and the United States peace commissioners.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.
Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

LOST—A Pocketbook containing a small sum of money, from Baxter street to Hall's store, Quincy Canal. The finder will be suitable rewarded by leaving the same at the Ledger office.
Quincy, Dec. 12. 2t

LOST—At Quincy Adams depot, on Tuesday last, a 50-ride book between South Braintree and Boston. Finder will please leave with K. T. P., Advertiser office, Quincy.
Dec. 12. 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl with some experience for general housework. Apply at No. 14 Bigelow street.
Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street.
Nov. 9. tf

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Quincy, Dec. 2. tf

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Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

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Quincy, Nov. 7. tf

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Quincy, July 15. tf

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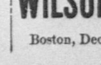

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Quincy, Oct. 8. p4 tf

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FOR TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

Senator Davis on American Interests In the Far East.

America, England and Japan Should Co-operate.

Would Have Nothing to Fear From Other Nations and Preserve Peace.

London, Dec. 13.—The Paris correspondent of The Daily Mail has sent to his paper a report of an interview he had with United States Senator Davis of the peace commission, who advocated a triple alliance between the United States, Great Britain and Japan.

SENATOR DAVIS.

The correspondent says: Mr. Davis declared that American and British interests in the far east run quite parallel and that, therefore, the two powers should act jointly. "I am not appealing to sentiment," he said, "though blood is thicker than water, and this argument should not be ignored. My thesis in favor of co-operation is born out by the coldest logic. I favor a treaty of alliance including the United States, Great Britain and Japan, for the protection of all their interests north of the equator. The rest of the world would have a wholesome fear, synonymous with respect for us."

He proceeded to argue that Russia, Germany and France had secured the great bulk of the commercial benefits in China, to the exclusion of both the United States and England. He suggested that such a dreibund could have nothing to fear from any coalition of other nations, and that, therefore, it would tend to preserve peace.

"There are still 500 years of vigorous fight in England," said Mr. Davis, "which shows no signs of decrepitude, while, strong as America is, it will take several hundred years to develope her promise and potency. I do not see why other nations should object to the alliance. If they do, let them. Germany already by special legislation has immensely injured America's commercial interests. German-Americans regret this attitude on the part of the mother country.

"So far as the Philippines are concerned there will be an open door, but not free trade. Our protection policy will be applied, without favoring any nation, and the local needs of our new territories will be considered."

Cubans' Friendship.

Havana, Dec. 13.—The First North Carolina regiment disembarked yesterday and marched through the city, with band and colors, to the camp at Marianao. By the time the regiment had reached the suburbs of Corro many hundreds of the men, women and children were following, all showing deep emotion, the men embracing one another, the women weeping from excessive pleasure, and the children shouting endearing names as the North Carolinans marched along. The troops were amazed at the intensity of feeling displayed. Several hundred Cubans followed the regiment all the way to Marianao, a distance of seven miles. The troops, in heavy marching order, made a fine appearance, reaching the camp about 11 o'clock, where they were soon comfortably installed.

Two Soldiers Killed.

Huntsville, Ala., Dec. 13.—Henry J. Nelligan, cook, and George W. Beverly, bugler, both of company G, First Florida regiment, had a fight in camp. Nelligan stabbed Beverly, who drew a pistol. Nelligan's brother, H. F. Nelligan, at once shot and killed Beverly with a rifle. Beverly's brother, Roy, emerged from his tent at this time, and thinking that his brother had been killed by Nelligan, he shot him dead. Private Porter Weishant, troop D, Tenth cavalry, was found with a terrible bullet wound in the throat on West Holmes street. He stated that he had been held up by two white soldiers and shot.

Vessel and Eight Men Missing.

Boston, Dec. 13.—Among the vessels which were out in the hurricane of Nov. 27 and have not since been heard from is the three-masted schooner Howard H. Hanscom of New Haven, commanded by Captain Mark Holmes. She sailed from Philadelphia on Nov. 23 for Providence with a cargo of coal, and was seen just before the disastrous storm off Barnegat. Since that time there has been no trace of her. The vessel carried a crew of eight men.

Steele Convicted.

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—William Steele, formerly cashier of the Chestnut Street National bank, was found guilty yesterday by a jury in the United States district court of aiding and abetting the late William M. Singerly, president of the bank, in misapplying the funds of the institution, making false entries in the books of the bank and false reports to the comptroller of the currency.

Couldn't Find the Atlantic.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Dec. 13.—The tugs Underwriter, Storm King and Mercury returned here last night after an unsuccessful search for the disabled steamer Atlantic, before reported anchored 25 miles south of Sankaty Head, Nantucket. They cruised 30 or 40 miles off shore but saw nothing of the steamer.

AGAINST EXPANSION.

Senators Hoar and Hale Present Resolutions—Mr. Vest's Argument.

Washington, Dec. 13.—In the senate yesterday Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts and Mr. Hale of Maine presented resolutions of citizens of their states remonstrating against the extension of American sovereignty over the Philippine islands, and against the acquisition of foreign territory without the consent of the people of such territory. The resolutions were referred to the committee on foreign relations.

Discussion of two questions, each of interest and importance at this time, was begun by the senate at its session yesterday. Territorial expansion and the construction of the Nicaraguan canal occupied the attention of the body during the greater part of the afternoon.

As soon as the routine morning business had been disposed of Mr. Vest (Dem., Mo.) called up his resolution, offered last week, declaring it to be unconstitutional for this government to acquire foreign territory except for coaling stations or some like purpose, unless its intention was to confer statehood upon the territory and citizenship upon its inhabitants. Mr. Vest declared that it was a basic principle of this government that the "powers of the government were derived from the consent of the governed," and maintained that the federal government had no authority, either in morals or in the constitution, to go beyond that principle. He held that the principle had been sustained by the supreme court in various decisions, and that no public man of prominence and no recognized tribunal had ever been reckless enough to controvert it.

Mr. Platt (Rep., Conn.) took issue with Mr. Vest and announced that at some convenient time in the near future he would offer some remarks upon the resolution, in the course of which he would endeavor to show that the Missouri senator was wrong in his interpretation and inaccurate in his deductions from the law.

Mr. Morgan opened the debate on the canal bill with a three-hour appeal for action at this session. The whole country, he said, would be disappointed if congress did not act. He was willing to take any measure which would result in the building of the canal. He agreed to accept an amendment specifically excepting the canal from neutrality with regard to any country with which the United States might be at war.

Mr. Pettigrew introduced a resolution directing the president of the senate and the speaker of the house to appoint a committee of five members of the senate and house of representatives to prepare and carry out plans for the preparation of the celebration of the centennial of the city of Washington as the capital of the United States.

Mr. Hoar also introduced the following resolution:

That the committee on military affairs be instructed to inquire and report as soon as may be, whether some policy may not be established by laws by which soldiers in the regular army, who have families or parents depending on them for support, or whose education or opportunities for business will be seriously interfered with by longer continuance in the military service and who enlisted for the war, or under assurances that they would be held only while the war lasted, may be promptly discharged and their places, so far as necessary, be filled by new recruits.

The house spent the larger part of the day on District of Columbia affairs. The bill to relieve the condition of American seamen was taken up, but nothing was accomplished.

Representative Hepburn of Iowa introduced a bill authorizing the president to acquire by purchase from the states of Costa Rica and Nicaragua full ownership, jurisdiction and sovereignty of such land as may be desirable and necessary to construct and defend a ship canal. The president is also directed to construct such a canal and appropriate $100,000,000 to complete it.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

D. W. Hughes filed a petition in bankruptcy at Chattanooga, giving liabilities of $250,000 and assets of $1000.

The Cunard steamer Cephalonia arrived at Boston with 89 passengers and reports having experienced heavy weather.

Admiral Schley, who has been confined to his room at New York for the last two days, suffering from the grip, is reported much better.

The Venezuelan government has resumed payment of the debt, interior and exterior, which had been suspended on account of the revolution.

Samuel Steward, who was horribly burned in the explosion at the Dupont powder mills, Wilmington, Del., is dead. His is the fifth death as the result of the explosion.

Steamer John Howard, a large stern-wheel freight and passenger carrier, was burned at Columbia, La. No lives were lost. The boat had about 1000 bales of cotton aboard.

Governor Black says: "I shall form a law partnership Jan. 1 with Hon. W. M. K. Olcott and Hon. Abraham Gruber of New York city, under the firm name of Black, Olcott & Gruber."

Charles A. Corliss, one of the most prominent collar manufacturers of Troy, N. Y., committed suicide, shooting himself through the heart. He had been despondent, owing to ill-health.

Mgr. Antonio Conte Renier, former private secretary of Pope Pius IX, died in a New York hospital from a complication of heart and kidney troubles. He was born in Venice, Aug. 20, 1825.

J. Pierpont Morgan's big yacht Corsair was launched at Newburgh, N. Y., in the presence of several thousand people. Miss Louisa Morgan, daughter of the banker, broke the beribboned bottle of champagne on the Corsair's bow and christened her.

The little schooner Willie McKay, which arrived at New York yesterday from Baracoa, Cuba, is the first sailing vessel from that port in many months. Before the war a large number of small schooners were employed between New York and Baracoa.

Virginia Thurman Cole was granted a divorce at Columbus, O., from T. K. Cole. The former is a granddaughter of the late Senator Thurman and the latter is an opera singer. Neglect of duty and failure to provide were the grounds for the divorce.

Policeman Found Dead.

Cleveland, Dec. 13.—Patrolman Joseph Spurney of the third precinct station was found dead on his beat in an alley near the corner of Woodland and Case avenues. He was lying in a pool of blood with a bullet hole through his brain. His revolver was lying by his side with three chambers empty. Whether Spurney was killed in the discharge of his duty by burglars or committed suicide is not known.

Shed No Light.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The report of Captain Ludlow of the battleship Massachusetts, of the circumstances attending the grounding of that vessel in New York harbor recently has been received at the navy department. It is short and contains nothing to throw light upon the accident that has not been developed already.

Lake Steamer Sunk.

Cleveland, Dec. 13.—While the steamer Aurora was towing the barge Aurania through a big field of ice near Bar Point, Lake Erie, yesterday, fire broke out on the Aurora and she had to be scuttled to prevent her total destruction. She sank in about 20 feet of water. She was loaded with wheat, and the cargo will be a total loss. She was valued at $125,000. The fate of the crew is unknown, but it is supposed that they escaped on the ice. A heavy snowstorm prevailed over Lake Erie, and this, combined with the ice fields, made navigation very dangerous.

True Is Sick.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 13.—Superintendent True of the lands and buildings department, who has been suspended by Mayor Bennett for alleged irregularities in his department, and who was supposed to have fled the city, was found yesterday at his home by a reporter. He was in bed ill with a high fever. He said: "I don't ask anybody to believe anything until matters are straightened out. You can see my condition and I trust you will not take advantage of it."

Concerning the Carolines.

London, Dec. 13.—Special dispatches to the morning papers from Berlin and Madrid give conflicting reports regarding the Carolines, the former declaring that the negotiations for the purchase of the islands are at the point of completion; while the latter deny that Germany is negotiating for the Carolines, and assert that Spain has decided to keep the archipelago.

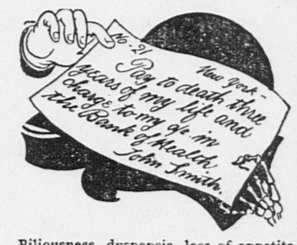
Small Pox In Nebraska.

Omaha, Dec. 13.—Smallpox is epidemic at Nebraska City. Two hundred cases have developed since the beginning of the epidemic. Many cases are reported from smaller places on both sides of the river.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:06; sets, 4:13.
Moon sets—5:40 p. m.
Full sea—11:30 a. m.; 12 mid.

The snowfall yesterday covered the middle states, lower lake region and New England, but except in parts of southern New England and New York did not exceed two inches in depth. The storm will move off the coast today, and fair, colder weather possibly with lowest temperatures near zero in interior northern parts of New England, promises to prevail Wednesday and Thursday, with northwest winds becoming variable.



Biliousness, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, disturbed sleep, nervousness, headache, giddiness and drowsiness, wind and pain or fullness of the stomach after meals, cold chills and flushings of heat, shortness of breath—these are the blank cheques of physical bankruptcy. Take them to a physician and he will fill them up with the name of some more or less serious disease. Every time that you carry one of them to him you draw out some of your funds in the Bank of Health. Keep it up, and there will soon be no funds in the treasury.

The man who suffers from these disorders and neglects them will soon be in the relentless grasp of some fatal disease. If he is naturally narrow chested and shallow lunged, it will probably be consumption; if his father or mother died of paralysis or some nervous trouble, it will probably be nervous exhaustion or prostration, or even insanity; if there is a taint in the family blood, it will be blood or skin disease; if he lives in a new or a low, swampy country, it will be malaria; if he lives a life of exposure, it may be rheumatism. There is just one safe course for a man to follow who finds himself out of sorts and suffering from the symptoms described. It is to resort to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This medicine makes the appetite keen, corrects all disorders of the digestion, renders assimilation perfect, invigorates the liver, purifies and enriches the blood and builds firm, healthy flesh and nerve tissue. It cures almost all diseases that result from insufficient or improper nourishment of the brain and nerves. Bronchial, throat, and even lung affections, when not too far advanced, readily yield to it.

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M. except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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Blanks Came Thick and Fast In Cambridge Election.

Notable Decrease In Vote For License, With a Complete Turnover at Lowell.

Boston, Dec. 14.—Following is a list of mayors elected and majorities on the license question in this state yesterday:

Mayor.	Yes.	No.
Salem—**Turner, C.....	2351	3000
Beverly—Webber, I.....	600	1349
Lynn—**Shepard, R.....	4971	4292
Newburyport—Huse, I. R...	1217	1147
Holyoke—Chapin, R.....	2785	2716
Worcester—*Dodge, R.....	6883	5104
Woburn—Davis, I. D.....	1292	1191
Everett—Hatch, C.....	578	1759
Chelsea—*Littlefield, R.....	2361	2625
Medford—*Lovering, R.....	669	1634
Newton—Wilson, R.....	1084	2130
Chicopee—Murphy, D.....	1202	830
Cambridge—Champlin, R....	3223	4973
Lowell—**Crowley, D.....	6477	6901

*Re-elected.

**Administrative Overturn.

The feature of the elections in cities outside of Boston was the great falling off in the vote for license. Barring Salem, there was not a city in which the vote against the sale of intoxicating liquors did not show a material increase over that of last year, while Lowell, which for six years has supported the saloon, changed over to the no license column, although electing a Democratic mayor.

A majority of nearly 1500 for license in Holyoke, last year, was cut to less than 700 yesterday, and there was also a decrease in the yes vote in the neighboring city of Chicopee.

Where state politics entered into the contests the Republicans were generally successful, except in the manufacturing centers, like Lowell, Holyoke and Chicopee.

The latest returns in this city indicate the election of the Democratic candidates, John H. Sullivan and Lawrence Minot, on the board of apportionment, Salem D. Charles as street commissioner and 8 out of 12 aldermen. The city has probably voted for license by about 10,000 majority.

Still later returns may reduce the Democratic majority in the board of aldermen, but it is not probable that the Republicans will have more than five members in the upper branch of the city legislative department. The Democrats will also have a working majority in the common council.

Lowell.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 14.—The feature of the election here was the pronounced victory for no license. This result was accomplished by disgruntled seekers for liquor licenses, with the aid of the temperance people. It is the first time that the city has voted no license since the election of 1889. Mayor Bennett, Republican, was defeated for re-election by Jeremiah Crowley, Democrat. Virgil G. Barnard, Republican, the purchasing agent, was defeated by Andrew Barrett, Democrat. License: Yes, 6477; no, 6901. To the board of aldermen the Democrats elected five men; the Republicans elected four. The Republicans elected 17 councilmen, and the Democrats 10.

Cambridge.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 14.—While E. R. Champlain was elected mayor at the municipal election without opposition, nearly one-third of those who went to the polls refused to vote for him and threw blanks. As usual, the city voted for no license, the majority being practically the same as last year. The vote for mayor: Champlin, 6544; blank votes, 2529. The license vote: Yes, 3223; no, 4973.

Worcester.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 14.—Mayor Rufus B. Dodge, Jr., Republican, is re-elected mayor by a plurality over James K. Churchill, Democrat, of 3165. The vote for mayor was: Dodge, 7499; Churchill, 4334; Hardy, social-labor, 949. The Republicans also elected six members of the board of aldermen, and maintain control of the common council. The vote on the liquor question was: Yes, 6883; no, 5104. The effort made by Representative-elect James H. Mellen of ward 4 to secure a re-election to the board of aldermen failed after one of the most vigorous campaigns ever prosecuted by the veteran politician and office-holder. He proposed to serve the ward in the general court and the entire city in the local board of aldermen.

Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 14.—The defeat of Mayor Ramsdell was anticipated after his failure to carry the city at the congressional election of November. His vote fell off considerably from that given him in November, while the Republican vote was somewhat increased, and William Shepard, who had the assistance of the Good Government club, was elected by over 1600 plurality. The vote on the license question showed somewhat of a change, the yes vote falling off 100, while the no vote resulted in a gain of over 500 over last year. All the aldermen and nearly all the councilmen are Republicans. The license vote: Yes, 4371; no, 4292.

Beverly.

Beverly, Mass., Dec. 14.—The municipal election was devoid of partisanship, as both the mayoralty candidates were on independent nomination papers. Benjamin D. Weber was elected mayor by 408 majority over Perry Collins, the total vote being 1231 to 823. The city voted against license by an increased majority, the vote being 1349 to 600, while in 1897 it was 1261 to 670. The Democrats have one member on the aldermanic board, and a representation of three in the common council.

Newburyport.

Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 14.—The most exciting municipal election for many years was held here yesterday, there being six candidates for mayor. Thomas Huse, Independent Republican, was elected by a plurality of 524 and a majority of 66. The Democrats elected three aldermen, but the board of councilmen is strongly Republican. All of the candidates, however, were represented on the ballot by nomination papers, with the exeption of John C. M. Bailey, who received the nomination for mayor from the Republican caucus. The city again voted for license, the vote standing 1217 to 1147.

Woburn.

Woburn, Mass., Dec. 14.—William F. Davis, president of the city council, was elected mayor of this city by a vote which surprised his most sanguine friends, receiving a plurality of 432 over the next highest candidate, James H. Kelley. Davis was an Independent Citizens' candidate, and Kelley the regular Democratic nominee. There were two other candidates, Henry M. Aldrich, Republican, and John O'Donnell, an Independent Democrat, running on nomination papers. Vote for license: Yes, 1292; No, 1191.

Newton.

Newton, Mass., Dec. 14.—E. B. Wilson, the Republican candidate, carried the city by a majority of about 500. His opponent, H. A. Inman, succeeded in carrying four wards, but ran far behind his ticket on the south side of the city. Mr. Roffe, who received 105 votes, had withdrawn, but too late to have his name taken off the ballot. The city went no license by a vote of nearly 2 to 1, despite the strenuous efforts of the liquor advocates. The aldermanic contests throughout the city were hotly contested and resulted in the election of 13 Republicans and 1 Democrat.

Holyoke.

Holyoke, Mass., Dec. 14.—The city went for license, but by the narrow margin of 69. Arthur B. Chapin, Republican, won in the mayoralty contest by 365 plurality over John F. Sheehan, the Democratic candidate. The total vote for license was: Yes, 2785; no, 2716. The board of aldermen stands: Republicans, 7; Democrats, 5, and 1 social-labor.

Everett.

Everett, Mass., Dec. 14.—In the municipal election Arthur W. Hatch defeated Dudley P. Bailey in the mayoralty contest by 119 votes. Both candidates were Republicans running on Citizens' nomination papers, and the contest between the two was a warm one. The board of aldermen elected is entirely non-partisan, and will be an administrative board. The city voted against license by an increase of 111 votes over last year. License vote: Yes, 578; no, 1795.

Salem.

Salem, Mass., Dec. 14.—Partisan politics played no part in the municipal election here, each individual successful candidate receiving an election on Citizens' nomination papers. Ex-Mayor James H. Turner, Jr., who for four successive years, previous to last year, when David P. Waters was successful by a majority of 187 votes, was elected by a vote of 2950, to his opponent's 2422. The city again voted no-license, but there is a slight decrease in the vote as compared with last year, the majority standing 649, while last year it was 837.

Medford.

Medford, Mass., Dec. 14.—Mayor L. H. Lovering, Republican, was re-elected by a majority of 397 votes over W. C. Waite, the independent candidate. The feature of the election was the defeat of the most prominent candidate for the presidency of the council by an independent. The license vote showed a gain of over 400 in the no column, being: Yes, 659; no, 1228. The aldermen elected are all Republicans.

Chicopee.

Chicopee, Mass., Dec. 14.—Many Republicans cut the mayoralty candidate, while Democrats voted for him. The city went license: Yes, 1202; no, 830, and voted to adopt the law authorizing the pensioning of firemen by a vote of 1137 yes, to 562 no. The city went Democratic for the third consecutive year and elected Dennis Murphy mayor by 133 over James H. Loomis, Republican. The Republicans elect six of the 11 aldermen.

Chelsea.

Chelsea, Mass., Dec. 14.—The Republicans carried the city in the municipal election, and Seth J. Littlefield will be the next mayor. The Citizens' candidate, George C. Hall, made a good run, considering that he was comparatively unknown. The city also stays in the no license column. The vote for license: Yes, 2361; no, 2625.

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TERMS AGREED UPON

Main Points In the Recently Concluded Treaty With Spain.

Must Be Ratified Within Six Months' Time.

Obligations to Spain Cease With Withdrawal of Our Troops From Cuba.

Paris, Dec. 14.—Extraordinary precautions are maintained by both the peace commissions to preserve secrecy as to the contents of the treaty. Each commission has two copies, but even the commission attaches are not allowed to peruse the documents. A newspaper correspondent, however, has obtained from a source usually reliable the following outline of the treaty:

Article 1 provides for the relinquishment of Cuba.

Article 2 provides for the cession of Porto Rico.

Article 3 provides for the cession of the Philippines for $20,000,000, as compensation.

Article 4 embraces the plans for the cession of the Philippines, including the return of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Tagalos.

Article 5 deals with the cession of barracks, war materials, arms, stores, buildings and all property appertaining to the Spanish administration in the Philippines.

Article 6 is a renunciation by both nations of their respective claims against each other and the citizens of each other.

Article 7 grants to Spanish trade and shipping in the Philippines the same treatment as American trade and shipping for a period of 10 years.

Article 8 provides for the release of all prisoners of war held by Spain and of all prisoners held by her for political offenses committed in the colonies acquired by the United States.

Article 9 guarantees the legal rights of Spaniards remaining in Cuba.

Article 10 establishes religious freedom in the Philippines, and guarantees to all churches equal rights.

Article 11 provides for the composition of courts and other tribunals in Porto Rico and Cuba.

Article 12 provides for the administration of justice in Porto Rico and Cuba.

Article 13 provides for the continuance for five years of Spanish copyrights in the ceded territories, giving Spanish books admittance free of duty.

Article 14 provides for the establishment of consulates by Spain in the ceded territories.

Article 15 grants to Spanish commerce in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines the same treatment as to American for 10 years, Spanish shipping to be treated as coasting vessels.

Article 16 stipulates that the obligations of the United States to Spanish citizens and property in Cuba shall terminate with the withdrawal of the United States authorities from the island.

Article 17 provides that the treaty must be ratified within six months from the date of signing by the respective governments in order to be binding.

Police on Their Track.

Boston, Dec. 14.—Anna L. McCarthy, 17 years, and Thomas P. Kelley, 25 years, both of Brighton, eloped on Dec. 2. Before leaving Boston they are alleged to have taken $2318 from Francis McCarthy, the girl's father. They were traced to Chicago, which city they left for Los Angeles. Chief Watts has telegraphed to the Los Angeles and San Francisco police to arrest them, as both were indicted by the grand jury yesterday. Kelley was formerly a street-car conductor, and Miss McCarthy is the daughter of a deputy division superintendent of the street department.

Found In a River.

Attleboro, Mass., Dec. 14.—Patrick McNulty, aged 70, disappeared from his home in North Attleboro Monday, and yesterday afternoon his body was found in Ten-Mile river. It is presumed that he wandered away, and by some means got into the water, and, being feeble, could not save himself.

Want Germans Protected.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—During the discussion of the estimates in the reichstag yesterday Herr Hassermann, National Liberal, declared that his party desired the government to give vigorous protection to German interests in its dealings with America.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:07; sets, 4:13.
Moon sets—6:58 p. m.
High water—12 m.; 12:30 p. m.

Except light snows on the Maine coast and on the "Cape," clear weather prevailed yesterday, and with much colder temperatures in the late afternoon and night, Portland at 8 a. m. reporting only 2 degrees above zero, Eastport 6 degrees, Albany 4 degrees and Boston 8 degrees, Nantucket 14 degrees. The fair, cold weather now promises to continue through Thursday.

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Fancy China and Marble Clocks,	$1.00 to $10.00
Beautiful Pictures,	75c. to 5.00
Banquet Lamps,	2.50 to 10.00
Jardineres,	25c. to 1.50
Fancy Chairs and Rockers,	1.00 to 6.50
Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 12.00
Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinere Stands,	50c. to 1.50
Rugs,	50c. to 5.00
Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Book Cases,	1.00 to 10.00
Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50
Easels,	50c. to 2.00
3-Fold Screens,	1.98
Portieres, per pair,	1.50 to 6.50
Oak Sideboards,	10.00 to 35.00
Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Oak Hall Racks,	1.25
Boot Black Stands,	1.00
Decorated Parlor Lamps,	98c to 3.00
Artistic Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 5.00
Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
Oak Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
Bissell Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
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Sale positive. Terms cash.

On Saturday, Dec. 17,

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will be sold. Large double house of 16 rooms, situated on corner of Pleasant and Quincy streets, frontage of 66 feet on Pleasant street and 100 feet on Quincy street. This house is well constructed and arranged for two families, in good condition with city water and furnace. Everything complete about the place, and the owner sells without reserve as he desires to close out his real estate in the city. Excellent chance for investment or to purchase for a home. Location the best in the city, near depot, electrics, and centre of business. Buyer can arrange easy terms if desired. House can be seen for inspection upon application to the auctioneer. Do not miss this chance to purchase desirable real estate at a public sale. Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed in ten days.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	31	40	62	44
Monday	32	50	47	44
Tuesday	31	41	48	58
Wednesday	17	40	40	44
Thursday	—	34	60	35
Friday	—	27	52	20
Saturday	—	33	46	30

Good Afternoon.

Is an injunction necessary to stop further extension of the sewers this winter?

This is an old fashioned winter. Last night the thermometer registered 10 below zero. Even the "oldest inhabitants" have to take a back seat on this winters' record, which is still young.

No-license gained one city in the selections of Tuesday, viz: Lowell. It increased the No majorities in Beverly, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Medford, and Newton, suffering a reduction only in Salem from 827 to 649. The Yes majorities in all the six License cities outside of Boston were also reduced, so that they were less than 100 in Woburn, Newburyport and Holyoke. The total net gain for No-License in all the Massachusetts cities except Boston and North Adams was 5,927 this year.

While it may be a good political move on the part of the present city government to place the firemen of the city under the civil service, we cannot help believing that better service can be secured by the Chief Engineer if the members of the department are friendly and willing, rather than political enemies. We all know that a driver is often seriously handicapped by a balky horse, but a fire department cannot afford to have dissensions. If a Chief Engineer is to be held responsible, he should be surrounded by his friends, and it should be easy for him to drop a man who is not loyal to the department and the city. Civil service, at best, is more or less of a farce, and the party which made a campaign issue on it, when their rivals were in power, would be sure to be snowed under.

Some were surprised that there should be any contest for the presidency of the next City Council, but they are not exceptionable. However, the opposition to the president who seeks reelection is seldom successful. Doubtless this year there are many Republicans who would like to down any Wollaston man, but President Pinkham was not an anti-Sears man. Some are inquiring if the defeat of Mr. Pinkham would not be another victory for Mr. Bryant? Councilman Pinkham has very ably discharged the duties of the office and seems entitled to a re-election.

Tried to Escape.

Michael Linnehan was arrested by Officer Holloran at Atlantic Tuesday night for drunkenness and locked up. This morning Officer Daveran let him out of his cell to wash up at the sink. While Linnehan was doing so the officer turned his back to him and was about to look into a cell when Linnehan made a jump and tried to shut the officer in the cell. He was not quick enough however. Linnehan then made an attempt to escape and in doing so made an assault upon the officer who was obliged to use force in subduing him. Then Linnehan finding that he had met his master gave in.

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THE FOOT BALL GAME

Pirovano and Gannon Help Massachusetts Team to Victory.

Greenville, S. C., Dec. 10.

This morning the boys are all busy cleaning their guns and mess kits, and fixing up generally, for the regular weekly inspection. Not that the boys have dirty guns and mess kits, but to keep the dust off the rifles, so as to hold up the name that Co. K has got, of having the best looking guns and neatest appearing men in the regiment.

A goodly number of the officers attended the reception last evening.

About 3,000 witnessed the football game this afternoon between the 4th Missouri and 5th Massachusetts elevens on the ball field down in the city. It started at 2.30, the agreement being to play two 15 minute halves.

The game was fiercely played from start to finish, and the 5th Massachusetts boys saw after the first few downs that the referee was in favor of the 4th Missouri. The line of the Massachusetts boys was like a stone wall and many times the Missouri boys lost the ball on downs, failing to make the required gain. Then they would try to punt but Pirovano, right tackle on the Massachusetts team, would block the kick. After nine minutes of play the ball was carried over the line for a touchdown, but was not allowed by the referee, who ordered the ball back 10 yards from where the play started, on grounds of offside play. The teams lined up, Massachusetts determined to carry the ball over fair, and the Missouri determined, to stop them in their tracks. The ball was snapped back to Gannon who made a pretty pass to Pirovano, and before the Missouri boys knew what had happened Pirovano ran around the end, down the field and covered the 37 yards, stopping just behind the goal post. When the Missouri boys came out of their trance they saw Pirovano sitting quietly guarding the pigskin behind their goal post. We failed to kick a goal and thus ended the first half. Score: Massachusetts, 5, Missouri, 0.

The second half started, which was even fiercer than the first. The Massachusetts boys carried the ball down the field but were checked many times by the referee for offside play. The Missouri boys played hard to win, and it seemed as though they would tie the score. After 12 minutes of the second half had been played, the half back of the Missouri went round the end and seemingly had an open field, but Pirovano quickly overtook him and made a pretty tackle thus stopping all chances for them to tie or win the game. Only once after did the ball get into the danger circle of the Massachusetts boys' goal, and after a 50-yard run Gannon of Massachusetts overtook the man and made one of the prettiest tackles of the game. Thus the last half ended, neither side scoring.

Corp Gannon and Pirovano of Co. K, who played in the foot ball game were given rousing cheers when they came into the company street after the game. H. L. C.

The Soldiers' Christmas.

The Thanksgiving dinner of Co. K cost $45, and the Daily Ledger is trying to raise as much more for a Christmas feast. The subscriptions today include:

From a friend, $3

PREVIOUSLY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
T. O'Brine,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
A. W. Stetson,	1
Daniel Desmond,	1
W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
C. M. Jenness,	1

There are so many calls for dollars, and so few to meet them in the average pocket, that we think a quarter, dime or nickel, if there are enough of them, better to give for the Christmas dinner for Co. K. The more people who share in a pleasant work like this the better for the spirit that enters in. But this does not exclude any dollar that may come from those whom fortune blesses, only some of us do not feel like putting a mite at the end of a dollar column. Let us send a Christmas offering to these Quincy men, be it ever so small and also, let us not forget our poor at home. Contributions will be acknowledged in the Ledger.

The Launching.

Captain Swanson who is off Rufe's Hummock with his steamer "Philadelphia" is rushing work on the hauling off the steamer "J. J. Hill." He is bossing the job for the Boston Tow Boat Co. Besides one of the Eastern Dredging Co.'s large dredges he also has a gang of about 100 men at work with picks and shovels digging a channel beneath the vessel.

An 11 foot tide was scheduled for this forenoon, when it was expected that the steamer would be floated.

Simon Maccabaeus in the the year 143 B. C. struck the first regular Hebrew coins of which we have authentic record.

BATCH OF RUMORS.

Mayor-Elect Keith is Wisely Keeping His Own Council.

There are many rumors about the city as to who will receive the plums to be distributed by Mayor-elect Keith, but Mr. Keith has not as yet given out any information and probably will not at present. Among the rumors heard are: That W. H. Sampson, Jr., is out for the city clerkship; that Napoleon B. Furnald may administer the affairs of the police department; that Joseph W. Hayden will be inspector of the Board of Health; that John T. Cavanagh will either be City Treasurer, Commissioner of Public Works, or Superintendent of the Water Department; that James W. Burke and William N. Eaton will divide the City Treasurer's and Tax Collector's offices between them and that John Federhen, 3d, will be Principal Assessor.

These are but a few of the slates that are being made up. Some say there will be a clean sweep and others say there will not. Time only will tell the story.

BONDS OF A MILLION.

Important Wills Allowed and Administrations Granted.

Judge White held Probate court for Norfolk County at Quincy today and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of William H. Enwright, late of Weymouth; John A. Raymond, executor; bond $6,000.

Of Ibrahim Morrison, late of Braintree; Mary L. Morrison executrix; bond $10,000.

Of Henry Lee, late of Brookline; William Minot and Schuyler S. Bartlett, executors; bond $1,000,000 each.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Cora I. Young on the estate of Mary A. Young, late of Quincy; bond $500.

Fred M. French, de bonis non, on the estate of Abby M. Roel, late of Randolph; bond $15,000.

John F. Welch of Quincy on the estate of Francis Ambler, late of Weymouth; bond $40,000.

Annie E. Larkin, on estate of Richard J. Larkin, late of Quincy; bond $10,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of John Crane, trustee of will of Columbus Lavy, late of Quincy, for $10,168.31.

First and final of Ansel O. Clark, administrator of estate of James W. Thayer, late of Braintree, for $1,737.98.

First and final of Ansel O. Clark, administrator of estate of Josephine Thayer, late of Braintree, for $528.04.

First and final of Willard W. Turner and Kate B. French, executors of will of Willard P. Turner, late of Foxborough, for $27,746.02.

Second of Charles W. Gannon and Edmund H. Talbot, administrators of estate of Edward E. Tower, late of Cohasset, for $395.

GUARDIANS APPOINTED.

Annie E. Larkin was appointed guardian of Edward D., Catherine L., Joseph M., Gertrude, Annie D., Rchard J. and Paul Larkin, minor children of Richard J. Larkin; bond $8,700

Thomas McDonnell was appointed guardian of Timothy McDonnell, a minor of Quincy; bond $2,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A distribution of the estate of Elbridge Lovell, late of Weymouth, was ordered for the benefit of the heirs.

INVENTORIES FILED.

On estate of Susan K. Chesley late of Quincy; personal esate, $19,967.21; real estate, $5,000.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Selena H. Bailey, administratrix of estate of Sally H. Tirrell, late of Weymouth, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $920.

WEYMOUTH.

Francis O'Connor had a narrow escape from drowning while skating at Great Pond, Saturday night.

Mrs. Wilbur and daughter Lena, of Broad street, have gone to Florida for the winter.

Miss Wheeler, instructor of Latin at the High school, has resumed her duties after an absence of two weeks.

Miss Curtis who has been substituting for Miss Wheeler, has been engaged as a regular teacher, making the number of teachers in the school eight.

At Odd Fellows' Opera house, Monday evening, Roland D. Grant delivered a very interesting lecture upon Yellowstone Park.

Several changes have been made in the programme at the High school this week. On account of the large number of Freshmen the class has been divided into three divisions.

The steeple on the First Universalist church, which was blown over by the recent storm, has been repaired by contractor Frank Richards.

The oyster is one of the strongest of creatures, and the force required to open it is more than 1300 times its own weight.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Visit C. F. Carlson for Christmas goods.

Mr. Bates of Old Colony street has moved to East Milton.

A. S. Greene, master of the Gridley Bryant school, has been sick with the measles.

John A. Duggan has been confined to his home the past few days with a severe cold.

Mr. John McDonnell, of Buffalo, N. Y., is in town for a few days on a business trip.

Pretty neckties make very acceptable Christmas gifts and George W. Jones has a large variety.

Dr. Charles S. Adams of Wollaston, who has been very ill with the grip, is slowly convalescing.

A Quincy prophet predicts snow and sleighing most all winter from the fact that it came so early.

"Santa Clause" is getting ready for Christmas. His toys and pretty things are noticed about town.

There are a number of cases of measles reported among the children of the Gridley Bryant school.

On Monday evening there was a great flight of geese. Down the bay the air seemed to be literally alive with them.

The ice men report that they have about eight inches of good solid ice on their ponds and cutting will soon be commenced.

J. A. Bryne, the sewer contractor, is to clear Brook street as soon as the ground softens up and the man-hole is constructed at the corner of that street and Farrington.

The law requiring a fifty cent revenue stamp on Probate court bonds has been repealed. This morning was the first time since the revenue tax was passed that a stamp was not required.

Auctioneer Johnson reports several inquiries concerning the Alvin Rogers estate on Pleasant street to be offered at auction on Saturday. The household furniture will be sold on Friday afternoon.

The West Quincy Methodist Sunday School has elected these officers: Superintendent, Jonathan Keast; Assistant, C. W. Wilder, Jr.; Treasurer, Charles S. Joss; Secretary, Miss Mary Pierce; Librarian, Robert Newcomb.

The Board of Health will give a hearing Thursday evening on the petition of John Donovan which sets forth that the stable of J. J. Kerrigan, a cattle dealer, is within eight feet of the house of the petitioner, and that it is filthy and not properly cared for.

The lecture of Booker T. Washington, who was to address the "Quincy Teacher' Association" on Saturday evening next, has been postponed until the first of the year; as Mr. Washington was unable to come north at this time. The date of the lecture will be announced in the Daily Ledger.

Town Brook Hearing.

The Board of Health gave a hearing Monday evening under "the Wet, Rotten and Sponge act," upon the petition of the Quincy Real Estate Trust and others that the walls of Town brook between Hancock street and Canal street be relayed to the bed of the brook, to build wall where needed, and to straighten, widen and make a clear way that the brook may carry off the water coming in from above, and save the petitioners from further damage.

The petitions were represented at the hearing by A. G. Durgin, C. M. Bryant and T. H. McDonnell. They urged a permanent widening of the brook to a universal width, and a cemented wall on both sides.

The Board of Health have taken the matter under advisement and will make an investigation and obtain estimates.

Dedicated Free from Debt.

The new Union church at East Braintree was dedicated last night. The Reverend gentlemen who took part in the exercises were Rev. Frank E. Butler, Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, Rev. Daniel Evans, Rev. Oliver Huckle, Rev. S. K. B. Perkins and the pastor, Rev. H. S. Snyder. The singing was grand, the choir including these soloists: Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, soprano; Miss Gertrude Edmands, contralto; Mr. George J. Parker, tenor; Mr. D. M. Babcock, basso; Mr. Howard M. Dow, organist.

The handsome edifice was built by Mr. F. A Perkins of this city. It cost $24,250 and was dedicated free from debt.

The society is to be congratulated upon the completion of this new church home and also upon the fact that it is all paid for.

THE HOMELIEST MAN IN QUINCY,

As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get a *free* trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

CHRISTMAS CHEER.

At Christmas play and make good cheer,
For Christmas comes but once a year.
—Tusser.

Be merry all, be merry all!
With holly dress the festive hall;
Prepare the song, the feast, the ball
To welcome merry Christmas.
—W. R. Spencer.

It is the Christmas time:
And up and down 'twixt heaven and earth,
In the glorious grief and solemn mirth,
The shining angels climb.
—D. M. Mulock.

The time draws near the birth of Christ:
The moon is hid; the night is still;
The Christmas bells from hill to hill
Answer each other in the mist.
—Tennyson.

Heap on more wood! the wind is dull,
But let it whistle as it will
We'll keep one Christmas merry still.
—Sir Walter Scott.

This is the time when the very old man
Leaps back to the days of youth;
When brows and eyes wear no disguise,
But flush and gleam with truth.
Oh, then is the time when the soul exults
And seems right heavenward turning;
When we love and bless the hand we press,
When the Christmas log is burning!
—Cook.

We speak of a merry Christmas
And many a happy New Year,
But each in his heart is thinking
Of those that are not here.
—Longfellow.

They who do their souls no wrong,
But keep at eve the faith of morn,
Shall daily hear the angel song,
"Today the Prince of Peace is born!"
—James Russell Lowell.

CHRISTMAS IN THE ARMY.

How the Soldier Boys Celebrated During the Sixties.

The Army of the Potomac, under General George B. McClellan, was camped about Washington from August, 1861, to March, 1862, and most of it in Virginia as far down the Potomac as Alexandria, as far up as Chain bridge and as far out toward General Beauregard and his tenacious Americans as Munson's hill. Early in December word came to the soldiers that railroad and express companies would carry free packages intended for Christmas presents and dinners for the soldiers.

That year there was a Christmas dinner for every mess. From the rich homes of the large cities had come the best in the market. From tens of thousands of farms had come the daintiest dishes that mothers, wives, sisters, daughters and sweethearts could prepare.

On Christmas, 1863, the army was shivering along the rivers Rappahannock and Rapidan, and as far out as Culpeper Court House. It was too cold, and the men were too poorly housed to enjoy the day. It was not a holiday to many—a day of misery, instead. That was the coldest Christmas the south had seen for 50 years, and it has not seen one like it since.

Christmas dinners were the order of the day in 1864. The army was strung along behind fortifications from Richmond to below Yellow House, on the Weldon railroad, a distance of nearly 40 miles. The sanitary and Christian commissions had arranged to supply the army with a Christmas dinner. Few men were overlooked. Except that in 1861, it was the happiest Christmas for the Union army since the trouble began. There were many signs that the next Christmas would be enjoyed at home, and so it was by all who escaped the hot times from March 29 to the evening of April 9, after Grant and Lee met at Appomattox.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Christmas Table Decoration.

A very pretty decoration for the table at the Christmas dinner is a tiny Christmas tree. Candied fruits and gilded and silvered walnuts make it bright and seasonable, while a little frosting with the powder that comes for the purpose makes it a beautiful object under the glitter of the lights. The tree will be trimmed and prepared for you by any florist and should be planted in a fancy low vase or dish. The picturesque dwarf evergreens that come from Japan are most effective when used in this way, and yet they are such costly treasures that few who own them are willing to make table decorations of them. —Philadelphia Ledger.

Adorning the Christmas Tree.

The foliage of a Christmas tree may be brushed here and there with mucilage and then sprinkled with common salt and a very pleasing result is obtained. A pretty drapery for the tree is made by cutting long strips, about four inches wide, of tissue paper, then cutting it closely, partly, but not entirely, across the widths, making fringes. If the strips be dampened and held over a hot stove, the fringed edges will curl and look quite ornamental.—Omaha Bee.

Where Toys Are Made.

The greatest toy producing districts are the Thuringia mountains, sometimes called the Thuringia forests; the ancient city of Nuremberg, in Bavaria, and the region of the Erzgeberg mountains. The most interesting of these localities is the Thuringia mountain district. Situated in upper Saxony, its time and industry are entirely given up to the production of playthings in papier mache, china, glass, wool, wood and fur.—Baltimore Herald.

A Christmas Eve Idyl.

The hour was late; the lights burned low,
The fire but half dispelled the gloom;
A youth and maid, with cheeks aglow,
Sat silent in the room.

'Twas Christmas eve, and half in jest
They would not say good night, because
They'd vowed to watch and do their best
To see old Santa Claus.

Slow ticked the clock; they said no word;
The solemn midnight hour drew near,
And still no telltale sound was heard
Of Santa coming near.

Twelve struck; and then, all suddenly,
A guest came in, surprised the pair;
It was not Santa Claus, not he,
But Cupid that stood there!
—New York World.

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

High Winds And Colder.

About this time look out and protect yourself against the elements. You need warm underwear and gloves. The boys need heavy sweaters. We have them.

The Best Underwear To be Found Anywhere.

Sweaters that are sweaters, and Gloves from the finest dress to heavy buck. We suit everybody, both in price and quality. We are bound to satisfy our customers.

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Trimmed and Untrimmed

Hats and Novelties.

Order Work a Specialty.

STAMPING, PINKING, HAIR DRESSING, Manicuring and Glove Cleaning.

Quincy, Oct. 22. tf plo

Cold Drop FLOUR,

$4.50 Cash

We guarantee it to be perfect bread flour.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,

Quincy, Nov. 26. tf

12 Cabinet Photographs ARE 12 Christmas Presents.

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Ladies' and Gents' Pocketbooks.
New Style. Large Assortment.
C. F. CARLSON,
1 Faxon Block, Near the Depot.
Quincy, Nov. 29 1m

ONE-TON ORDERS

Have been the making of this Coal business. Hundreds have ordered "just one ton to see if there was any difference." They found there was and they came again. Our one-ton orders have been our best advertisements. It's a better Coal at the same price, with the proof in a sample ton. When in doubt, try Patch's.

C. PATCH & SON.

MILLINERY.
Grand MARK DOWN SALE of CHOICE MILLINERY
All our Choice Imported Patterns at Half Price.
A full line of good shapes in Felts for 25 cents. Former price, $1.00.
Also a full line of all silk Ribbons in all colors, for fancy work, at the lowest prices. Bows made free of charge.
Bargains in Black Plumes, 12 inches long, for 25 cents.
All Hats trimmed free of charge during this sale if materials are purchased here.
E. B. COLLINS,
4 Faxon Block, Quincy.
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Ladies'
Winter Coats
MADE TO ORDER
From Gentlemen's Overcoatings,
From $18 Upwards.
Ladies furnishing their own cloth and trimmings, made in any style (Coat and skirt),
$15.
Francis T. Mackedon,
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FISH.
Everything first-class at the
Cape Cod Fish Market,
Temple Street.
All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled
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MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER,
Organist and Choirmaster of Christ Church,
Voice, Organ. Pianoforte,
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Studio: Christ Church Parish House, corner of Quincy avenue and Elm street.
Residence: 16 Spear street, Quincy, Mass.
Sept. 10. tf

By Rail to Nantasket.

The ravages of November's big storm says the Herald, are still to be see along the line of the Nantasket beach branch of the Consolidated, traffic on which has been suspended since the date of the memorable blow. A big force of track repairers has been constantly employed in straightening out matters, and it is thought the road will be opened some time today. An evidence of the force of the waves is still to be seen at a point between Stony Beach and Pemberton, where a huge bowlder, estimated to weigh five tons, lies directly in the centre of the roadbed. The tracks of this section are completely demoralized, their present appearance being like that of a streak of zigzag lightning.

Very little has been done by the owners of the cottages that were wrecked, in clearing up the debris, and upon the re-establishment of rail communication, it is expected that thousands of visitors will betake themselves to the scene of desolation that stretches for miles up and down the beach.

TODAY'S COURT.

Michael Linneham was arranged for drunkenness at Quincy, and for assault on Officer Davcron. Cases continued until Thursday morning.

A CARD.
The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

☞The new hair dressing room in the new depot in Boston is to have 17 chairs, and the rent will be $3,500 per year. It will cost twenty cents for a shave, so rumor says.

☞ Glenwood Ranges. Cost no more than the other sort. $18.00 to $33.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

MARRIED

CORAM—DUNN—In Quincy, Nov. 23, by Rev. J. P. Cuffe, Mr. Henry Coram to Mrs. Mary Dunn, both of Quincy.
FLAHERTY—CRYAN—In Boston, Nov. 23, by Rev. W. H. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Michael M. Flaherty of Quincy to Miss Ellen Cryan of Milton.
PETERSON—MATTSON—In Quincy, Nov. 19, by Rev. P. A. Englund, Mr. John A. Peterson to Miss Inga Mattson, both of Quincy.

DIED.

CHILDS—In Quincy, Dec. 12, Mrs. Catherine, wife of Mr. William J. Childs, aged 29 years, 1 month and 19 days.
HUNTER—In Wollaston, Dec. 13, infant daughter of Mr. Clarence, and Mrs. Annie L. Hunter, aged 6 days.
McGRATH—In Quincy, Dec. 10, Mrs. Catherine McGrath, aged 63 years and 6 months.
MILLER—In Quincy, Dec. 4, Mr. James A. Miller, aged 49 years, 4 months and 5 days.
MATTIE—In Quincy, Dec. 12, Miss Cassie Mattie, aged 22 years and 6 months.

MAY TAX CO. K.

How Greenville, S. C., Will Raise Supplies for 1899.

The tax levy order of the City of Greenville, South Carolina, where Co. K and the Fifth Massachusetts regiment are located, would be somewhat of a curiosity to Quincy people. It would appear that the city has, in addition to a general levy on real and personal estate which amounts to $14.-95 per $1,000, the privilege of assessing a poll tax and special taxes for all kind of business.

A few of the section of the ordinance adopted Dec. 6, 1898, "to raise supplies for the year 1899" are given in full below:

Section 1. There shall be paid on each one hundred dollars of the assessed value of all real estate and of all personal property the sum of 75 cents for general purposes; the sum of 15 cents for retiring bonded railroad debt of the city, and the sum of 3 1-2 cents for the payment of the interest thereon; the sum of 6 cents to pay interest on school house bonds; the sum of 25 cents to pay interest on sewer bonds and rent of hydrants; the sum of 5 cents to pay interest on paving bonds, and the sum of 20 cents for school purposes.

Section 3. Twenty-five dollars per day shall be paid by every itinerant trader or auctioneer offering for sale within the corporate limits of the city of Greenville, at auction or otherwise, any goods, wares or merchandise to others than the trade, to be paid each day in advance; and every itinerant trader or auctioneer liable to said tax who shall fail to pay the same shall be fined forty dollars for each day he shall so offend. Provided, that this section shall not be held to apply to dealers in grain, fruits, potatoes, poultry, earthenware, or produce or manufactures of like character raised on the vender's own farm.

Section 6. The tax on real or personal property provided for in this ordinance shall be collected during the month of January, 1899, and any person or persons who shall fail to pay such tax on or by the first day of February, 1899 shall be liable to a penalty of 20 per cent. of such tax, and the tax, with the penalty and cost shall be collected by execution or otherwise.

Any person, firm or corporation making any false or fraudulent return, where a return is by this ordinance required, shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than twenty-five dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, or be imprisoned not less than 20 days, or more than 30 days, or either, or both at the discretion of the Mayor or Acting Mayor.

Nothing in Greenville escapes with a special tax of less than $5, but space will not permit the publication of all the items as they fill from two to three columns. Merchants shall pay license according to the following schedule of gross sales and prices, upon sworn returns:

Under $1,000	$10 00
Over 1,000	15 00
" 5,000	20 00
" 10,000	25 00
" 15,000	30 00
" 20,000	40 00
" 30,000	50 00
" 40,000	60 00
" 50,000	70 00
" 60,000	80 00
" 70,000	90 00
" 80,000	100 00

And for each additional $20,000 or part thereof of sales the rate for merchants shall be $5.00.

Merchants doing business on installment plan in addition to the fore-going license upon like sales and returns $50.00.

Money lenders outside of banks must pay from $200 to $400, according to gross business; railroads $300; distilleries, $300; circus, $100 to $300 per day, with $30 extra for side shows and $100 for street parade; auctioneers who replenish stock $100; pawn brokers $100; cotton factories, $100; cotton seed oil mills, $175; electric light and gas manufacturers, $150; bucket shops, $100; express companies, $125; junk shops, $100; street drummers, $100; telegraph and telephone exchanges, $150 each.

All other business pays from $5 to $100 annually, but the only one we would recommend for Quincy would be $25 on street peddlers. Even balls, concerts, fairs, festivals and parties for gain have to pay $5 per night; book agents, $5 per day or $10 per week; chiropodists, $1 per day; marble yard or agency $10; itinerant umbrella repairers, $1 per day, etc., etc. The whole list would be of interest. The only things omitted seems to be the foot ball games between the regiments camp there.

☞The Gormans at Music hall tomorrow night will give a refined and enjoyable entertainmnt to all who hear them, each and every one have almost a national reputation. Their Mr. Bean from Boston, is immensely funny, some twenty odd musical numbers are introduced during the play, the majority of which are new and original. Their supporting company is said to be most competent, and a good, clean and clever performance may be looked for. Tickets now on sale at Durgin's drug store.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day
Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Person's Tax Bill for 1898.

[Continued from Yesterday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD TWO.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Hanley, Charles C., Bourne, 80,572, Newcomb ave., $2,400.	$115 20
Baker, Cornelius, Boston, 4,000, Broadway, $200	3 60
Barry, Henry P., Boston, 2,000, Madison ave., $75. 2,000, " " 75.	2 70
Berry, Harry C., Boston, 4,000, Madison ave., $200.	3 60
Brandon, Amy C., Boston, 4,000, Madison ave., $200.	3 60
Boyington, Mary V., Boston, 2,000, Madison ave., $100.	1 80
Cronin, Dennis, Boston, 4,000, Madison ave., $200. 4,000, Beacon, $200.	7 20
Dennis, Julias M., Boston, 4,000, North, $400.	7 20
Doyle, Peter L., Boston, 1,978, Broadway, $100.	1 80
Doyle, Lydia J., Boston, 2,147, Broadway, $100.	1 20
Fegan, Thomas, Boston, 4,745, Sixth ave., $200.	3 60
Falvey, Daniel J., Boston, 11,800 Main, $450.	14 40
Daniel, J., Boston, 15,857, So th Walnut, $800.	36 90
Gage, Roscoe W., Boston, 7,000, South, $300.	32 40
Hallstrom, Jonas, Boston, 15,340, South, $600.	28 80
Healy, Patrick J., Boston, 4,000, Madison ave., $125.	2 25
Hearn, Mary A. A., Boston, 4,781, Broadway, $200.	3 60
Hennessy, Mary, Boston, 4,799, Broadway, $200.	3 60
Kelley, Cornelius, Boston, 4,000, Madison ave., $125.	2 25
Linnehan, Mary, Boston, 2,000, Madison ave., $100.	1 80
Linton, Joseph J., Boston, About 4,509, Beacon, $250.	4 50
Muckenstum, Louis, Boston, 4,000, Madison ave., $200.	3 60
McCarthy, Patrick, Boston, 3,559, Broadway, $150.	2 70
Nay, Bigelow F., Boston, 3 acres, off Howard ave., $1,600.	49 50
Nichols, Frederick, Boston, 6,052, Thomas, $350.	27 90
Phillips, Helen, Boston, 2,000, Madison ave., $100. 2,000, " " 100.	3 60
Prietchett, Edmund E., Boston, 5,000, Madison ave., $250.	4 50
Regan, Mary A., Boston, 2,349, Sixth ave., $100.	1 80

WARD THREE.

Bennis, Mrs. Charles H., Boston, 1-4 acre, Granite, $700.	$37 80
Carzaniga, Agostina, Boston, 12,000, Columbia, $450.	8 10
Cassidy, Patrick, Boston, 9,864, Liberty, $700.	41 40
Clark, Barnabas, Boston, 48,230, off Garfield, $300. 9,381, Garfield, 700. 1 2-3 acres, " 500. 3,746, " 400. 3,811, " 400. 3,375, Clark ave., 300. 3,238, " " 300. 4,605, " " 300. 10,920, " " 500. 5,117, Smith, 250. 29,760, " 1,000.	359 10
Drake, Lydia B., Boston, 10,600, Adams place, $900.	52 20
Cavanaugh Bros. & Co., Boston, 20,000, Penn, $1,500.	81 00
Kelley, Michael, Boston, 6,042, Quincy, $350.	6 30
McDonald, Mary E. tr., Boston, 6,2'0, Franklin, $500.	9 00
McLeod, Isabella, Boston, 6,000, Liberty, $450. 6,000, " $350.	14 40
O. C. R. R. Co., Boston, 15,600, Quincy Adams, $2,500. 1 acre, 4,000. 20,040, 2,000. 7.34 acres, off Totman, 4,000. 17,556, 1,600. 9,632, 800. 34,935, 1,750. 32,146, Presidents ave., 3,200.	14 90
Williams, Rt. Rev., J. J., Boston, 1-2 acre, Gay, $2,200. 45,200, Phipps, 4,000. 42,350, " 1,200.	331 20
Washburn, Lucy F., Boston, About 1 acre, Franklin, $400.	7 20

To be continued.

☞A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

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Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Dec. 10: Mr. T. H. Granlees, Mr. Neweomb & Co., Mr. Jas. R. Hawkes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Hopkins, Mrs. Julia Lewis, Mrs. J. T. Shaw, Mrs. M. J. Turner, Mrs. J. Talbot, Mrs. Will Whitman, Mrs. Phillis B. Shannon, Mrs. F. McGinty, Maud Stailing, Miss L. B. Lincoln, Miss A. Peterson.

A FUNERAL PROCESSION.

Furnishes a Basis For a Serious Riot In Streets of Havana.

Havana, Dec. 14.—When a funeral procession, which was escorting the hearse containing the remains of Jesus Sotelonge, who was killed Sunday night, reached the corner of Infanta and San Jose streets yesterday, a violent affray took place between members of the funeral party and some employes of the military hospital.

The following were wounded: Dr. Betancourt, Cuban deputy for Santiago de Cuba; Rafael Portuendo, Cuban deputy; Cuban General, Vidal; Cuban General Armando Rives; Francisco Lucas Blanco, Spaniard; Ramon Garcia, Spaniard, and three women and two children. Garcia, who was stabbed, may die, and Portuendo was badly hurt.

One version of the affray is that the military hospital employes and a number of Spanish privates who were standing on the hospital portico refused to remove their hats when requested to do so by persons in the precession. Thereupon the Cubans, it is alleged, tried to knock off the hats, and a fight ensued.

The privates fired upon the procession, the windows of the hearse being broken and bullets striking the coffin. Knives and pistols were freely used.

The procession, which consisted of 180 carriages, continued to the Cuban camp near Marianao, where military honors were rendered. There were more than 50 wreathes of flowers from the friends of Captain Sotelango, and the procession and cermonial were virtually a demonstration against the Hotel Inglaterra outrage.

In Favor of Corporation.

Boston, Dec. 14.—In the supreme court yesterday Judge Knowlton dismissed a bill brought by J. H. Foren and others against the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Street Railway company for a writ of mandamus to compel the respondent to reinstate certain men who had been discharged because they had refused to sign a specified bond. It appeared from the statements of counsel that some 75 or 80 men who were in the employ of the company as motormen and conductors were asked to sign a bond of the Fidelity and Deposit company of Maryland, and that their refusal to do so led to their discharge.

The deposit company proposed to the managers of the road that it would insure the road against accidents to property, and that it would take in payment an individual bond from each man in the employ of the company. Each man was then told to sign the application and bond or be discharged. The men refused to sign, and were discharged. A petition for a writ of mandamus was then brought. The court said that while a public wrong may have been committed, no legal right had been infringed for which an action could be maintained.

Harcourt to Step Out.

London, Dec. 14.—The suddenness of the crisis brought on by Sir William Vernon Harcourt's announcement yesterday to retire from the Liberal leadership has nonplussed the party. The Liberal organs this morning have nothing to say except to advise the party carefully to weigh all the circumstances before coming to a decision. A letter to Mr. Morley, which was evidently intended to forestall the intention of a section of the Liberal party to force a discussion of the leadership question at next Friday's conference, has produced a great sensation. The discussion concerning it turns upon the exact purpose of Harcourt—as to whether the letter means an absolute resignation or is an ultimatum to the Liberal party to decide finally upon the rival claims. The letter is very carefully worded and contains nothing that would prevent Harcourt's acceptance of the leadership if it were proffered with the united and unanimous support of the party.

Gas Tank Collapses.

New York, Dec. 14.—By the collapse of a huge gas tank at Twenty-first street and Avenue A at 5 o'clock last evening seven people were killed and at least 20 injured. Under the tangled mass of twisted iron lying across the street there are supposed to be several more bodies. It went down with a crash and a roar like a great explosion. Masonry of granite blocks and bricks to the height of 50 feet fell like a child's toy house of blocks, and 8,000,000 gallons of water were let loose, which deluged the streets, and a 10-foot tidal wave carried death and destruction through the neighborhood. Many people were caught in the streets by the rushing water, and were hurled hither and thither, receiving injuries of various kinds.

Nine Men Killed.

Buffalo, Dec. 14.—Nine men were killed and three injured at Winspeare bridge, near Corfu, on the New York Central railroad yesterday. They were all Poles with the exeption of John Warner, their foreman, who is among the killed. The men, while engaged in shoveling snow, stepped from one track to another to avoid an approaching train. They were struck by a fast express train and were literally ground to pieces.

Cargo Recovered.

St. John's, Dec. 14.—Practically the entire cargo of the steamer Scottish King, recently wrecked near Renews harbor, has been recovered by the wrecking crews and brought to this port. Nothing now remains on board except 1000 barrels of cement, which will be hoisted out if the investigation to be made by experts should determine that the ship can be floated.

The Usual Result.

Paris, Dec. 14.—M. Antide Boyer, the Radical Socialist deputy, and M. De Roulede, the Revisionist deputy, fought a harmless duel with pistols yesterday at Tour de Villebon, near Meudon, as an outcome of Monday's debate, during which M. De Roulede and M. Gauthier, another Revisionist deputy, challenged by M. Boyer, referred to M. Boyer as a "whitewashed Panamaist."

Fishing Schooner Lost.

Halifax, Dec. 14.—The Gloucester fishing schooner Oresa, running from Beaver Harbor for the fishing grounds, ran on Goose island, 20 miles west of Halifax. The crew were landed safely, 12 at Salmon river and four at Spry bay. The vessel is a total loss. A boat containing four of the crew went adrift in the storm, but the men got ashore at Spry bay.

CLERKLY'S VACATION.

And How Cruel Fate Intervened to Spoil It.

Clerkly gets a week's holiday from his firm. He decides to take his family to the Adirondacks.

He rushes off to the tailor's and buys a new lawn tennis suit, intending to catch an early afternoon train.

Just as he and his family are leaving the house a messenger arrives with a summons to serve on the jury.

He Could See Through Them.

Carl Hertz, the well known conjurer, once entertained a company at a friend's house by performing some of his cleverest tricks. One of the parlor maids, who had been passing cups, cakes, glasses and so on, was much interested, and when the hostess gave a sign that nothing more was needed the girl still lingered to see the completion of the trick just begun.

"Will some one oblige me with a heavy shawl or cloak?" Hertz said. "Now," he went on selecting a big cashmere shawl, "you observe the thickness of the shawl?" They all did, including the maid at the door. "Now, will one of you be good enough to write a number of three figures on a piece of paper, being careful not to let me see what is written?" One of the ladies did so, while the maid at the door leaned forward and began to breathe hard.

"Now place the written paper, with the figures on the upper side, under the shawl as I hold it." It was done, the thickness of the shawl being between Hertz and the paper as he looked down toward it. There was breathless silence. Then he said, "Surely the number is 761." It was. He had apparently seen right through the thick shawl. Every one was amazed.

Then upon the silence broke the shriek of the maid at the door. With one final gaze at the shawl and one at the handsome conjurer she hid her rosy face in her hands, yelling at the top of her voice, "What's the good of me clothes?" and fled.—Argonaut.

A Man of System.

A newspaper man of some celebrity as a disciplinarian was noted about his office for the extreme disorder of his own desk. Though insisting upon methodical habits on the part of his employees, he gave his own pigeonholes a cleaning out and sorting over only once a year, and his regular time for doing this, oddly enough, was Washington's birthday.

It happened one year nevertheless that he forgot to perform this task at the proper time, and a friend who happened in at his office on the morning of Feb. 23 was surprised at finding him surrounded by his usual hopeless litter of letters and papers.

"How does this happen, Mr. ——?" he asked.

"Forgot it," shortly answered the editor.

"Well, you're going to clean things up today, aren't you?"

"No, sir," was the reply. "That job goes over, under the rules, for another year. You don't suppose I am going to set an example of irregularity to the boys, do you? Not much!"

And he cleared away a space on his desk and began writing an editorial on the tariff.—Youth's Companion.

Always Worn.

Sprocket—I've just joined the Beginners' Cycle club.

Handlebar—What are your colors?

Sprocket—Black and blue.—Chicago Record.

By the howls emanating from it, we judge that the baby is not cutting teeth, but that the teeth are cutting the baby.—Philadelphia Times.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

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LOST.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.
Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

LOST—At Quincy Adams depot, on Tuesday last, a 50-ride book between South Braintree and Boston. Finder will please leave with K. T. P., Advertiser office, Quincy.
Dec. 12. 3t

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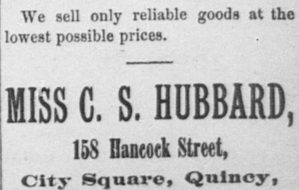

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BACK TO CIVIL LIFE.

Bryan Says He Can Serve Country Better Thus Than as a Soldier.

Gives Views on Public Questions of the Day.

Intends to Actively Engage In a Fight Against Colonial Expansion.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 14.—Colonel Bryan, upon leaving his command, the Third Nebraska regiment, said: "My reason for leaving the army was set forth in my letter to the adjutant general tendering my resignation. Now that the treaty of peace has been concluded, I believe that I can be more useful to my country as a civilian than as a soldier."

Colonel Bryan then discussed public questions, saying: "The President of the United States, having rescued Cuba from foreign control, may now resume the discussion of the domestic problems which confront this nation, and to the consideration of new questions arising out of the war.

"In my judgment our nation is in greater danger just now than Cuba. Our president defended Cuba against foreign arms; now they must defend themselves and their country against a foreign idea—the colonial idea of European nations. Heretofore greed has perverted the government and used its instrumental interferences for private gain, but now the very foundation principles of our government are assaulted.

"The imperialistic idea is directly antagonistic to the idea and ideals which have been cherished by the American people since the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Our nation must give up any intention of entering upon a colonial policy (such as is now pursued by European countries), or it must abandon the doctrine that governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed.

"A house divided against itself cannot stand. This nation cannot endure half republic and half colony—half free and half vassal. Our form of government, our traditions, our present interests and our future welfare forbid our entering upon a career of conquest.

"Jefferson has been quoted in support of imperalism, but our opponents must distinguish between imperialism and expansion; they must also distinguish between expansion in the western hemisphere and an expansion that involves us in the quarrels of Europe and the Orient. They must still further distinguish between expansion which secures contiguous territory for future settlement and expansion which secures us alien races for future subjection.

"Jefferson favored the annexation of necessary contiguous territory on the South American continent, but he was opposed to wars of conquest and expressly condemned the acquiring of remote territory."

When asked how the colonial policy would be prevented, Colonel Bryan said: "Some think the fight should be made against the ratification of the treaty, but I would prefer another plan. If the treaty is rejected, negotiations must be renewed, and instead of settling the question according to ideas, we must settle it by diplomacy with the possibility of international complications. It will be easier, I think, to end the war at once by ratifying the treaty and then deal with the subject in our own way. The issue can be presented directly by a resolution to congress, declaring the policy of the nation upon this subject.

"The president says in his message that our only purpose in taking possession of Cuba is to establish a stable government, and then turn that government over to the people of Cuba. Congress should reaffirm this purpose in regard to Cuba, and assert the same purpose in regard to the Philippine islands and Porto Rico. Such a resolution would make a clear-cut issue between the doctrine of self-government and the doctrine of imperalism. We should reserve a harbor and coaling station in Porto Rico and the Philippines for services rendered, and I think we would be justified in asking the same concession from Cuba.

"In the case of Porto Rico, where the people have as yet expressed no desire for an independent government, we might, with propriety, declare our willingness to annex the island if the citizens desire annexation, but the Philippine islands are too far away and their people too different from ours to be annexed to the United States even if they desired it."

Colonel Bryan left Savannah last night for Washington. He intends to enter actively into the fight against the colonial policy.

Bullet In His Stomach.

Boston, Dec. 14.—Willie Robinson, 14 years of age, was employed as errand boy by William H. Jackson, a tailor. Mr. Jackson was searching for a pair of mittens yesterday to give Robinson and found an old revolver, which he placed on a table while he continued his search. The boy reached for the weapon, and just then Mr. Jackson also reached out to prevent the boy from getting it. In the scramble of hands the weapon was discharged, the bullet went through the boy's stomach, and he died before a physician reached him. Jackson was examined, but the officers deemed the death one of accident purely.

Where the Shoe Pinches.

Vienna, Dec. 14.—In Austrian commercial and financial circles it is believed that Germany's leaning toward England and the United States is due to other than political consideration. The strain imposed upon the Berlin money market by the forced development of German trade is beginning to tell severely on German finance. For the satisfaction of seizing new markets, terms have been granted which German industrial enterprise is ill able to afford. This abnormal condition has produced a situation which renders it advisable that the sympathies of the English and American money markets should not be estranged.

HIS MIND MADE UP.

President Dwight Will Resign at End o the Academic Year.

New Haven, Dec. 14.—The members of the corporation of Yale university held a meeting yesterday to consider the resignation of President Dwight, which was presented at the last stated meeting of the corporation. President Dwight refused to accede to the request made by the corporation to defer his resignation until after the bi-centennial celebration in 1901, and announced his purpose of adhering to his previously announced determination to resign at the end of this present academic year. The corporation finally accepted the president's resignation and adopted eulogistic resolutions.

At the meeting a gift of $10,000 to the Yale law school fund by John W. Hendrie of Sound Beach, Conn., was announced. This makes a total of $57,500 which Mr. Hendrie, who graduated in 1851, has given to this fund.

It was also announced that Captain Wise, U. S. N., of the cruiser Yale, has presented to the university a Nordenfelt shell which was found on the Maria Teresa. This shell will be placed in the university library with the flags of the Yale.

The resignation of Professor George J. Brush as director of the Sheffield scientific school was accepted.

Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The house yesterday passed the District of Columbia appropriation bill without a single amendment. The bill carries $3,659,950, which is $176,600 less than was carried by the last bill and $2,871,857 less than the estimates. The house also passed the senate bill, which was under consideration Monday, to amend the laws relating to seamen. All the amendments were rejected.

The session of the senate was largely consumed in the discussion of the Nicaragua canal bill. Mr. Turpie made the principal speech in opposition to the bill, attacking it on the ground that it was in the interest of the Maritime company, which he characterized as a fraud and bankrupt. He moved a postponement of the matter until after the holiday recess. Mr. Morgan defended the bill and the Maritime company and opposed the motion to postpone. Messrs. Berry and Rawlins both offered amendments materially affecting the bill.

Previous to the proceedings upon the canal bill Mr. Morrill made an address in support of the bill authorizing the purchase of a site for a supreme court building, and this and several other bills were passed.

Masons Elect Officers.

Boston, Dec. 14.—The annual convention of the grand royal arch chapter of Massachusetts was held yesterday at the Masonic apartments, with an unusually large attendance. Deputy Grand High Priest Way presided over the deliberations. The work and lecture on the capitular degrees were exemplified by a corps of officers, under the direction of Grand Lecturers Hunt and Sartelle. The business meeting was held in the evening, the officers elected being as follows: Grand high priest, Warren B. Ellis, Boston; deputy grand high priest, Charles A. Peabody, M. D., Worcester; grand king, Edward M. Meekins, North Adams; grand scribe, Walter M. Wright, M. D., Orange; grand treasurer, Engene A. Hilton, Boston; grand secretary, J. Gilman Waite, Medford; trustees of the permanent fund, for three years, Daniel W. Lawrence, Medford, and Henry Endicott, Cambridge. The officers were installed by Arthur G. Pollard of Lowell of the grand royal arch chapter of the United States.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Captain Frank B. Denning, Eighth Massachusetts volunteers, has been honorably discharged.

Generay Henry, in command of the department of Porto Rico, has instructed the post commanders to prevent the landing of the French cable on Porto Rican soil.

Fire has been raging in No. 6 mine of the Pennsylvania Coal company at Inkerman, Pa., since yesterday morning. All the men got safely out. It is believed that the mine will be flooded.

All hope of saving the Merchants and Miners Transportation company's steamer Fairfax, on Sow and Pig reef, has been abandoned, andthe wreckers are now turning their attention to getting out of the battered hull all of value that they can.

In a 20-round bout at Ithaca, N. Y., Emil Sanchez of Rochester obtained a decision over Tom McCarty of Buffalo.

By the explosion in the grist mill at Pettisville, O., two men were killed and one was fatally injured.

Fire destroyed the warerooms of the Johnson Chair company of Chicago. Loss, $100,000.

The derelict schooner Annie G, which was found near Mud island, N. S., was examined and the body of a man was found in the cabin.

Jack Bonner of Philadelphia and George Byers of Boston fought 20 fast and furious rounds at New York, and the bout was declared a draw.

Negotiations have been opened for the formation of a trust embracing the factories in the country manufacturing mechanical rubber goods. Most of these factories are located in Trenton.

The commission having in charge the erection of a monument to General Lafayette in Paris in 1900 reports that approximately $50,000 already has been raised toward defraying the cost of the monument, which assures the success of the enterprise.

A. M. Palmer, the well-known theatrical manager, was stricken with heart failure at Chicago, and it was only after a number of physicians had worked with him for over an hour that he was pro-him for over an hour that he was pronounced out of danger.

Bernard J. Wefers, the amateur sprinter, denies the report that he has resigned from the New York Athletic club to join the Boston Athletic association.

Representative Bailey of Texas has decided to raise the question of the right of Major General Wheeler to participate in the proceedings of the house should he attempt to exercise the privileges of a member.

The American-Canadian commission held a meeting yesterday and adjourned until Friday. The American members then held a separate meeting.

The cabinet meeting yesterday was unimportant, the president devoting a considerable share of the time during the sitting to official callers.

Found No Traces.

Hyannis, Mass., Dec. 14.—The tug Herald, in charge of the state police, has made a diligent search in the waters outside of Cape Cod for bodies from the Portland. While the trip did not result in recovering any of the lost, yet the survey shows that there were no bodies floating about beyond the surf, or drifting away to the southward. The Herald left Provincetown yesterday at sunrise, and followed the shore down, keeping a watch on both sides. The Naucot lights were passed, and when the tug reached Chatham it ran into the bay. From here the regular current, setting in a southerly direction, was followed out to Pollock Rip lightship, and then the boat was worked slowly down along shore opposite Monomoy. Nothing was picked up or sighted which offers any encouragement, but the Herald will continue to follow the southerly currents further.

Four Thousand Men Interested.

Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 14.—Serious trouble is imminent in the granite industry in the central portion of this state as a result of the proposed action of the Barre and Montpelier Granite Cutters' unions to modify the existing bill of prices, under agreement between the manufacturers and the cutters, which expires March 1, and which specifies that nine hours shall constitute a day's work, at the rate of 29½ cents an hour. The revision calls for eight hours' work each day and 32 cents an hour. While the manufacturers favor the eight-hour schedule, they are almost unanimous in opposing an increase in wages. The cutters threaten to strike if their proposals are not acknowledged, in which case about 4000 men will be without employment.

Flood of Business.

Kansas City, Dec. 14.—The 18th annual convention of the American Federation of Labor had hardly begun business when a recess was taken. A flood of resolutions, touching a wide range of subjects, were introduced. In each case the resolution was referred to committees. One resolution of particular interest was that offered by Delegate Samuel Autlers of New York, calling upon the United States government to give its clothing to union shops for manufacture instead of to sweat shops. It is said that it will without doubt be adopted, and a telegram was sent at once to Washington making the demand set forth in the resolution.

Plenty of Ice.

Gardiner, Me., Dec. 14.—The icemen along the Kennebec river are all prepared for the winter harvest, having an unusually good freeze, and with no drawbacks the crop for the season will amount to 1,072,000 tons. Should the Hudson river fail, or only secure a partial crop, these figures would be increased by the amount of graded locations which ave everything in readiness for immed te building. About 4400 men and 2..0 horses will be employed in gathering the harvest.

A POPULAR MISTAKE

Regarding Remedies for Dyspepsia and Indigestion.

The national disease of Americans is indigestion or in its chronic form dyspepsia and for the very reason that it is so common many people neglect taking proper treatment for what they consider trifling stomach trouble when as a matter of fact indigestion lays the foundation for many incurable diseases. No person with a vigorous healthy stomach will fall a victim to consumption. Many kidney diseases and heart troubles date their beginning from poor digestion; thin, nervous people are really so because their stomachs are out of gear weary, languid, faded out women owe their condition to imperfect indigestion.

When nearly every person you meet is afflicted with weak digestion it is not surprising that nearly every secret patent medicine on the market claims to be a cure for dyspepsia, as well as a score of other troubles when in fact as Dr. Werthier says there is but one genuine dyspepsia cure which is perfectly safe and reliable and moreover this remedy is not a patent medicine but it is a scientific combination of pure pepsin (free from animal matter) vegetable essences, fruit salts and bismuth. It is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Despepsia Tablets. No extravagant claims are made for them but for indigestion or any stomach trouble Stuart's Dspepsia Tablets are far ahead of any remedy yet discovered. They act on the food eaten no dieting is necessary simply eat all the wholesome food you want and these tablets will digest it. A cure results because all the stomach needs is a rest which Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give by doing the work of digestion.

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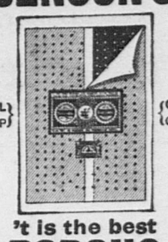

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Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e. Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

IS A MILITARY CAMP,

Practically No Civil or Governmental Authority In Cuba.

Official Estimate of Troops Required For Duty.

United States Wrestling With Problem of Prisoners in the Philippines.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The recommendation of the Cuban commission, Generals Wade and Butler and Admiral Sampson, as to the number of troops required for Cuba and the places of station, became public yesterday, when Adjutant General Corbin submitted a copy of it to the house military committee, which made it public with the assent of General Corbin. It is dated Oct. 19, and is chiefly interesting in connection with General Corbin's statement that it is the basis on which the war department has proceeded and is now proceeding. It is as follows:

"As directed by your cable of the 14th inst. I have the honor to furnish herewith a table showing my recommendations as to the stations for United States troops, with number and kinds of troops at each on the evacuation of Spain. The Spanish troops now occupy 52 garrisons, counting Havana and other cities as one station each. It will be neither practicable or advisable to replace all of these garrisons. My recommendation is based on holding the more important cities, seaports and railroad centres, with sufficient force to operate in the vicinity and furnish small garrisons at such other points as may become necessary. This, I believe, will be the best disposition to make of our troops when they arrive.

"Should this be approved, the troops at each station should be promptly furnished when asked for by the evacuation commission, so as to be at their stations in time to relieve Spanish garrisons and prevent occupation by insurgent troops concentrated near most of the designated places. I consider the number of troops named in the accompanying table as the smallest that should be in the island, not including those now in the department of Santiago. In fixing this number I have been governed by the following considerations:

"Cuba is, and for a long time has been, really a military camp, and governed by the most arbitrary military rule. Practically there is no civil government or authority. The Spanish forces consist of about 118,000 regulars, 21,000 volunteers on duty, and 52,000 volunteers armed, but not on duty. The insurgents claim to have about 40,000 armed men, making a total of 231,000. Probably the military evacuation by Spain will remove about 100,000 men, leaving considerably more than that number who will be, or recently have been, under arms, to a great extent living off the country. Many of these men will from necessity, if not from choice, be without employment. Among these men, as well as those who have not taken part in the late Spanish-Cuban war, exist race feuds and political frictions. Many of these people are very ignorant, few understand what independence and liberty mean, or have fixed ideas as to what the future of their country will or should be. It will require tact and force to harmonize the conflicting interests and insure order. If a large force occupies the island as soon as Spain evacuates, it can, under favorable conditions, be much reduced in a few months. But it will be very unfortunate to begin with so small a force and be obliged to increase it."

The table of proposed stations of the United States troops submitted by General Wade shows a total of 50,000 troops, distributed as follows: Province of Pinar del Rio, 3000; province of Havana, 24,000; province of Matanzas, 10,000; province of Santa Clara, 10,000; province of Puerto Principe, 2000; province of Santiago, 1000.

The towns at which the troops are to be stationed with the numbers are as follows: Guanajay, 1000 infantry; Mariel, 1000 infantry; Pinar del Rio, 1000 infantry; Havana, 2200 infantry and 2000 cavalry; Matanzas, 7000 infantry and 1000 cavalry; Cardenas, 2000 infantry; Cienfuegos, 2000 infantry and 1000 cavalry; Trinidad, 2000 infantry; Sagua la Grande, 1000 infantry; Santa Clara, 1000 infantry; Placetas, 1000 infantry; Caibarien and Remedios, 1000 infantry; Sancti Spiritus, 1000 infantry; Nuevitas and Puerto Principe, 1000 infantry and 1000 cavalry; Manzanillo, 1000 infantry.

The total shows 45 regiments of infantry and five of cavalry. There is also light artillery as follows: Matanzas, two batteries; Havana, four batteries; total, six batteries of 1200 men.

Up to this time the officials here have not been able to ascertain the number of the Spanish prisoners held by the Filipino insurgents, but they are certain that the estimate from Madrid of 10,000 is very much too high.

Admiral Dewey looked into the condition of some of these prisoners held at Cavite early in the war, and in response to complaints that the insurgents were treating the prisoners inhumanely. He reported as to this last charge that the prisoners were as well treated as the circumstances of the insurgents admitted, but gave no number. It is believed that the lot of Spanish soldier prisoners, who in July numbered 4000, is much better than that of the clerical prisoners, meaning generally the friars, and as the latter were numerous in the Philippines it may be that the total number of prisoners in the hands of the insurgents will run well up towards 5000.

The American peace commissioners did not bind the United States government to accomplish the impossible in the matter of releasing those prisoners. They did undertake to release and repatriate those prisoners taken by General Otis at the fall of Manila, but so far as the others were concerned—those held by the insurgents—our government can act effectively only as our lines of occupation of the islands are extended.

Efforts have been made on at least two occasions by General Otis to induce the insurgents to release their prisoners, but he could not go beyond the exercise of good offices and could not exercise compulsion. He will renew his efforts in this direction, however, and in the changed conditions following the cession of the islands to the United States and the probability held out to the insurgents that they may obtain the control of their home affairs, which they struggled for, it is hoped that success may attend this effort. If not, then, as the United States lines are extended, the prisoners must be released by other means.

Considering the magnitude of the task the officials here feel that there is little ground for complaint on the part of the Spanish people because the prisoners are not instantly released.

Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The Nicaragua canal bill held its place as the principal subject before the senate again yesterday. Speeches were made by Messrs. Harris, Money, Stewart and Morgan.

Mr. Money urged the postponement of the question in order to permit an opportunity for negotiations with Great Britain for a modification of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, and Mr. Morgan antagonized the proposition. An agreement was reached to take a vote on the Turpie postponement motion today. Other questions before the senate were: The government's pension policy and the bill regarding the registry of foreign-built vessels wrecked on the American coast. The pension discussion was precipitated by Mr. Vest. The registry bill went over.

The house yesterday, for the second time during this congress, refused to consider the Lodge immigration bill. At the last session an attempt was made to take it from the speaker's table, but it was defeated by a large majority.

Mr. Danforth of Ohio, chairman of the immigration committee, thought the bill would be stronger after the elections were over, but yesterday, when he tried again to secure consideration, the house declined, 100 to 103, to take it up.

An interesting, but brief, debate upon the rules was precipitated during the session by Mr. Grow of Pennsylvania, during which Mr. De Armond made a speech on the decadence of the privilege of debate in the house, and held Speaker Reed responsible for the fact that the house had no opportunity to adopt a new system of rules at this session. The speaker replied with a sarcastic speech, in which he referred to the complaints of John Randolph, in the early days of the century, to show that the same remonstrances were made then that were being heard today.

Exceeds Original Estimates.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The total amount carried by the Indian appropriation bill reported yesterday, is $7,347,264. This is about $278,000 more than the original estimates submitted by the treasury department. Under the head of miscellaneous $251,340 is appropriated, which includes the amount required for expenditure in the Indian Territory in connection with the administration of affairs under the provisions of the Curtis law. The appropriation for schools shows a considerable increase, and provision is made for new buildings at four places. The total school appropriations aggregate $2,881,880, those for gratuities $664,625, and those for fulfilling treaty stipulations $2,657,979.

Capitol Gleanings

The pension appropriation bill reported to the house yesterday carries $145,233,830, being the exact amount of the estimates and $4,000,000 more than carried by the current law. Pension disbursements increased from $139,949,717 in 1897 to $144,651,879 in 1898. The total number of pensioners on the rolls is 993,714.

It is stated that ex-Governor Merriam of Minnesota, who has been in Washington for some days, is under serious consideration for the post of secretary of the interior, when Secretary Bliss retires from that office. Ex-Governor Merriam has called at the White House and had conferences with the president.

Orders were sent from the navy department to the commander of the Badger at League island to proceed with that vessel to San Francisco, in place of her sister ship, the Yankee, originally selected for this service.

Senator Proctor introduced a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of five senators to visit Cuba and Porto Rico for the purpose of "inquiring into the military requirements necessary to establish and maintain order in those islands until civil government is inaugurated." The resolution also directs the committee to investigate "the existing conditions, military, political, economic and sanitary in the islands and report such facts and recommendations as they may deem important for the information of the senate."

Senator Hale yesterday reported the army deficiency bill. The most important amendments are the $3,000,000 contingency appropriation for the war and the same amount for the navy to be expended under the direction of the president. The balance of the $50,000,000 defense fund is to be continued until six months after Jan. 1.

General Wood, commanding at Santiago, reports recent deaths there as follows: Joseph Taylor, private, company H, Ninth volunteers, Dec. 11, consumption; Elisha Crosby, private, company L, Third volunteers, tubercolosis, bowels and rectum, Dec. 12.

The house committee on territories yesterday began consideration of the bill to provide a territorial form of government for the Hawaiian islands. The committee decided to refer the bill to a sub-committee.

TOLD BY EYE-WITNESS

Scores of Soldiers In Manila Suffering Most Intense Agony.

Willing to Do Anything That Will End Despair.

Too Many Clogs to Those Who Would Gladly Give Relief If Possible.

Honolulu, Dec. 7, via San Francisco, Dec. 15.—The United States transport Scandia has arrived here from Manila, which place she left Nov. 15. She brings a number of officers, 91 discharged and furloughed men and two Red Cross nurses.

Miss Schaeffer, a Red Cross nurse, who went from Honolulu to Manila, arriving there Sept. 26, returned here. She makes startling charges as to the way United States soldiers are taken care of in Manila.

"Scores of the soldier boys," she says, "are dying in the hospitals at Manila just for want of proper nourishment. They say the government allows 60 cents a day for each patient. You can save dozens of lives on 5 cents a day.

"Oh, the utter woe of hospitals, the helplessness of them. Men as bright, as noble as God ever made, given up to death, hoping for it, seeking it, taking poison, doing anything that will end the despair that comes upon them.

"Seeing nothing before them but days of pain and nights of wretchedness, without proper food, alone, with no one to give them sympathy or cheer, to write to friends, to soothe the aching brows or moisten parched lips, and, if by sheer endurance of nature or obstinacy of vitality, they do get better there is before them nothing but the still more cheerless period of convalescence with the probability of a relapse and the old weariness and despair to be suffered again.

"No wonder there are six or seven funerals a day. No wonder the deadhouse is never empty.

"And outside the hospital, and even in it, such indifference. Petty considerations of rank and position, squabbles about precedence, lack of consideration in prescribing and preparing food, while men are dying, not merely of heart hunger, but for want of nourishment.

"I have gone through the wards day after day, and I spoke to this one and that one, and they poured out their woes. Men who did not wear their hearts on their sleeves cried for the pure agony of their loneliness and despair, made vivid by their own telling of it.

"I do not mean that attendants of the hospitals are careless or indifferent. Many are trying to do their best. But there is so much inexperience; so many clogs to those who would do much. To think of an attendant going through a ward with a pail of beef broth, ladling it out to the patients indiscriminately by the cupful. In the whole pail there was not enough nourishment for one, even if it were made of the best material.

"But what it really was made of, I shut my eyes and refuse to imagine. In a whole ward there is not more than one nurse with experience, and for helpers only one or two awkward boys, who, perhaps, never saw a sick rom before."

Senate Confirmations.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations: Nathan O. Murphy, Arizona, to be governor of Arizona.

To be members of the industrial commission: T. W. Philips, Pennsylvania; A. L. Harris, Ohio; J. L. Kennedy, District of Columbia; E. A. Smyth, South Carolina; J. M. Farquhar, New York; M. D. Ratchford, Indiana.

Lieutenant colonels to be colonels: Cavalry, Thomas McGregor, S. E. Whitside; infantry, E. R. Kellogg, Richard Coma, H. C. Egbert, E. M. Coates, G. M. Randall, W. S. Worth, W. M. Wherry, J. H. Patterson, H. B. Freeman, C. M. Bailey.

Corps of engineers: S. M. Mansfield.

Lieutenant Colonel Lawton to be inspector general with the rank of colonel.

Lieutenant Colonel Kimball department quartermaster general, to be assistant quartermaster general, with the rank of colonel.

Colonels to be brigadier generals: H. S. Hawkins, E. P. Pearson, J. F. Kent, G. V. Henry, W. S. Worth, J. H. Page, W. M. Wherry, H. C. Egbert, Evan Miles, Henry Carroll, E. H. Liscum, J. T. Haskell, C. D. Viele, A. S. Daggett, J. H. Patterson, T. A. Baldwin, C. T. Whittier, Samuel Evenshine, Charles McCreeve, Irving Hale, Richard Comba, John E. Weston, Edgar R. Kellogg.

Lieutenant colonels to be brigadier generals: E. P. Ewers, C. F. Humphreys, G. S. Carpenter, J. W. Clous.

Brigadier generals to be major generals: J. F. Kent, S. B. M. Young, T. M. Anderson, A. MacArthur, F. V. Greene, William Ludlow, S. B. Sumner.

Navy: Assistant Naval Constructors Thomas F. Ruhm, Lawrence Spear and Frank B. Seahm, to be naval constructors; also a number of other army and navy promotions.

Antonio Terry Dead.

Paris, Dec. 15.—Antonio E. Terry, formerly of New York, died here yesterday of liver complaint. He was twice married, his second wife being Sybil Sanderson, the opera singer.

SOME FOOLISH PEOPLE

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Christmas wouldn't mean anything to over half the world if this delightful custom of surprising your friends with gifts and tokens of friendship were not in existence. It is always a source of anxiety to many, to know just what to give their friends, but most thoughtful givers consider first what will add most to happiness, and give most enjoyment and comfort to those they wish to favor.

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First of all, they'll brand you a generous giver. Second of all, they're attractive, sensible and always acceptable. Last of all, they are ideal Christmas Pesents, wonderfully low in price when you buy them here.

FOR THE YOUNGSTERS.

Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	42c. to $1.00
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FOR THE OLDER FOLKS.

Beautiful odd pieces of New French and English China in Salad Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Cake Plates, Cheese Dishes, Pin Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Spoon Trays, Chocolate Pots, Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Picture Frames, After Dinner Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Cuspadores, Jardineres, Vases, etc., etc. Hundreds of odd and dainty pieces, ranging in price from 10c. to $1.50.

Fancy China and Mantle Clocks,	$1.00 to $10.00
Beautiful Pictures,	75c. to 5.00
Banquet Lamps,	2.50 to 10.00
Jardineres,	25c. to 1.50
Fancy Chairs and Rockers,	1.00 to 6.50
Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 12.00
Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinere Stands,	50c. to 1.50
Rugs,	50c. to 5.00
Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Book Cases,	1.00 to 10.00
Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50
Easels,	50c. to 2 00
3-Fold Screens,	1.98
Portieres, per pair,	1.50 to 6.50
Oak Sideboards,	10.00 to 35.00
Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Oak Hall Racks,	1.25
Boot Black Stands,	1.00
Decorated Parlor Lamps,	98c to 3.00
Artistic Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 5.00
Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
Oak Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
Bissell Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
Oak Chamber Sets,	15.00 to 35.00

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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
—OF—
ALVIN ROGERS,
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ON THE PREMISES,
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On Friday Dec. 16, 1898,
at 1.30 P. M., we will sell the
HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

consisting in part as follows: Parlor Cherry Suit of 3 pieces, Easy Chair, 3 Hair Cloth Chairs, Rocker, Couch, Black Walnut Sideboard, Hat Tree, Oval Gilt Frame Mirror, large Gilt Frame Mirror, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, Pictures, 3 Marble Top Tables, Arm Chair, 3 Rockers, Rattan Rocker, Carpets, 4 Bureaus in good order, Ash Chamber Set, Comforters, Sheets, 3 Single Beds, 4 Tables, 2 small Stands, 3 small Glasses, Mattresses, 3 Rugs, Commode Set, Curtains, Trunk, Tools, Crawford Range in good order, Glenwood Range, large size, in good order; Kitchen Utensils, large lot of Crockery worthy attention of buyers, Kitchen Table, 1 Hen Coop, and a variety of useful household goods.

Sale positive. Terms cash.

On Saturday, Dec. 17,
at 2 P. M., on the premises,
THE REAL ESTATE

will be sold. Large double house of 16 rooms, situated on corner of Pleasant and Quincy streets, frontage of 66 feet on Pleasant street and 100 feet on Quincy street. This house is well constructed and arranged for two families, in good condition with city water and furnace. Everything complete about the place, and the owner sells without reserve as he desires to close out his real estate in the city. Excellent chance for investment or to purchase for a home. Location the best in the city, near depot, electrics, and centre of business. Buyer can arrange easy terms if desired. House can be seen for inspection upon application to the auctioneer. Do not miss this chance to purchase desirable real estate at a public sale. Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed in ten days.

Also, 9 room Cottage in rear of this estate, No. 19 Quincy street, containing about 26,000 square feet of land. This is an excellent opportunity for a working man to obtain a home. The house is in good repair and will be sold without reserve.

Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed.

Sale positive. Terms easy.

Remember day and dates.

Dec. 8—8t p lw

PIANO BARGAINS

This Week's List.

Cut it out;—Bring it with you;—Greater discounts than ever;—More actual bargains;—Do not wait until Christmas, but order now. Our Rental Purchase Plan makes buying a piano easy.

OPEN EVENINGS TILL XMAS.

Really Good Hardman Piano, our price **$100**
Baby Grand, taken in exchange, occupies little room, our price . **$175**
Mahogany Upright, carved case, our price **$200**
3-Pedal Antique Mahogany, mandolin attachment **$225**
Ivers and Pond, medium size, warranted, our price **$250**
Ivers and Pond, delightful tone, marquetry panel case, our price **$275**
Ivers and Pond, Sample Piano, Mahogany and walnut, our price **$300**

IVERS & POND BABY GRAND—Slightly used, warranted same as new, one-half original price, easy terms. IVERS & POND PIANO COMPANY.

THE RENTAL PURCHASE PLAN puts a first-class instrument into your home at a cost which does not inconvenience you.

IVERS & POND PIANO CO.,
114 and 116 Boylston Street.
Dec. 15.—1t 17-1w p

NOTICE.

TO Whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that my wife,

BESSIE B. HICKS,

having left my bed and board, I shall not be responsible from this date for any bill she may contract.

WILLIAM J. HICKS.

Quincy, Dec. 15. 3t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

PETER A. FREDETTE or FREDERICKS,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank E. Fredette of Quincy without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Dec. 15. 3t—15-22-26

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	31	40	62	44
Monday	32	50	47	44
Tuesday	31	41	48	58
Wednesday	17	40	40	44
Thursday	30	34	60	35
Friday	—	27	52	20
Saturday	—	33	46	30

New Advertisements Today.

Ivers & Pond Piano Co.
Quincy Clothing Co.
G. B. Bates—Christmas goods.
Boston Branch Grocery.
Probate notice.
Part of a store to let.
Grocery wagon wanted.
Engine for sale.

Good Afternoon.

Is seems almost incredible but it is a fact nevertheless according to the census of 1895 that there were in Quincy that year more people whose parents were born in Ireland than Massachusetts. The summary showing the nativity of parents, divided into sixty groups, will be published in the Ledger tomorrow with comments.

It is well that the Democrats made a clean sweep in Boston on Tuesday. Had Republican board of apportionment been elected it would have divided the responsibility with the mayor in 1899. Now Mayor Quincy will alone be responsible for the expensive administration of Boston affairs, and something may drop on the judgment day of December 1899.

The majority against License in Boston was reduced nearly one half from 17,542 to 9,876 but it would have been more satisfactory had the No vote been increased. The gain was made through a large decrease of the Yes vote, while the No vote fell off nearly two thousand. The No vote of 1896 was 26,861; in 1897 it was 26,177; and this year 24,258. Boston continues to be surrounded by a No-license belt—Quincy, Milton, Hyde Park, Dedham, Brookline, Newton, Watertown, Cambridge, Somerville, Everett, Chelsea and Winthrop.

One thing that the new City Council should do early in the year, is to grant the street railway a location for a double track on Hancock street between Adams and Squantum streets. The railroad now has a double track from City Hall to Adams street, and from Squantum street to the Neponset bridge and in order to give the service demanded there should be a double track through the whole street. Aside from being a benefit to the Street Railway company, it will be of immense benefit to the city, for when completed the street will be paved nearly its whole width. Hancock street has long been in a wretched condition and there seems no chance of a permanent improvement until the street is paved its full width from City Square to the bridge. It is now paved on one side for two-thirds of the distance, and when another track is laid there it will be but a narrow strip unpaved. Then no better move can be made by the city, than to make an appropriation for completing the paving. Once the street is paved the expense for repairs is greatly reduced, as is shown by Water street, upon which but little has been expended in repairs since it was paved. Although the street railway has not as yet asked for a location for a second track on Hancock street, it is probable that they will do so early in January.

Boynton Location.

The aldermen of Brockton voted unanimously on Monday to grant to the Boston, Quincy & Fall River Bicycle Railway Co., better known to the public as the "Boynton road," the location asked for. This includes passage over Belmont avenue and Manomet streets, and across West Elm street, upon which thoroughfares residents had previously filed a petition to the aldermen in remonstrance.

☞ The Gormans tonight at Quincy Music hall will make you laugh. There refined entertainment is spoken of by the press in all the principle cities as well worth the patronage of the theatre going public. Popular prices at 25, 35, and 50 cents.

EIGHT HOURS OCT. 1.

That Is What the Granite Cutters Have Asked.

Until Then Nine Hours and Saturday Half Holiday.

Piece Work to be Paid at Rate of 30 cents per Hour.

The request of the Granite Cutters' National Union made on Dec. 1 for a new bill of prices on March 1 next, contains many changes, which are briefly outlined below:

Art. 1. The pay of a competent skilled workman shall be thirty (30) cents per hour and upwards.

Art. 2. All work not specified in this bill shall be cut by the hour and in no case to be less than thirty (30) cents per hour.

Art. 3. Nine hours shall constitute a day's work for the first five days of the week, and five hours Saturdays, until October 1st, 1899, then eight hours shall constitute a day's work.

Art. 6. Diagram and price on same to be given with stone when practicable, in all cases within two days.

Art. 7. There shall be a pay day every week and workmen shall be paid in full up to the last day of the previous week.

Art. 17. Freeport, Maine, granite to be added.

Art. 19. All overtime to be paid time and half, except in cases of replacing a stone the cutter has spoiled for which he shall not be paid extra for overtime.

Art. 20. There shall be no more than two apprentices to every thirteen journeymen.

Art. 21. Granite cutters fifty-five (55) years old or over not capable of doing an average day's work may make their own terms with the employer, subject to the approval of the branch.

There are in addition several changes in specific work which would not be understood by the general public if enumerated.

The Granite Manufacturers' Association have at the same time asked for several changes, having a tendency to scale down the prices.

Experience in the past in Quincy shows that strikes and lockouts are expensive and unsatisfactory to both sides and it is hoped that an early agreement may be reached so that there may be no interruption to business on March 1.

Foresters Elect.

At a meeting of Quincy court, No. 76, M. C. O. F., held Dec. 12, the following list of officers were elected for the ensuing year:

C. R.,—Daniel F. Driscoll.
V. C. R.,—Hugh P. Tracy.
R. S.,—John S. Neagle.
F. S.,—Robert E. Foy.
S. C.,—Dennis McCarthy.
J. C.,—William H. Taylor.
I. S.,—John F. Gearin.
O. S.,—Murty Moynihan.
Representative,—Michael Burns.
Alternate,—Conrad Mischler.
Trustees, — Michael O'Hara, James O'Donovan and Patrick W. Driscoll.
Court Physician,—Dr. J. M. Sheahan.

Just before the opening of the meeting C. R. Burns in a few well chosen remarks, presented John F. Gearin, an esteemed member of the court, who has recently been married, with an elegant Morris chair. Mr. Gearin, although taken completely by surprise made a neat response.

The Rebekah Degree.

On Monday evening, Dec. 7, Carrie E. Ruggles lodge of Wollaston worked the Degree of Rebekah in a very pleasing manner. By special invitation George L. Gill lodge of Quincy and District Deputy of the Grand Master and Marshal were present to witness the work. After which an adjournment was made to the adjoining hall where a bountiful banquet was served.

The committee was Susie Hoxie, chairman, Bertha McLeod, Mrs. Longhead, Annie R. Brown, Henrietta Mitchell, Mr. David Brown, Mr. Frank Griffin.

South Carolina Schools.

Superintendent of Education Mayfield's report shows that the enrollment in the public schools of the State of South Carolina during the fiscal year was: whites, 125,102; colored, 150,787.

Of the whites, the number of females enrolled was 61,386; males, 63,716. Of the colored, 79,228 were females and 71,551 males.

The grand total was 275,889.

The average school term for the public schools of the State was four months.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

How the Plumber Hustles.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

It was approaching five o'clock Tuesday evening and the workmen in a plumber's office were hurrying to get through their work, so as not to labor overtime. The boss, who was sitting in his private office in front of the stove, shivered slightly and muttered to himself, "It's cold." He then got up from his chair, walked over to the window, and when he had scraped off enough frost to see through the glass, where there was a thermometer hanging outside the window, said "Whew! Only ten degrees above zero and growing colder."

With a brisker step, partly through his efforts to keep his blood in circulation, and partly from the thought of the wealth that the cold wave would bring to him on the morrow, the plumber stepped out to the back room and said, "Men, I think perhaps it would be wise for you to come in early in the morning.' With an attempt to look pleased, but which ended only in a sickly grin for while the work increased the pay did not—the workmen murmured, "Yes, perhaps it would be well to be prepared for frozen pipes and other odds and ends which the cold weather always picks out as objects of its wrath." So with pleasant thoughts of turning out of a warm bed at a unearthly hour in the cold, cold, morning, the men went home.

Next morning the plumber, after seeing to it that all his own fixtures were in order, opened his store and scraped the frost off the window so that he could watch for customers. How well he had based his calculations of the night before was soon apparent, for hardly was he seated in his comfortable arm chair than there was sound of hurrying footsteps outside the door and victim number one entered.

"Ah, good morning!" said the plumber, as he chuckled to himself and rubbed his hands together not to get them warm, however "I see you are out bright and early this fine morning. Cold isn't it?" "Yes! 'tis" said the newcomer, in a cold, snappy tone that contrasted greatly with the pleasant effusiveness of the plumber's greeting; "but that is not what I am here for. Here his tone changed from snappiness to sheepiness as he said "Fact is, I forgot to turn off the water in my house last night and this morning I am all frozen up. I wish you would send a man right down and set things to rights.

"Well, said the plumber, "Ill do the very best I can, but you know that there are so many who are in the same difficulty that it will require some time to get around to all." "Get around as soon as you can anyway, said the man and then went out. As soon as he was clear of the door the plumber went out to the back shop and said to one of the men "Charlie, after a while you can go down there and straighten out things. But don't hurry, because if we can make him think we're rushed to death the jobs worth more." "All right, sir." Hsup.

Cold in Camp.

A dispatch from Greenville, S. C., to the Globe says: Tuesday night was a very cold one, water freezing in the tents and water pipes, causing the latter to burst. There was a high wind, and the big roaring fires in the stoves set fire to one or two tents. It was extinguished in each case before any serious damage was done.

President McKinley found it impossible to stop here on account of the arrangements at Atlanta, and so his fine vestibule train went through here at 4 o'clock this morning.

Col. Whitney was a guest of the Falcon hook and ladder company last night, and was enthusiastically applauded when he said that his men had been treated with more warmth and cordiality in Greenvillle than at any other place. Many men have furloughs, but cannot leave for home because of the non-appearance of the paymaster.

Corp. A. A. Learned has been made a sergeant in Co. A. Most all the men are out of the hospital today, and there are none seriously sick at the regimental hospital. All the men in the division hospital are doing well.

Against Capital Punishment.

At the regular meeting of the Q. H. S. Debating Society on Wednesday the debate on "The Abolition of Capital Punishment," was concluded. in the open debate the following speakers took part Mr. Swift, '99; Mr. Lewis, 1900; Mr. Pitt, '99; Mr. Murphy 99; Mr. Wade, '99; Mr. Foss, '99; Mr. Northcott, '99; Miss Collagan, '99; and Miss Greenerd '99.

The board of decision, after carefully weighing the argument, decided in favor of the affirmative. An appeal to the entire society to express an opinion on the merits of the question resulted in an overwhelming majority against the death penalty.

The entertainment consisted of two numbers: piano solo, by Miss Hultman, 1900, and an essay, "A Book Review," written by Miss Souter, '99, and read by Miss Colagan ,99.

The critic, Miss Higgins 1900, suggested that more attention be paid to enunciation, and that speakers address, not their papers, but their audience.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Good sleighing.

They say the sleighing is good.

The cold wave has moderated some.

The City Council Committee on Contracts meet tonight.

Miss Alice Spencer is visiting her brother at Centreville.

Monday, Feb. 6, will be known at City Hall as moving day.

Owing to the snow but few of the quarries are being operated.

Master Everett Winslow sick for a week with tonsilitis is improving.

The Committee on Finance of the City Council meet Friday evening.

Some of our local business men have issued handsome calendars for 1899.

The music at the Christmas sunlight party will be furnished by Leo Munier.

Wilmot L. Cleaves of Lubec, Me., is a guest of his brother, City Clerk Cleaves.

The Quincy Clothing Company has increased its space in the Ledger for a holiday announcement.

The joint Committee on Legislative Matters and Fire Department of the City Council meet Friday evening.

The sewer contractors promise to have Hancock street in front of the Ledger office cleaned up before Christmas.

The new building at the corner of Arnold and Washington street, just erected is to be occupied by a Chinese laundry.

The Quincy stores make some pretty displays of Christmas goods and people can save money by buying their gifts of local dealers.

John C. Carey, who was in the naval brigade during the late war, left this week to enter the revenue service, having been assigned to the Onondaga.

A Boston paper reports Fred A. Locke of Quincy, a dentist doing business in Boston, to be in bankruptcy. He owes $1,825 and has assets of $100.

The boys are clearing the snow from Butlers pond so that they can skate. This pond is about the only place the young people have for skating in Quincy.

Today is pay day in the stone sheds and trade in the stores should be good from this out, as the men have had more work than usual for this time of the year.

The department officials and boards of the city government will this year hold over five weeks longer than the Mayor. Two weeks from next Monday will be inauguration day.

The Schooner C. B. Kennard, which went ashore at Fort Point, North Weymouth during the big storm of two weeks ago, has been floated. It is thought she can be repaired. She is owned in Portsmouth, N. H.

The Compass Whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. Elijah G. Hall on Wednesday evening. Prizes for the best scores were awarded to Mr. W. B. Glover, Mrs. Harry W. Read, Mr. John Carver and Mrs. Alonzo Priest.

Lysander S. Richards, who has been stopping a few weeks at the Greenleaf Hotel in this city, speaks very complimentary of this fine house. But will be obliged to leave next Monday for Boston, where he will stop for a short time at 203 West Springfield street.

At the reception and social given by the pastor, deacons and deaconesses, to the 100 new members of Bethany church, there was a large attendance of the new members. Light refreshments were served. There was instrumental music, remarks by the pastor and a general good time.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. report that they have nine inches of good clear ice upon their pond. If any thing their ice this year is even better and more clear than last year. They take great pains to keep their ice clear, and before the pond was flooded it was raked clear of all sticks, leaves and rubbish.

☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, carpets cleaned. Henry L. Kincaide & Co,

Saved but Lost.

When the Wollason Gun club's stand at Adams each was washed away during the late storm, the two half barrels of oil, bedding, dishes and lumber that was saved out of the wreck were piled up near the site of the stand, until they could be removed and stored. But now the club would like to have the parties who appropriated the property return it and no questions will be asked.

Seasonable toys,
At reasonable rates,
For girls or for boys,
At store of Gus Bates.

☞ Comforters and Blankets. 50 cents to $5.00. Better values than you have ever known before. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

KEEPER OUT? YES.

But I keep a line of

CHRISTMAS GOODS

That defies all chance for a controversy.

I have TOYS in great variety that I am almost giving away.

Books, Glassware, Vases and Fancy Crockery.

Both Parents and Children can find what they want in my mammoth stock.

G. B. BATES,

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"Money Back."

There is an old proverb, "He who gives quickly, gives twice."

There is no hesitation on our part about giving you back your money instantly if what you buy doesn't entirely satisfy you.

We know that the saying "money back if you want it" often means, your money back if you are smart enough to get it back. This is why we try to explain to you what "your money back" honestly means here.

Real Porto Rico Molasses,

40c. and 50c. gal.

Drawn from absolutely clean barrels.

Boston Branch Grocery,

Durgin & Merrill's Block, Quincy.

Did You Ever Notice

How ridiculous some things in newspapers really are when you get them sifted down. A man took a number of Boston papers last Sunday and sat down to read the news. He read a little news but the ad's were so big he began to look them over and then he began to study the cuts. He found, according to the pictures, he could buy wooden toothpicks that were longer than a step-ladder. He found that he could buy a pair of ladies' shoes for $1 48 that were as large as the whole lady in the next picture, who wore a Russian seal sacque reduced for this occasion to $3.27. He found that he could buy a coal hod for 13c. that was twice as large as a ton of coal for $2.71 (may be that was no joke). He found he could buy chairs for 63c. that were as large as a whole bed room set for $9 37, and the more he looked at the pictures the more pictures he looked at. The pictures are not the only delusions in the Boston newspapers these days—are not the only things that look big in print which dwindle when you strike reality.

There have been Overcoats shown in Boston that looked big in print for $7.48 that were worth only $5.00.

There are Overcoats sold in Boston for $10.00 that look like $20.00 ones in print, but $7.50 buys as good a one of us.

The Quincy Clothing Co. has in nine months shown that it is not necessary to talk big—to DO big counts more.

We have lived down all sorts of exaggeration in advertising, and have seen our business increase day by day simply and solely because what we put in print were usually bigger when you saw them in the store than they were in print.

Today we open our line of Christmas Ties, Mufflers, Suspenders and Umbrellas, and Handkerchiefs "made by the maids of Japan" with initials for 10c. Think of a girl in Japan making a handkerchief to be blowed in Quincy, Norfolk County, Mass., U. S. A., Earth.

QUINCY CLOTHING CO.,

NEXT DOOR TO MUSIC HALL ENTRANCE.

A Part of a STORE TO RENT.

ENQUIRE AT

No. 186 Hancock Street, QUINCY.

Dec. 15. plo

DR. RALPH M. FOGG, DENTIST.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain by the use of the

"BOSTON VEGETABLE VAPOR."

It is claimed that, while it has the required properties of ether, chloroform, nitrous oxide gas, it lacks the disagreeable and dangerous qualities of these drugs. It is certainly a boon to suffering humanity to be relieved of the nausea too often following the administering of sedatives of the old school.—Boston Transcript.

Teeth made and repaired on Gold or Rubber base. Teeth Filling a specialty.

Office in French's Building, five doors south of Post Office, Quincy, Wednesdays. Hours, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. July18-ly Nov8-1yo

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For Sale.

The beautiful estate of N. G. Nickerson, Belmont street, Wollaston. House, stable, 36,000 feet of land; great variety of Fruit and Shade Trees. Low price and easy terms.

Apply to N. G. NICKERSON, 120 Ames Building, Boston

Nov. 21. 1m

Look Out

When you buy goods to go to the right place.

THAT'S HERE.

We sell Handsome Embroidered

OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT ROBES at $1.00 Each.

15 new patterns in Outing Flannel, by yard, 5, 8, 9 and 10 cts.

All grades in Ladies' and Children's Vests and Pants.

Ladies' and Children's

Gaiters, Mittens, Hoods, Jackets, etc.

We sell only reliable goods at the lowest possible prices.

MISS C. S. HUBBARD,

158 Hancock Street,

City Square, Quincy.

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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MARY WENT.

LAST Week Mary and everybody else were invited to call at the Quincy Second Hand Variety Store. They went, and Mary tells us that she was delighted with what she found. She bought an excellent stove for half its value, a chamber set for a remarkably low figure, and small ware in abundance for almost nothing. In fact, she was so well pleased, she sent her husband, who bought all the tools he could carry off for a few dollars.

WALTER P. PINEL

is the Manager, and the store is right over here at number 20 Franklin street.

aug25 1y

WEYMOUTH.

Tuesday afternoon in the gymnasium of the High school the freshmen defeated the sophomores at basket ball by a score of 6-0. The lineup was as follows:

'02 Forwards, Walsh and Muse; Centre, Sterling; Defense, Mitchell and Smith.

'01—Forwards, R. Sheehy and Dillon; Centre, Dellory; Defense, Conathan and Jenkins. Score 6-0. Referee—Drown, '99; time 15 minute halves.

At the reading-room of the Tufts library a collection of engravings, loaned by the Library Art club is on exhibition.

New Bill of P rices.

The movement of the granite workers for a revision of the bill of prices on March 1, is not confined alone to Quincy. The Barre and Montpelier granite cutters also gave notice on December 1, that they desired an increase in wages to 32 cents per hour, and also an eight hour day. A dispatch from Montpelier says the manufacturers favor the eight-hour day, but are almost unanimous against increasing wages.

Forgery of Label.

John Mashnichka, a Weymouth cigar manufacturer, was arrested by Officer Butler on Wednesday evening upon complaint of officers of the Cigar Makers Union, for the unauthorized affixing and use of label, and the sale of goods unlawfully. The complaint was in three counts. The first charged him with using a forged label of the Cigarmakers International Union; the second with selling to Soloman Smith a box of cigars with a counterfeit label, and the third was for affixing a counterfeit label to a box of cigars. He was also arraigned upon a similar complaint sworn out by Benjamin Smith. The cases will be heard Saturday.

The Soldiers' Christmas.

The Thanksgiving dinner of Co. K cost $45, and the Daily Ledger is trying to raise as much more for a Christmas feast. The subscriptions today include:

From a friend, $3

PREVIOUSLY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
T. O'Brine,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
A. W. Stetson,	1
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W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
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TODAY'S COURT.

P. Erastus Loud was arraigned for being a vagrant at Weymouth and was sent to the State farm at Bridgewater.

Patrick McDonough was arraigned for the larceny of underclothing to the value of $7.54 from John Coyne at the boarding house of Perkins & White. Case continued until Saturday.

John Mashnichka was arraigned upon two complaints for the unauthorized affixing and use of a cigarmaker's label, and the sale of goods unlawfully. Cases continued until Saturday.

The continued case of Michael Linnenan for drunkenness at Quincy was called and again continued until Friday, that Linnenan might be examined as to his sanity.

—The police of Montreal have brought to light the fact that over $2,500,000 are spent every year in that city for lotteries.

☞ Parlor Stoves. 30 patterns to choose from. Good heaters too. $2.98 to $20.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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BORN.

NIGHTINGALE—In Quincy, Dec, 13, a son to Mr. and Mrs Fred E. Nightingale of 145 1-2 Granite Street.

MARRIED

BERGSTROM—SODERBLOM—In Quincy, Dec. 10, by Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, Mr. Carl A. Bergstrom to Miss Johanna C. Soderblom, both of Quincy.

DIED.

FITZPATRICK—In Milton, Dec. 14, Rose Fitzpatrick, aged 73 years.

MORRILL—In Milton, Dec. 14, Dolly Morrill, formerly of Roxbury.

$1.00 RIMLESS EYEGLASSES old elsewhere for $1.50 to $2.00. Eyes tested free by skilled opticians; no guesswork. Open evenings at the old stand, J. EDWARD WILSON'S, 14 and 15 Tremont row, Boston.

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Boston, Dec. 2. 1y

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Person's Tax Bill for 1898.

[Continued from yesterday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FOUR.

Valuation of Land Only.			Total Ward Tax.
Fegan, John, Blabkstone,			$2 70
10,578, Sheep rock, $150.			
Nimeskern, Hannah, Barre, Vt.,			32 40
8,060, Willard, $400.			
Clark, Barnabas, Boston,			73 35
32,862,	Prospect hill,	1,025.	
8,500,	Smith,	250.	
7,454,	Dean,	150.	
4 3-4 acres,	land of Swithin,	275.	
11.39 "	" " Hall,	2,000.	
4,690,	Smith,	225.	
Babcock, Charles L. tr., Boston,			5 40
4,966, Robertson, $300.			
Braintree Red Gr. Co., Boston,			36 00
6 acres, Common, $2,000.			
Chisholm, C., Boston,			5 40
4,820, off Common, $300.			
Doherty, Margaret M., Boston,			27 00
10,040, Willard, $500.			
Falvey, Margaret, Boston,			57 15
5,000	Smith,	$250.	
325,	"	25.	
5,000,	Prospect hill,	200.	
Fanning, Michael, Boston,			27 90
25,000, Willard, $1,250.			
Flanders, Oliver H., Boston,			216 00
13 3-4 acres, Bryant ave., $12,000.			
Forsberg, John O., Boston,			3 60
5,500, Station, $200.			
Lombard, Samuel, Boston,			31 50
36,795, Hillside park, $650.			
Granite Railway Co., Boston,			1991 25
109,716,	Bryant ave.,	$4,000.	
39,440,	" "	1,200.	
23.79 acres,	at quarry,	75,000.	
4 "	at office,	2,400.	
1.3 "	Willard,	2,500.	
24,740,	Bryant ave.,	1,200.	
1 1-2 acres,	off Gannett,	300.	
9,000,	Rooney Lot,	275.	
1.2 acres,	near quarry,	50.	
Mack, Annie E., Boston,			5 40
7,215, off West, $300.			
Lowell, George F., Boston,			8 10
14 acres near Braintree line, $450.			
Parsons Charles S., Boston,			65 70
11,050, Robertson, $650.			
Roberts, Eliza M., Boston,			14 40
9,436, off Quarry, $300.			
Old Colony R. R. Co., Boston,			219 60
5,980,	near depot,	$400.	
11,000,	Belknap, square	1,100.	
5,100,	of Badger,	500.	
26,324,	Furnace ave,	1,000.	
15 acres,	off Nightingale,	3,500.	
25,500,	off Robertson,	2,000.	
1,360,	Belknap square,	500.	
7,000,	Engine house lot,	500.	
Oriental Powder Mills, Boston,			36 00
1-4 acre, $200.			
Porter, Alexander S., Boston,			360 00
26 acres, off Grove, $20,000.			
Swan, J. Edward, Boston,			37 80
5,702, Hillside, $200.			
Upham, Eliza, Boston,			24 30
10,896, Hayden, $500.			
Williams, Rt. Rev. J. J., Boston,			97 20
22,770, Crescent, $2,000.			
39,402,	"	$2,000.	

To be continued.

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A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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Quincy Dec 1.

SAXONY SANTA CLAUS

HANS RUPPERT WALKS ALL THE WAY FROM RUSSIA.

A Great, Gallant Figure, With Top Boots and Mighty Pack—Christmas Customs of the Fatherland—Procession on Christmas Eve.

Hans Ruppert is the name of the Santa Claus of Saxony given by the simple, pious peasantry. "Hans Ruppert will arrive tonight!" the children of Saxony cry all along the dear, darkening twilight of Christmas eve, as they flatten their little Saxon noses against the cottage window panes, peering out along the winter roads for "our Hans Ruppert." "Hans Ruppert is coming tonight!" say the simple hearted grown up folk to one another, a people who have one evening in the winter twilight of their hard, stern lives when it will be all glow and glamour and froth of fun.

Hans Ruppert comes from Russia, from its silent mysteries of steppe and of snows. But he is not a Slav. Hans Ruppert is not the traditional Santa Claus of the Teuton land—a jolly old man with curly beard and winking smile. "Hans Ruppert is a tall, brawny, peasant looking fellow," say the good Saxony folk with a sublime earnestness as if they had seen him. Hans Ruppert has muscles minted from their own brave life of gray toil. Hans Ruppert walks all the way from afar, from the Asiatic Russland and, at every step he takes toward the Caucasus chain, at every stride up and up, still up the ledges of its rock and bluff and brae, across its brawling streams, now down on the other side of its stern shoulder shadowed in the star calm, at every pace past the Russian villages twinkling through the night mists like sparklets struck off from the czar crown way off there above the Neva, as he foots it grandly—this great, grand, gallant Hans Ruppert—his top boots that at the beginning of the long Christmas march reached only below the knee, grow taller and taller, still higher—until when he hears the Rhein-strom murmur and the golden voice above the Lorelei rock, and at last at the gates of Berlin sees the mighty gleam of the army of the vaterland, the Hans Ruppertish boots are up to the loins, cuirassier fashion, accordion wrinkled and mirror in their mighty polish the very "Sword of My Illustrious Grandfather!" And Hans Ruppert stands a grenadier, one of the sacred bodyguard around an emperor, stands with star on breast and double headed eagle on helmet, stands a mighty ghost to deal death to the foes of vaterland—until next Christmas.

On his back, through all his long trudge tonight, Hans Ruppert carries his pack. It is a pack of good things. Thou hast no Christmas tree within that mighty bundle, Hans! The peasant children have made the tree all ready for Hans in the diligent purchase from their little Saxon pfennige on the market day. Hans Ruppert brings the garments for the Christmas tree. Here in his pack is the Christ child's hair, the gold and silver filigree which Hans will twist across the branches with his own brawny hands. Here are the candles, the Christ child's eyes, and the toys and the gifts, "the blessings that drop from the hands of Baby Jesus."

And now the procession forms at 8 o'clock on Christmas eve to go to see what Hans Ruppert has brought to the little family. The procession begins with grandfather and grandmother, on whose seamed and yellowed cheeks glistens the gentle tear of age. Then follow the father and the mother and the unwedded uncles and aunts, and now the children, according to age and size, who are awed in anticipation of "our Hans Ruppert" on the other side of that door toward which the procession is now moving. They stand up on tiptoe and peer behind father's stalwart frame, rebuked by das mutterchen, with a solid Saxon cuff on the unwilling ear. "Ach, mutterchen, it's heilige Nacht!" pleads the father, and mother moderates. Here are the servants of the household, wearing their good Christmas starch of check apron stiffness. How it stands out in its buckram beauty! If it were possible—which the dear Herr Gardener of us all forfend—the apple cheeks of the good house girl glow with a more fruity glisten as she gazes down upon the spheric circumference of starch. The housemaid's smile is laundered, too, and it never leaves her lips until that mysterious door off there is opened by grandfather's trembling old hand, and now some one in the Christmas procession has struck the sweet, resonant, prolonging chords of the zither, and the hymn rises as one "pure concert" along the whole of the household's heart:

O heilige Nacht!
Stille Nacht!

The door is thrown open, and only the stalwart spirits—the Erdgeiste who guard the scallops and volutes of the Teutonic verb—can comprehend the meander and the meaning of the family's exclamations now. Hans Ruppert has done it all! Hans Ruppert has done it all! The tree glistens into gracious charm. It is the aurora of the Divine Child.

And then the good Saxon muscles fall to, and fall, too, on supper. Now, the supper is a sweet feature of this great evening 1897. For only once a year does the marzipan come round—marzipan, that dear cake, crusted with powdered almonds. Only once a year does "stoken" come round, that dearest cake with raisins—raisins plucked by Hans Ruppert in that faroff mystery—raisins that grew and hadn't anything to do with sour grapes.

But the supper passes, and the night is deepening. The eyes of childhood are drooping. The family rises and again circles the Christmas tree, hand in hand now, perhaps for the last time on earth. Who can foresee the years? May the dear Christ child guard us all!—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

WANTED.

WANTED—A good second-hand covered grocery wagon for cash or would exchange second-hand democrat wagon, in good condition. V. E. MILLER, Brook street, Wollaston. Dec. 15—3t

WANTED—A girl with some experience for general housework. Apply at No. 14 Bigelow street.

Quincy, Dec. 12. tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Very cheap. One 2 H. P. Shipman Oil Engine. A lot of Builder's Brackets. Call at 29 Arlington street, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 15—6t

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street.

Nov. 9. tf

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TWO Seated Sleigh in good order. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street.

Quincy, Dec. 2. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—At No. 18 Park avenue, a single house of 6 large rooms, with bath room, furnace, etc. The house is in fine condition, beautifully situated, and in good neighborhood. Apply to S. SCAMMELL, 46 Quincy avenue.

Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street.

Quincy, Nov. 7. tf

TO LET—Cottage house, No. 29 Granite street, 8 rooms, three minutes' from City Square. Apply to H. M. FAXON, 4 Adams Building. Sept. 30—tf

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Oct. 1. tf

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Quincy, July 15. tf

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Quincy, Oct. 8. pl tf

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MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Frank A. Noyes to the Wollaston Co-operative Bank, dated July 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 792, page 469, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the premises therein described, on FRIDAY, the 30th day of December, 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, viz.:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, called "Montclair" and being Lot numbered Fifty-one (51) on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated March 16, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 664, and bounded; Northerly by lot numbered Fifty-two (52) on said plan, one hundred eighty-six 4-10 (186.4) feet; easterly by a curved line at the junction of Montclair avenue and Pope street, fifty-six and 46-100 (56.46) feet; southerly by lot numbered Fifty (50) on said plan, one hundred eighty-four and 3-10 (184.3) feet, and westerly by land of owners unknown twenty-five (25) feet, containing seven thousand five hundred and fifteen (7,515) square feet, being a part of the same premises conveyed to said Frank A. Noyes by Arthur D. McClellan, by his deed dated Oct. 12, 1896, and recorded with said deeds, Book 770, Page 564, and being subject to the restrictions therein set forth.

The premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes thereon. $100 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the sale; other terms to be made known at the sale.

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This art calendar is equal to those usually sold at the leading art, book and stationery stores for 50c. to $1.00, and can be obtained through your grocer **free of charge** by purchasing 25c. worth of Fairbank's FAIRY SOAP, unequalled for toilet, bath and fine laundry purposes. As the calendar alone is worth more than the amount of purchase of FAIRY SOAP required to obtain it, you get either the soap or the calendar for nothing, a very liberal offer either way you look at it. *This calendar can be obtained in no other way*, and is practically a handsome and valuable gift to users of FAIRY SOAP. Don't fail to get a copy. If your grocer does not keep FAIRY SOAP, write us.

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Nov. 10. tf

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CONFEDERATE DEAD.

President McKinley's Tribute Deeply Moves Hearts of Southerners.

Georgia Warmly Welcomes the Chief Executive.

General Wheeler Also the Recipient of a Most Hearty Greeting.

Atlanta, Dec. 15.—It was exactly 8 o'clock when the train bearing President McKinley and party, who are to attend the peace jubilee, entered the depot in Atlanta. A large crowd was present, in spite of the cold weather, and a rousing cheer went up as the train came to a standstill.

The president made memorable the first day of the jubilee by a notable utterance in his speech before the joint session of the legislature yesterday afternoon. His reception by the general assembly was warm and hearty in the extreme, and his speech was interrupted with frequent outbursts of cheering. It is admitted on all sides that the event marked an epoch in history, and it is on every lip.

Upon the president's arrival at the capitol he was greeted with a field artillery salute and was at once escorted to Governor Candler's office. There a short informal reception took place. Upon its conclusion the president was conducted to the assembly chamber, where he occupied the speaker's chair with Governor Candler on his right. When President Dobson of the senate called the legislature to order the galleries were thronged with men and women. The body of the chamber was well filled with state senators and assemblymen, while the uniforms of various officers and the governor's staff gave a touch of brilliant color to the gathering.

The speaker rapped for silence and introduced the president to the audience, after congratulating the state of Georgia upon the presence of their distinguished guests. As the president rose, the audience applauded. During the course of his short speech Mr. McKinley constantly paused for the cheers to stop.

A scene of intense enthusiasm followed when, amid impressive silence, these words fell upon the lips of the president:

"Every soldier's grave made during the Civil war is a tribute to American valor. And while, when these graves were made we differed widely about the future of the government, those differences were long ago settled by the arbitrament of arms—and the time has now come in the evolution of sentiment and feeling, under the providence of God, when in the spirit of fraternity we should share with you in the care of the graves of the Confederate soldiers."

A wild cheer went up from every throat in the typical southern audience, a cheer that echoed and reached through the chamber until it was taken up by the crowds outside. Old men who fought for the south rose from their seats and waved their hats. One Confederate veteran, now a venerable legislator, had passed forward until he was leaning against the speaker's desk, hanging on each word the president uttered. When the reference was made to the Confederate dead, this old man buried his head in his arms and, while cheers rang out, cried like a child. Of all the many conciliatory speeches which have been made since Grant said: "Let there be peace," nothing has more deeply stirred a southern audience than the simple words of President McKinley yesterday afternoon.

No sooner had President McKinley concluded than there were loud cries for Wheeler, and when that little man got up, his head scarcely higher than the speaker's desk, the audience once more gave vent to wild enthusiasm. General Wheeler referred eulogistically to the efforts of the president towards preserving peace as long as the country's honor would permit such efforts and of his masterful policy after it was inevitable. General Wheeler paid a tribute to Admiral Dewey, and added: "The army, in conjunction with the navy, was ordered to attack and destroy the Spanish forces in Santiago. In four weeks that order was obeyed and its purpose accomplished. The proud Spanish nation stood suing for peace from the nation which a month before it had held up to ridicule and scorn."

Calls for Brigadier General Young brought that officer to his feet with a short speech regarding the condition of the army camps in the south. He said that no troops in the world were better, more regally fed and treated than were the troops in South Carolina and Georgia.

General Lawton was loudly cheered, but refused to make a speech. He simply thanked on behalf of his men at Santiago the legislature and people of Georgia for their tribute to himself.

Secretary Alger refused to speak and the legislature dissolved.

The president held a private reception in the senate and afterward a public reception on the steps of the rotunda. There were hundreds of southerners crushed and jostled by each other in their anxiety to shake a northern president's hand. Many had come from miles distant, and at 2:15 p. m., when the president left the capitol, there were still hundreds bitterly disappointed because they had not been able to make their way through the surging throng to get a second hold on his hands.

The day's festivities included a unique floral parade, which was reviewed by the president, and a festival last night to the distinguished guests at the Capitol City club.

Hutchinson Elected.

Boston, Dec. 15.—The grand lodge of Masons re-elected Grand Master C. C. Hutchinson of Lowell and all the other officers yesterday. The lodge voted to strongly condemn the action of the Washington grand lodge in permitting the formation of a colored grand lodge, and urged its reconsideration.

He Couldn't Eat

Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 15.—Alonzo Noyes of Chelsea, aged 67, died yesterday afternoon. On Saturday a piece of meat lodged in his throat, and his thorax became so swollen and inflamed that he was unable to eat a particle of food.

NOT A PUBLIC MENACE.

National Board of Trade Believes In Commercial Combinations.

Washington, Dec. 15.—At yesterday's meeting of the national board of trade the committee on the control of monopolies reported the following:

"Resolved, That combinations of persons and capital tending to the increase or decrease of prices of articles required for general public use and which shall stifle full and free competition are to be deprecated.

"Resolved, That so far as it may be consistent with full liberty of trade, congress is hereby requested to use its power to prevent such combinations."

Mr. Halpin said that while personally he profited from trusts, yet he saw that they were a public menace and should be restrained. The resolution was lost, 19 to 25.

Republican Editors Elect Officers.

Boston, Dec. 15.—The Republican Editorial association, at its meeting here yesterday, elected these officers: President, W. H. Cook of the Milford Journal; vice president, Rev. A. E. Winship of The Journal of Education; treasurer, J. O. Hayden of the Somerville Journal; corresponding secretary, A. M. Bridgman of the Stoughton Record; recording secretary, C. J. McPherson of the South Framingham News; executive committee, C. B. Doten of the Plymouth Advocate; J. S. Smith of the Rockland Standard; C. S. Parker of the Arlington Advocate; C. L. McCleery of the Lowell Mail; R. S. Barrows of the Jamaica Plain News; E. H. Pierce of the Revere Journal. The association was reported to be in a most satisfactory condition with an increasing membership, and a balance in its treasury.

Too Hot For Bostonian.

New London, Conn., Dec. 15.—Dan Murphy of Waterbury, champion middleweight of Connecticut, who was matched with Jimmie Gallagher of Boston, reputed middleweight champion of Massachusetts, for a 20-round bout here last night, got the decision in the seventh round. The bout was for the New England championship at 154 pounds, but both men appeared overweight. The event was a slugging match. In the seventh round, which lasted only one minute and a half, Gallagher was floored three times, and was saved being knocked out by his seconds throwing up the sponge.

Eight More Saved.

Baltimore, Dec. 15.—A happy sequel to the arrival here a week ago of the British steamship Vedamore with 45 survivors of the wrecked British steamship Londonian, was the passing of Cape Henry yesterday of the North German Lloyd line steamship Maria Rickmers, which signalled that she had eight of the Londonian's crew aboard. The Rickmers should have arrived here last Sunday, and her being overdue caused considerable anxiety in shipping circles. Like the Vedamore, it now turns out that she was detained while rendering heroic assistance to the luckless men of the Londonian.

Search Abandoned.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 15.—The expedition in command of Lieutenant Halpine of the hydrographic office in Boston, which for three days has been searching for traces of wrecks on the tip end of Cape Cod, that of the steamer Portland among them, has been abandoned and has returned to Boston. The tugs Gallison and Chesterton have also sailed for Boston. According to the best information obtainable absolutely nothing of importance was obtained in the three days' search between Race Point and High Head. The report of Lieutenant Halpine will be forwarded to Washington.

Too Fond of Toddy.

Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 15.—The Schenectady classis of the Dutch Reformed church met here yesterday to try Rev. T. C. Johnston on the charge of "lying" and drinking to excess. To the latter charge he pleaded guilty, and promised complete reformation. The verdict of the classis was that he be suspended from the ministry for one year, pending proof of his reformation.

Russia's Eyes Opened.

Vienna, Dec. 15.—It is asserted here, from both St. Petersburg and London sources of information, that serious negotiations have been begun between Russia and Great Britain for the solution of the Chinese problem, Russia having arrived at the conclusion that it would be impossible to resist the now threatened co-operation of England, Germany, the United States and Japan.

Before the Cabinet.

Madrid, Dec. 15.—At the cabinet council yesterday the minister for foreign affairs read the text of the Hispano-American treaty. The council decided to consult Senor Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission, respecting the formalities of simultaneous publication in the two countries.

A Kentucky Tragedy.

Middlesboro, Ky., Dec. 15.—While Hunt Kesterson and Fred Berk were logging on Clinch river, in Lee county, Va., yesterday, S. P. Goin appeared, and without warning shot Kesterson, killing him instantly, and then fatally wounding Berk. The murderer escaped.

Two Little Ones Killed.

Baltimore, Dec. 15.—Mary and Edward Foster, colored, aged 3 and ½ years respectively, were suffocated yesterday at their home. They had been left in the house alone by their mother. In some way the children overturned a stove and set the house afire.

Politics and Race Issue.

Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 15.—Word has reached here of a riot at Taos, during which Alfred Gifford shot and killed Luciano Trujillo, sheriff of Taos county. It is asserted that politics and the race issue were at the bottom of the difficulty.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A dispatch from the Canary islands announces the arrival there of the Spanish steamer Villaverde, which left Havana on Nov. 30 with Marshal Ramon Blanco, former governor general of Cuba.

D. H. Brigham, proprietor of one of the largest clothing stores in Springfield, Mass., died of Bright's disease. Two months ago he celebrated the 50th anniversary of the establishment of his business.

James Murray was given five years in prison for snatching a pocketbook out of a woman's hand at Boston.

DEADLY GAS FUMES

Kill One Person and Cause Serious Sickness of Four Others.

Boston, Dec. 15.—A sad case of asphyxiation by coal gas occurred in the Dorchester district yesterday afternoon, resulting in the death of James O'Neil, 55, and the prostration of four other members of the family, who were only saved by hours of hard work by a physician. About 3:30 O'Neil came home and found his wife and three daughters suffering from the cold. Going into the basement, he started a fire in the furnace, partially filling it with rubbish, upon which he piled a quanitty of coal. He then went upstairs. After supper his daughter Katie, aged 15, complained of being ill, and about 7:30 she fainted. Being alarmed, O'Neil went for a doctor. The doctor, on his arrival, found Katie unconscious on the floor and all the others ill. He at once gave his attention to the girl, and, while working over her, O'Neil, who had been sitting in a chair near by, fell unconscious to the floor. The doctor went to his assistance, but in spite of all he could do the man died in a few minutes. Katie was partially revived, and she, together with her mother, and sisters Jennie, 13, and Sarah, 6, were taken to the city hospital. They are all reported to be doing well and will probably fully recover.

Receiver Asked For.

Trenton, Dec. 15.—Application has been made to Chancellor McGill for the appointment of a receiver for the Great White Spirit company, an organization established under the laws of New Jersey The application is made by the American Surety company of New York and the Atlas National bank of Boston. The application declares that the company is insolvent, with liabilities of $974,929, and assets of $306,683. It is claimed in the application that the company has done no business since 1895, except to rent out a wharf in Boston at a rent of $25,000. It is charged that Richard C. Sibley, the president of the company, and his co-directors are receiving this rent and appropriating it to their own use. It is further declared that Sibley is financially irresponsible. The chancellor has made an order for the company and Sibley to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed.

Worried Into Suicide.

South Norwalk, Conn., Dec. 15.—Despondent because he was out of work and worried by domestic troubles, Francis P. McLaughlin committed suicide by hanging himself to a rafter in the garret of his home. He was under a suspended sentence to appear in court yesterday for assaulting his wife a month ago. She appeared instead, and asked for a warrant for her husband for threatening to kill her. When she went home, accompanied by a police officer, she found her husband hanging.

Many Victims of Cannibals.

Brussels, Dec. 15.—Advices received here from the governor of Upper Congo confirm the news brought by the steamer Leopoldville from Africa that four Belgian traders had been killed and eaten by the natives of Upper Uhanghi. The governor adds that the traders' escort of 30 soldiers were also massacred, and that another detachment of 40 soldiers, in charge of two white officers, who were proceeding to the assistance of the traders, were surprised by the natives and all were put to death.

Testimony All In.

Philadelphia, Dec. 15.—The members of the court martial who for two weeks past have been engaged in hearing evidence on the charges against Naval Constructor Hanscom of allowing workmen at League island too much pay for overtime, were in session yesterday discussing the testimony that has been submitted. The finding of the court will not be known until given out by the navy department. It may be two or three days before the court reaches a decision.

Held For Larceny.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 15.—Herman K. Chase of New York, said to be a former resident of many other places, who is under arrest here charged with shoplifting on an extensive scale, was arraigned yesterday on two additional counts charging him with larceny. He was held in $500 on each count. The police assert that they are accumulating evidence connecting Chase with operations in many cities throughout the country.

Moralists may prate, and doctors prose, and science shout from the housetop, but just so long as the birds sing and the flowers bloom, and a maiden's lips are cherry-red, and a young man's eyes look love, just so long the lads and lassies will kiss—and kiss again.

And where, good men, is the harm if the kissers and kissees be healthy, and true love stands sponsor. It is only when ill-health has blasted the sweet cleanliness of youth that death lurks upon its lips. The deadly germs of dread consumption are as harmless as June-time butterflies to the young man or woman who is thoroughly clean, sweet and healthy in every fiber and tissue. The germs of disease only attack that which is already partly decayed.

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Minstrel Moran Dead.

Philadelphia, Dec. 15.—Frank Moran, one of the most widely known minstrels in this country, died yesterday at the German hospital, aged 73 years. His death was due primarily to an attack of the grippe. He had been before the public as a minstrel for half a century. He was one of the founders of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks. His wife, formerly Miss Jessie Millar, the burlesque actress, survives him.

May Remove Restrictions.

Berlin, Dec. 15.—There seems to be a prospect of the removal in the near future of the restrictions placed upon American insurance companies in Prussia. Upon the request of one of the largest companies, the minister of the interior has decided to send two representatives to New York to investigate whether the Americans are able to comply with the conditions of the Prussian authorities.

Finneran Seeks a Pardon.

Boston, Dec. 15.—Governor Wolcott yesterday sent to District Attorney Stevens the papers in the case of Thomas F. Finneran, an ex-contractor now serving sentence for falsely obtaining money in the paving department of the city, who has petitioned for pardon. Finneran was sentenced to 28 months and fined $1400 in June, 1897.

Dividend of Fifty Percent.

Boston, Dec. 15.—Judge Knowlton in the supreme court approved the report of the receivers of the Framingham Savings bank, and they are authorized to pay a dividend of 50 percent to the depositors. The liabilities to the depositors are $829,179. This is not the final report of the receivers.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:08; sets, 4:13.
Moon sets—8:16 p. m.
High water—1 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.

At this time slowly rising temperature seems certain during the remainder of the week, and it also promises to continue fair and generally clear, with southwest winds.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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3 O'CLOCK.

THE SHARON DISASTER

Jury Declares That Engineer Getchell Is Guilty of Manslaughter.

Defendant Gives His Version of the Accident.

Admits Seeing Danger Signals, but Claims That Brakes Failed to Work.

Dedham, Mass., Dec. 16.—The jury in the case of Engineer Daniel W. Getchell, charged with manslaughter in connection with the Hyde Park disaster, after 50 minutes' deliberation yesterday afternoon, brought in a verdict of guilty. The case will be taken to the full bench on exceptions.

The jury retired at 3:50 o'clock and were back in the courtroom at 5:40. There were few there awaiting them, as it was thought that it would take all night to reach a verdict.

As the foreman arose to give his verdict, Getchell stood in his place outwardly, at least, as cool as the judge on the bench, and when the verdict was announced he sat down, apparently unmoved.

Judge Sherman, after the receipt of the verdict, said: "I am bound to say that you could not properly come to any other conclusion. The case is very clear. Attorney Grover made quite an ingenious defense. This case has been one of the fairest in my experience. I know, gentlemen, that you have feelings of reluctance in rendering a verdict of this nature, but I feel that you have done your duty. However, I do not think that the defendant purposely did anything wrong."

Judge Sherman, in closing, cited a number of cases of negligence which had come under his observation.

One of the jurors said that the verdict was reached on the third ballot, the voting having stood each time as follows:

First ballot—Guilty, 9; not guilty, 3.
Second ballot—Guilty, 11; not guilty, 1.
Third ballot—Guilty, 12; not guilty, 0.

When Judge Grover called the defendant to the stand there was a general craning of necks, and the jury settled in its seats preparatory to giving him its most careful attention.

Mr. Getchell was as calm as any member of the jury as he took the stand, and throughout his testimony, even under the cross examination of District Attorney Harris, he maintained the demeanor that one would expect of an engineer who stood by the throttle in the face of death, as he did at Sharon after his fireman had jumped.

He reviewed his railroad work and described the trip from Mansfield on the fatal night. When near Sharon Heights, he said, he applied the brakes lightly, then shut off steam. When within a short distance of the Sharon depot he saw a red light and put on the air, but the brakes failed to hold. He then applied the emergency check, and when that failed him, he reversed. When he applied the brakes his train was making about 40 miles an hour.

This concluded the evidence, and at the afternoon session Judge Grover made his closing argument. He held that Getchell was in charge of a strange engine, and that it was the first time he had ever had occasion to apply the emergency brake; that Getchell was not to blame for the failure of the air brakes to hold; or for the failure of the emergency checks to do their work within the allotted time.

For the government, Mr. Harris reviewed the law governing criminal negligence, and argued that the negligence in Getchell's case consisted of a palpable disregard for danger signals. He contended that the brakes of the train were in working order.

The government claimed that Getchell wilfully ignored the properly-set danger signals and ran into the train which he knew to be standing at Sharon or due to be there.

The defense did not deny that the danger signals were set, but claimed that the air brakes refused to work, and that Getchell, who was not responsible for the faulty condition of the brakes, did everything in his power to stop his train when he saw the red light of the train ahead of him.

A Brotherly Spirit.

Havana, Dec. 16.—While a detachment of the Second Illinois regiment was at breakfast yesterday on the San Jose wharf, the men invited a detachment of the Spanish guard to join them. The invitation was accepted, mutual compliments passing in sign language. Two battalions of the regiment marched yesterday to Quemados camp. From the houses along the route girls ran out to pin ribbons on the soldiers and to wreathe their hats with flowers. General Lee's headquarters, an old mansion in the center of beautiful grounds, the women filled with roses.

Criminal Suit Brought.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 16.—William T. True, superintendent of public buildings, who was suspended from office by the mayor, and Edward D. Murphy are now defendants in a criminal suit brought by the commonwealth on charges of obtaining money from the city under false pretences. Murphy appeared in the police court yesterday and pleaded not guilty. He was held under bonds of $800 for trial. True was too ill to appear, and the case was postponed till Dec. 22.

☞ Glenwood Ranges. Cost no more than the other sort. $18.00 to $33.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

CALVIN S. BRICE DEAD.

Until Recently He Was One of the Leaders of the Democracy.

New York, Dec. 16.—Hon. Calvin S. Brice died of pneumonia at 3:15 o'clock yesterday at his residence in this city, 693 Fifth avenue.

Mr. Brice contracted a severe cold one week ago. On Friday last he went down town to his office, returning home in a suffering condition. On Saturday last he took to his bed, and grew steadily worse until yesterday afternoon, when he died.

At his bedside were his wife, two daughters and two sons, Captain Stewart M. Brice and John F. Brice, the latter a student at Harvard university. Another son, Kirkpatrick Brice, is now with Admiral Dewey at Manila. The family physician was also at the bedside when death came.

CALVIN S. BRICE.

Calvin S. Brice was a native of Ohio, and was born in 1845. He was the son of a Presbyterian minister. Three years before the Civil war he entered Miami university, but in 1861 he enlisted in a university company for the war. He served in West Virginia in the Eighty-sixth Ohio infantry. In 1863 he graduated from the university and after teaching school a few months he became captain of a company in the One Hundred and Eighth Ohio and served till the end of the war. He then went to the Ann Arbor, Mich., law school, and was afterwards admitted to the bar in Cincinnati. He took an active interest in politics, and in the campaign of 1876 he was electoral candidate on the Tilden ticket and again on the Cleveland ticket in 1884. In 1888 he was a delegate at large to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis, where the Ohio delegation chose him as a member of the national committee. He was chairman of the executive committee during the 1888 campaign, and on the death of William H. Barnum was elected chairman of the Democratic national committee.

In the winter of 1890 Mr. Brice was elected United States senator from Ohio to succeed Henry B. Payne, and took his seat March 4, 1891. In the senate, Mr. Brice became a prominent figure. He was soon made a member of the Democratic steering committee and became also a member of the committee on appropriations.

Mr. Brice seldom spoke in the senate, but he was a close observer of everything that was going on and was always deep in the councils of the party. Mr. Brice served six years in the senate, being succeeded by Mr. Foraker. In Washington he occupied the Corcoran House and gave lavish entertainments. Until the Democratic party adopted free silver as a cardinal principle, Mr. Brice was the leader in his party in Ohio, but after that he did not take an active part in politics.

Glut of Grain at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Dec. 16.—The grain blockade at this port continues, and is unprecedented. At noon yesterday 80 large steamers were in the river, waiting to be unloaded or frozen in. They carry about 9,000,000 bushels of grain, while in the different elevators 7,000,000 bushels are at present stored. This total of 16,000,000 bushels of grain afloat and temporarily in store is a record breaker of the first dimension. Ice is forming too rapidly to permit any of the boats attempting another trip up the lakes.

Killed Her Husband.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—The jury in the case of Cordelia Poisier, accused of the murder of her husband, Isidore Coirier, on Nov. 27, 1897, brought in a verdict of guilty last evening, and the prisoner was immediately sentenced to be hanged on March 10. The trial of the woman's accomplice, Samuel Parslow, who, it is alleged, killed Poirier, at his wife's instigation, will now be proceeded with. The defense will attempt to prove that Parslow was hypnotized by Mrs. Poirier.

A New Railway.

Millbury, Mass., Dec. 16.—The new electric road from Grafton to Worcester was formally opened yesterday, the first car over the line being filled with officials of Grafton, Millbury and Worcester, who were the guests of the officials of the road. The cars began running on regular time today, the route being through North Grafton, Millbury Junction to Grafton street, Worcester, where the line connects with the Consolidated street railway for all parts of the city.

Assets Nil.

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 16.—Whitten McDonald, manager of the old fruit farm in Howell county, and formerly a banker in Kansas City, and former owner of the Kansas City Times, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. The petition, which alleges that most of his assets are worthless, places the liabilities at $168,158. His creditors are scattered in all parts of the east.

MANY PEOPLE CANNOT DRINK

coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

TOWED INTO HALIFAX.

Atlantic's Terrible Experience at Sea While Drifting About.

Spent Four Dreary Days on Nantucket Shoals.

Picked Up by the Eddystone and Losf, and Finally Saved by the Elton.

Halifax, Dec. 16.—The British tramp steamer Atlantic, Captain Inwood, was towed into this port by the British steamer Elton, Captain Ramsay, from Baltimore to Queenstown, yesterday, after a thrilling experience seldom paralleled in the history of navigation on the Atlantic ocean. The Atlantic presented a sorry sight as she passed up the harbor. Her decks and houses had a battered appearance and her steel sides bore evidences of the terrific onslaught of the wind and seas as she rolled helpless in the deep.

Leaving Swansea Nov. 17, the Atlantic was caught in a gale Nov. 30 and Dec. 1, during which her tailshaft was carried away and her machinery damaged. She was finally taken in tow by the steamer Eddystone. The vessels continued in tow for 18 hours, when the hawsers broke near the bend and the Atlantic drifted away. Three hours later she was again taken in tow and the two steamers proceeded through the storm until 5:30 p. m. Dec. 5, when the hawser snapped and the Atlantic was driven out of sight in the storm. She was then 50 miles west of Nantucket shoals, and, laboring very heavily, drifted on the sands, finally coming to anchor in 10 fathoms of water at 6 p. m.

Rockets were sent up to attract attention, and at 8 o'clock the following morning a United States revenue cutter was spoken. The Atlantic was preparing to weigh anchor to drift southward with the tide, but acting on the advice of the captain of the cutter. Captain Inwood decided to wait at anchor for assistance. He veered to 70 fathoms of water, and at 3 p. m., Dec. 8, sighted a steamer, which however did not respond to the Atlantic's signal of distress. The disabled vessel remained at anchor, continually showing distress signals until 6 a. m., Dec. 9, when she started to weigh anchor, but was compelled to desist owing to the violence of the gale and the terrific seas. At 10 a. m., however, she hoisted anchor and stood away to the south, as she was then lying at a very dangerous anchorage and completely out of the track of passing steamers. Fresh gales with snow squalls followed, and the steamer drifted under a foretopsail and jib 120 miles to the southeast, encountering terrible weather, which tossed the ship severely and threatened her with disaster. At 2 p. m. on the 11th the captain tried to wear ship, but she would not answer the helm, and she was hove to under bare poles.

A hard gale with seas which poured over the craft came, and an anxious night followed, during which it was feared that the steamer would go down in the awful storm. During the night the Atlantic bore down upon another steamer, which was showing signals of distress. Captain Inwood sent up rockets, but no answer was made by the other unfortunate craft. This strange craft showed two red lights and was last seen a few miles away from the position where the Atlantic was picked up by the Elton. The position given was latitude 39.12 north, longitude 67.23, and it is believed that the distressed ship may have been the overdue Star liner Matteawan.

On Dec. 8 word came from Nantucket to the effect that the British steamship Atlantic was anchored on Nantucket shoals, with her shaft broken, and that she required immediate assistance. The captain of the Atlantic said he had drifted all over the ocean in the then recent gales, and the unmanageable condition of his ship made her safety a matter of considerable doubt. The vessel sustained a terrible buffeting in the gale of Sunday, Dec. 4. The engineers at that time had been working night and day for 160 hours, trying to repair the fractured shaft.

On Dec. 9 the ocean tug Storm King left Boston to assist the steamship, but did not succeed in finding her. Later the tugs Underwriter and Mercury joined in the search, but on Dec. 12 they all put into Vineyard Haven and reported that they were unable to locate her. She had mysteriously disappeared.

Ghastly Relics of Disaster.

Highland Light, Mass., Dec. 16.—Surfman Holden of the High Head station found the lower part of a human leg with a stocking and shoe on the foot at 11 o'clock last night. This was the second fragment of human flesh washed ashore yesterday, and indicate that the gruesome story of the ship Jason wreck may be repeated. At that time no bodies from the Jason came ashore, but a week later human fragments were repeatedly washed upon the beach near Peaked Hill bars.

Saved Three Men.

Glasgow, Dec. 16.—Steamer Sarmatian, from Portland, Me., rescued and brought to port three members of the crew of the Nova Scotia schooner Annie G, which sailed from Bridgetown, N. S., for New York, and was previously reported sighted abandoned on Dec. 4. The captain and a seaman had been washed overboard and drowned previous to the rescue.

May Be Blown Up.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Dec. 16.—Efforts to save the steamer Fairfax, ashore on Sow and Pigs' ledge, at the entrance to Vineyard sound, has been abandoned by the wrecking company, the continued heavy weather of the past two weeks having used her up. An effort will be made to blow up her decks to save the cargo.

☞ Read Saturday's Ledger.

Did You Ever Notice

How ridiculous some things in newspapers really are when you get them sifted down. A man took a number of Boston papers last Sunday and sat down to read the news. He read a little news but the ad's were so big he began to look them over and then he began to study the cuts. He found, according to the pictures, he could buy wooden toothpicks that were longer than a step-ladder. He found that he could buy a pair of ladies' shoes for $1 48 that were as large as the whole lady in the next picture, who wore a Russian seal sacque reduced for this occasion to $3.27. He found that he could buy a coal hod for 13c. that was twice as large as a ton of coal for $2.71 (may be that was no joke). He found he could buy chairs for 63c. that were as large as a whole bed room set for $9 37, and the more he looked at the pictures the more pictures he looked at. The pictures are not the only delusions in the Boston newspapers these days—are not the only things that look big in print which dwindle when you strike reality.

There have been Overcoats shown in Boston that looked big in print for $7.48 that were worth only $5.00.

There are Overcoats sold in Boston for $10.00 that look like $20.00 ones in print, but $7.50 buys as good a one of us.

The Quincy Clothing Co. has in nine months shown that it is not necessary to talk big---to DO big counts more.

We have lived down all sorts of exaggeration in advertising, and have seen our business increase day by day simply and solely because what we put in print were usually bigger when you saw them in the store than they were in print.

Today we open our line of Christmas Ties, Mufflers, Suspenders and Umbrellas, and Handkerchiefs "made by the maids of Japan" with initials for 10c. Think of a girl in Japan making a handkerchief to be blowed in Quincy, Norfolk County, Mass., U. S. A., Earth.

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BOSTON BARGAINS

Are often worthless, and many times we have seen bargain prices quoted on watches that were actually higher than our regular every day prices. Our stock is as large as that of any two stores in Norfolk County.

All Prices, from $3.00 Up.

A Written Guarantee with Every Watch Sold.

We have them for Boys and Girls, Ladies and Gentlemen, in Nickel, Silver, Gold Filled and Solid Gold.

No Trouble to Show Goods,
WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT.

OUR STOCK OF SILVER WARE IS COMPLETE.

Tea Sets from $6 00 Up.

Napkin Rings, Shaving Mugs, Pickle, Berry, Cake and Butter Dishes, Castors, Ice Pitchers, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Child's Sets, Puff Boxes, Ladles, Button Hooks, Shoe Horns, Tooth Brushes, Nut Picks and Cracks, etc. Jewelry: Pins, Rings, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, etc.

OPERA GLASSES FROM $1.50 UP.

Pen Holders, Clocks, Fancy Figures, etc.

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Hardware, Paints and Oils, Putty and Glass, Yacht Supplies, Steam and Gas Fittings. Steam and Hot Air Heaters put in repair for the winter.

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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
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On Friday Dec. 16, 1898,
at 1.30 P. M., we will sell the
HOUSEHOLD GOODS,
consisting in part as follows: Parlor Cherry Suit of 3 pieces, Easy Chair, 3 Hair Cloth Chairs, Rocker, Couch, Black Walnut Sideboard, Hat Tree, Oval Gilt Frame Mirror, large Gilt Frame Mirror, 6 Cane Seat Chairs, Pictures, 3 Marble Top Tables, Arm Chair, 3 Rockers, Rattan Rocker, Carpets, 4 Bureaus in good order, Ash Chamber Set, Comforters, Sheets, 3 Single Beds, 4 Tables, 2 small Stands, 3 small Glasses, Mattresses, 3 Rugs, Commode Set, Curtains, Trunk, Tools, Crawford Range in good order, Glenwood Range, large size, in good order; Kitchen Utensils, large lot of Crockery worthy attention of buyers, Kitchen Table, 1 Hen Coop, and a variety of useful household goods.
Sale positive. Terms cash.

On Saturday, Dec. 17,
at 2 P. M., on the premises,
THE REAL ESTATE
will be sold. Large double house of 16 rooms, situated on corner of Pleasant and Quincy streets, frontage of 66 feet on Pleasant street and 100 feet on Quincy street. This house is well constructed and arranged for two families, in good condition with city water and furnace. Everything complete about the place, and the owner sells without reserve as he desires to close out his real estate in the city. Excellent chance for investment or to purchase for a home. Location the best in the city, near depot, electrics, and centre of business. Buyer can arrange easy terms if desired. House can be seen for inspection upon application to the auctioneer. Do not miss this chance to purchase desirable real estate at a public sale. Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed in ten days.

Also, 9 room Cottage in rear of this estate, No. 19 Quincy street, containing about 26,000 square feet of land. This is an excellent opportunity for a working man to obtain a home. The house is in good repair and will be sold without reserve.

Terms: $100 deposit at day of sale, balance on delivery of deed.
Sale positive. Terms easy.
Remember day and dates.
Dec. 8—8t p 1w

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MUSIC HALL, QUINCY,
SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 17
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Quincy, July 5. tf

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The beautiful estate of N. G. Nickerson, Belmont street, Wollaston. House, stable, 36,000 feet of land; great variety of Fruit and Shade Trees. Low price and easy terms.
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Teeth extracted absolutely without pain by the use of the
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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	31	40	62	44
Monday	32	50	47	44
Tuesday	31	41	48	58
Wednesday	17	40	40	44
Thursday	30	34	60	35
Friday	28	27	52	20
Saturday	—	33	46	30

New Advertisements Today.
Goss & Gould—Groceries.
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.
Street railway articles of association.
Granite Clothing Co.

Good Afternoon.

The two new Councilmen from Ward Six, Messrs. Blanchard and Alden, are held in high esteem by their acquaintances, and have the ability and qualifications necessary for the office. Both are able and interesting speakers, well posted, and hustlers in every sense of the word.

Found Insane.

Michael Linnenan, who was arrested Tuesday night for drunkenness at Atlantic, was examined Thursday as to his sanity, and was judged to be insane. He was later taken to Taunton. At the time of his arrest he was under the influence of liquor and had just smashed a window in the church of the Sacred Heart at Atlantic, and was kneeling in the snow. The next morning he attempted to get away from Officer Daveron at the police station and it was not until force was used that he was overcome. It was at first thought that he was recovering from an over use of liquor, but while this had something to do with his condition he had become religiously insane, and he was ordered examined with the result above noted.

Rebekahs Elect Officers.

At the regular meeting of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, No. 146, held Thursday evening in Odd Fellows hall, two candidates were initiated, one application received, and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:

P. G.,—Lizzie A. Monk
N. G.,—Grace L. Spear.
V. G.,—Kate A. Hayden.
Secretary,—Adeline Young.
Treasurer,—M. L. Furnald.
Financial Secretary, — M. Jennie Davis.
Trustee for three years,—N. B. Furnald.

The installation of the officers will take place January 5.

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Merry Christmas
May be enjoyed in every home where every member of the household is kept warm and well. Men and boys who are exposed to the weather must be properly protected. This is the time, too, when people are giving
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These can be found in
Ulsters, Overcoats,
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FRANK F CRANE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass.
Oct. tf

STABLE NUISANCE.

Atlantic Man Brings Complant Against Neighbor.

The Board of Health gave a hearing at City Hall Thursday evening on the complaint of John Donovan against John J. Kerrigan. Donovan's complaint being that Kerrigan was a cattle dealer and that his stable on Walnut street, Atlantic, which was dirty and filthy, was within eight feet of a house of the complainant.

Donovan was represented by Counsel and his witnesses were his son, daughter, physician and a real estate agent, who in brief testified that there was a constant offensive odor coming from the barn.

The witnesses for Kerrigan were all neighbors who testified that they all lived near the barn in question and that the yard and premises were kept clean, and they had never detected any offensive odor.

It was shown that Kerrigan bought and sold cattle and that the number of cattle he had varied from two to eight.

The hearing lasted until 10 o'clock, when it was closed and the Board of Health took the matter under advisement.

AN INITIATION.

Co. K Help a Colored Boy to Join the Army.

Camp Wetherill, Dec. 11, 1898.

Sunday passed off very quiet. Some of the boys took strolls through the adjoining country.

K street was the scene of great activity about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A young colored fellow, about 17 or 18 years old, who thought he would like to join the army, was given the first, second and third degree, by some of the fellows. The third degree was the most trying of all as the boys got a blanket and tossed him about ten feet in the air, until their arms ached, and the candidate was told to call the next day for the final working. When asked if he could get some more to join he said he thought he could. We are now waiting for the morrow to arrive to see whether our colored friend will put in appearance. H. L. C.

Camp Wetherill, Dec. 12, 1898.

The colored boy who was eager to join the army came back today and was given a few more degrees in the order, as the boys say, much to our enjoyment.

Battalion skirmish drill was the drill yesterday.

Private Delauries had some lady callers yesterday, whom he met while on duty at Greenville. H. L. C.

Living in the South.

Prices of the necessities of life in the South may be of interest to Quincy people, especially at Greenville, S. C. The market report of a local paper quotes these figures:

Butter 15 to 20 cents pound.
Eggs 20 cents dozen.
Irish potatoes 50 to 60 cents bushel.
Sweet potatoes 35 cents bushel.
Cabbage 1 1-2 cents pound.
Onions 75 cents bushel.
Apples 75 cents to $1 bushel.
Turnips 30 cents bushel.
Hens 25 cents each.
Chickens, frying 12 1-2 to 18 cents each.
Turkeys 8 to 10 cents pound.
Beef 1 1-4 to 8 cents pound gross.
Pork 6 cents pound gross.
Corn 45 to 55 cents bushel.

Co. K Weather.

Quincy people have read of freezing weather at Camp Wetherill in South Carolina with some surprise, but with two exceptions the mercury has touched below freezing every day. The maximum and minimum temperature of the December days have been: Dec. 1, 55 and 28; Dec. 2, 62 and 30; Dec. 3, 49 and 36; Dec. 4, 46 and 40; Dec. 5, 46 and 28; Dec. 6, 50 and 21; Dec. 7, 55 and 22; Dec. 8, 52 and 20; Dec. 9, 47 and 21; Dec. 10, 38 and 29; Dec. 11, 45 and 18; Dec. 12, 54 and 21; Dec. 13, 48 and 20.

Most Popular Officer.

A druggist of Greenville, S. C., is conducting a voting contest in the Daily News, offering diamond set corps badge for the most popular officer of Camp Wetherill. It closes Dec. 27.

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You Cannot Afford to be Without It.
Dec. 16. 24t

LIVELY RUNAWAY.

Dashes Up to Quincy Depot and Starts Another.

There was a lively runaway in City Square this morning and that it did not result more seriously than it did, was a wonder. The runaway was a horse attached to a sleigh driven by Mrs. E. G. Fisher of Hyde Park. The horse started from some unknown cause on Adams street and came down Hancock street on the jump. As the animal came through City Square it had a narrow escape from striking an electric car that was standing in front of Faxon block. The horse turned into Depot street and rushed through two of the depot carriages and was stopped at Richards' grain store.

When the horse and sleigh passed through the depot carriages, one of Bisson's horses became frightened and turned about and ran down Saville street into Hancock street, being stopped near Dr. Gordon's residence. The horse and sleigh of Mrs. Fisher escaped without injury but one of the wheels and a spring of Bisson's carriage was smashed.

BODY BUILDING.

Banquet of the Physical Department of the Y. M. C. A.

The first annual banquet of the physical department of the Young Men's Christian Association occurred Thursday night in their gymnasium at 7 o'clock. Mr. E. D. Gourd the chairman of the physical department committee was master of ceremonies for the evening, and called upon Secretary Hoehn for prayer. The fellows then began their active work of body building at the table, and it is said that some did remarkably well.

The repast finished, speeches were in order and the following gentlemen were called upon, who responded in a humorous vein. Dr. E. R. Johnson, Secretary Hoehn, R. N. Van Buskirk, W. T. Isaac, James Moorehead, John Northcott and Leslie Smith, also President King of the Association, who wished the fellows all success and prayed that the Association might mean much to them socially, physically, intellectually and spiritually. "A good physical condition is commendable but a good spiritual attainment is desirable."

An informal musical programme was then rendered, consisting of piano solos by Prof. C. C. Bradford, melodies and warbles by R. N. Van Buskirk, banjo selections by F. H. Lord and guitar and mandolin duets by F. H. Lord and his pupil Master Muers.

It was a pleasant evening thus spent, and pronounced a big success, and will be observed each following year. Remick of the Greenleaf was the caterer for the occasion.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

Church Contributions Amount to Nearly $1,000.

The announcement of the church contributions upon Hospital Sunday has been delayed that full returns might be received from all the churches. The total received from the churches was $809.79, which added to the individual contributions previously acknowledged and others today, makes $1,278.49 to date.

Contributions from churches:

Bethany Congregational,	$72.51
First Baptist, Wollaston,	37.14
First Congregational, Unitarian,	307.25
First Methodist Episcopal, Wollaston,	6.50
Rev. F. A. Frigugletti, from Catholic churches,	125.00
Memorial Congregational, Atlantic,	8.81
Methodist Episcopal, West Quincy,	3.75
Parish of St. Chrysostom, Wollaston,	15.12
Protestant Episcopal society of Christ church,	137.89
Swedish Baptist,	11.00
Swedish Congregational,	14.88
Swedish Lutheran,	6.49
Swedish Methodist Episcopal,	12.25
United Presbyterian,	5.00
Wollaston Congregational,	46.20
Total, from churches,	$809.79
Amount of subscriptions previously acknowledged,	465.70
Amounts received Dec. 16,	
Mrs. Cornelius Ford, Buffalo, N.Y.	2.00
Patrick Doherty	1.00
Total amount received	$1278.49.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.
Sun rises—7:08; sets, 4:13.
Moon sets—9:32 p. m.
Full sea—1:45 a. m.; 2:15 p. m.
As yet there is no indication of anything but fair and generally clear weather, with slowly rising temperature, which now promises to continue through Saturday, with winds generally from the southwest.

Out of the Militia.
Boston, Dec. 16.—Colonel Charles F. Woodward of the Sixth regiment, Massachusetts volunteer militia, presented his formal resignation from that position to Governor Wolcott yesterday. The governor promptly signified his acceptance of the resignation.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

The sewer on Hancock street in front of The Greenleaf block was completed this morning.

It is good news to learn that no more streets in the centre are to be opened for the sewer this winter.

A retaining wall is being built on the west side of Willard street, between the O. T. Rogers Granite Co. and T. F. Mannex sheds.

Gorman Bros. gave a lively show at Music hall Thursday night, entitled, "Mr. Beane from Boston." Only a small audience was present.

Robert T. Johnson, of the firm of Johnson Bros., has purchased the house on Maple place now occupied by him, and is enlarging the stable.

The American Telegraph and Telephone Co. have run a temporary cable on Willard street to take the place of its wires blown down by the recent storm.

John Weston Nichols of Dorchester, whose father the Rev. John Nichols was a pastor of the Universalist church, of Quincy in 1837-38, died Wednesday, aged 66 years.

The Sunday evening services at the Atlantic Methodist church will consist of a stereopticon talk on "Quo Vadis." It is a story representing the Roman life and persecution of the early christians.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co. advertise their Chirstmas opening in another column. Although they have extra space they have not been able to mention half the things that you want for Christmas. An early call should be made while stock is new and complete.

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 20, a men's social will be held in the vestry of the Atlantic Methodist church. A programme of music and recitation will be given; and some light refreshments will be served. All the men of the community are cordially invited to be present.

A lady, whose name could not be learned, arrived in Quincy Thursday night on the 8.30 train from Boston. After alighting from the train she missed her pocket book containing $30. A search was made with a lantern about the depot but the missing pocket-book could not be found. It is a question whether she might not have been relieved of it in Boston or on the cars.

ON A STRIKE.

Contractor for Wollaston Sewer Missing.

Shortly before 2 o'clock this noon a half hundred laborers employed upon the Wollaston section of the sewer, which is being built by the A. W. Bryne Construction Co. marched in a body to the Sewer Commissioners office to see what they could do towards getting the six weeks' salary due them.

According to the men, the firm pays off upon the tenth of each month, and the pay day for the month of November was last Friday.

W. J. Bryne the man who has charge of the work, and pays off, has not been seen since Dec. 9, and whether he is in Quincy or Boston the men do not know.

Saturday, a brother of W. J. Bryne said they would be paid Monday. Monday he put it off until Wednesday, and being unable to obtain any satisfaction the men are after the Sewer Commissioner.

—It is said that the big snow storm cost the Boston street railway company $130,000.

Rogue Physician Punished.
Fall River Mass., Dec. 16.—Ulderic St. Pierre was fined $500 and sentenced to jail for three months in the United States district court yesterday, on the charge of practicing medicine without being a registered physcian. He had made himself out to be a physician in several states. The complaint first made against St. Pierre was by a boy named Degagne, who alleged that the man's treatment caused his (the boy's) blindness.

As Usual.
Lima, Dec. 16.—Advices received here confirm the reports of a revolution in the Bolivian republic. A board of government has been formed at La Paz. President Alonso is now at Oruro, organizing the government's forces to suppress the rebellion.

Marion Piper Insane.
Boston, Dec. 16.—Marion Piper, who was arrested by federal officers some days ago for sending obscene letters through the mails, was taken before Judge Grant yesterday for examination as to her sanity. Experts on insanity adjudged her insane, and Judge Grant ordered that she be committed to the Danvers' asylum.

Rowan Is Speedy.
Seattle, Wash., Dec. 16.—The torpedo boat Rowan, constructed by Moran Bros. of this city, was given an official trial trip yesterday. During three hours' run the Rowan maintained an average of 27½ knots above the contract speed. Her engines revolved an average of 362 revolutions, 10 revolutions above the requirements.

GOSS & GOULD,
Dealers in
First Class Groceries
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PROVISIONS,
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CHRISTMAS OPENING.
Our lines of Merchandise are now complete, and we can show the finest line of HOLIDAY GIFTS ever shown in this city.
USEFUL AS WELL AS ORNAMENTAL.

Gentlemen's
SILK MUFFLERS, 50c. to $3.00.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, 25c. to $1.50.
LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, all prices.
INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 12 1-2c., 25c., and 29c.
KID GLOVES, Lined and Unlined.
DRIVING and WOOLEN GLOVES.
NECKWEAR. Never did we show such a choice line, 25, 50, 75c.
POCKET BOOKS, 25c. to $2 00.
CIGAR BOXES, all prices.
SHAVING SETS.
Almost everthing that will make a man happy.

BOSTON BAGS.
1 lot leather ends, regular price 75c
Our price 50c
A Choice Bag for 75c
Real Alligator, 11-inch $2.98
12-inch 3.49
Best goods. Compare prices with Boston.

Ladies'
HANDKERCHIEFS and APRONS in great variety.
SILK SCARFS for the ladies in Plaids are very choice.
Ladies' POCKETBOOKS and PURSES.
Never was our line so complete and our prices so low.

LADIES' GLOVES.
Kid Lined and Unlined. Together wth the best line of any Gloves ever shown.

SILK WAISTS.
All prices and styles. Also Woolen in all colors.

STATIONERY.
We never sold so much Stationery at Christmas before, which shows that our line must be what the people want.

We are showing a complete line of Cut Work in Bureau and Sideboard Covers, Table Covers and Shams.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.
Hancock Street, Quincy.

Articles of Association for the Formation of a Street Railway Corporation.

WE, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of Chapter One Hundred and Thirteen of the Public Statutes, and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be The Medfield and Medway Street Railway Company.

The proposed Railway is to commence at or near the terminus of the Norfolk Western Street Railway Company, in the town of Medfield and County of Norfolk, and to extend in a substantially southwesterly direction through said town of Medfield, and thence through the town of Millis, in said County of Norfolk, to a point in the town of Medway, in said county, at or near the corner of Village and Sanford streets, its terminus.

Its length will be about seven miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Medfield, Millis and Medway, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz:—

Wilmot W. Mitchell of Medfield, Mass.
Joseph J. Feely of Walpole, Mass.
Harry L. Howard of Walpole, Mass.
Henry J. Dunn of Medfield, Mass.
Rufus G. Fairbanks of Medway, Mass.
C. Maskell Bates of Medfield, Mass.
Alfred C. Smith of Dedham, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands, this eighth day of December, 1898.

Subscribers.	Residence.	P. O. Address.	No. of Shares.
Joseph J. Feely,	Walpole	Walpole	50
George S. Forbush,	Brookline, Mass.	53 State St., Boston	20
Thomas E. Grover,	Canton	Canton, Mass.	20
Alfred C. Smith,	Dedham	Dedham	50
Wilmot W. Mitchell,	Medfield	Medfield	20
Edwin V. Mitchell,	Medfield	Medfield	20
Henry J. Dunn,	Medfield	Medfield	5
Fred Joy,	Winchester	Winchester	5
Edwin J. Keyou,	Medfield	Medfield	1
Rufus G. Fairbanks,	Medway	West Medway	15
George R. Drake,	Medway	West Medway	1
James A. Snow,	Medway	Medway	1
W. B. Hodges,	Medway	Medway	1
E. J. Stewart,	Millis	Millis	1
E. F. Richardson,	Millis	Millis	1
J. C. Thorne,	Millis	Millis	1
Harry L. Howard,	Walpole	Walpole	30
C. Maskell Bates,	Medfield	Medfield	30
F. W. Brown,	Everett	Everett	5
Joseph J. Feely,	Walpole	Walpole	223

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Best Of All For Christmas

Christmas wouldn't mean anything to over half the world if this delightful custom of surprising your friends with gifts and tokens of friendship were not in existence. It is always a source of anxiety to many, to know just what to give their friends, but most thoughtful givers consider first what will add most to happiness, and give most enjoyment and comfort to those they wish to favor.

Here's a List of Suggestions.

First of all, they'll brand you a generous giver. Second of all, they're attractive, sensible and always acceptable. Last of all, they are ideal Christmas Pesents, wonderfully low in price when you buy them here.

FOR THE YOUNGSTERS.

Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	42c. to $1.00
Dexters, Rocking Horses,	89c. to 1.50
Express Wagons,	50c. to 2.50
Doll Carriages and Go Carts,	50c. to 2.00
Bread and Milk Sets,	25c. to 1.00
High Chairs,	50c. to 5.00
Rocking Chairs,	50c. to 4.50
White Iron Cribs,	5.00 to 7.50

FOR THE OLDER FOLKS.

Beautiful odd pieces of New French and English China in Salad Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Cake Plates, Cheese Dishes, Pin Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Spoon Trays, Chocolate Pots, Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Picture Frames, After Dinner Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Cuspadores, Jardineres, Vases, etc., etc. Hundreds of odd and dainty pieces, ranging in price from 10c. to $1.50.

Fancy China and Mantle Clocks,	$1.00 to $10.00
Beautiful Pictures,	75c. to 5.00
Banquet Lamps,	2.50 to 10.00
Jardineres,	25c. to 1.50
Fancy Chairs and Rockers,	1.00 to 6.50
Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 12.00
Rattan Rockers.	1.75 to 7.00
Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinere Stands,	50c. to 1.50
Rugs,	50c. to 5.00
Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Book Cases,	1.00 to 10.00
Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50
Easels,	50c. to 2.00
3-Fold Screens,	1.98
Portieres, per pair,	1.50 to 6.50
Oak Sideboards,	10.00 to 35.00
Oak Dining Tables,	5 40 to 12.00
Oak Hall Racks,	1.25
Boot Black Stands,	1.00
Decorated Parlor Lamps,	98c to 3.00
Artistic Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 5.00
Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
Oak Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
Bissell Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
Oak Chamber Sets,	15.00 to 35.00

Surprise your wife, family or friends with some addition to their home. Nothing you can give will please them so much.

Goods delivered just where you want them and where you want them.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Reliable, Low Priced House Furnishers.
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EBEN SMITH, Established 1872. MRS. EBEN SMITH Succeeded 1897.

Square, Oval, Circle Gothic and Arch-Top

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GOLD, SILVER, BRONZE and NATURAL WOODS
RE-GILDING A SPECIALTY.
High-Grade Work at Moderate Prices.

188 Lincoln Street,
Boston, Mass.
Near O. C. R. R. Station.
Dec. 5. 1m

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

MARY WENT.

LAST Week Mary and everybody else were invited to call at the Quincy Second Hand Variety Store. They went, and Mary tells us that she was delighted with what she found. She bought an excellent stove for half its value, a chamber set for a remarkably low figure, and small ware in abundance for almost nothing. In fact, she was so well pleased, she sent her husband, who bought all the tools he could carry off for a few dollars.

WALTER P. PINEL

is the Manager, and the store is right over here at number 20 Franklin street.

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NOTICE.

TO Whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that my wife,

BESSIE B. HICKS,

having left my bed and board, I shall not be responsible from this date for any bill she may contract.

WILLIAM J. HICKS.
Quincy. Dec. 15. 3t

FISH.

Everything first-class at the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

Temple Street.

All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

The Latest Conundrum is

Why?

Just plain "why," but the place to buy

COAL or WOOD

of every kind and at lowest prices is at the old stand of

J. F. SHEPPARD & SONS

Quincy Dec 1.

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

[Continued from yesterday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FIVE.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Percival, Sally D., Barnstable, 16,266, L. 6, S. 2, $800.	$14 40
Williams, Lincoln, Bath, Me., 4,980, Royal, $350.	6 30
Spiegel, Frank J., Bath, Me., 6,300, Morton, $450.	8 10
Gale, Ida, Belmont, 10,875, L. 9, S. 3, $450.	8 10
Lewis, Mason, New York, 11,250, Central ave., $1,100.	64 80
Abbe, F. R. est., Boston, 10,937, L. 5, S. 5, $450. 10,937, L. 6, S. 5, $450.	16 20
Abbott, Jeanette, Boston, 7,834, L. 1, S. 5, $450.	8 10
Allbright, William H., Boston, 4,200, Bromfield, $250.	4 50
Aldrich, Ellen D., Boston, 6,132, Davis, $400.	7 20
Andrews, Ida G., Boston, 14,015, Rufes Hummock, $600.	42 30
Appolino, Caroline D., Boston, 11,340, L. 2, S. 2, $1,250.	22 50
Baglow, John C., Boston, 4,700, Base, $350.	6 30
Bagley, Orison, Boston, 4,700, Elm ave., $400.	7 20
Baker, Albert, Boston, 4,824, Highland ave., $350. 5,000, Brook, $1,000	92 70
Baker, Cornelius, Boston, 4,700, Elm ave., $350.	6 30
Balch, Mary E., Boston, 11,250, L. 4, S. 2, $1,200.	21 60
Bangs, Alphonse, Boston, 11,250, Sec. 1, $1,450. 11,400, " 1, 1,100. 11,400, " 1, 1,000. 17,100, " 1, 1,350.	88 20
Barcley, Alex., Boston, 5,000, Waterston, $350. 7,380, Wendall, $350. About 1,250, Sewall, $100.	14 40
Bartlett, William F., Boston, 6,000, Highland ave., $600.	46 80
Bates, John G., Boston, 5,000, West Elm ave., $500. 5,000, " " " 500.	18 00
Bensham, David, Boston, 5,250, Phillips, $350.	6 30
Berry, Almont, Boston, 5,000, East Elm ave., $350.	6 30
Buckley, Cornelius C., Boston, 4,845, Beach, $350.	6 30
Buckley, Daniel C., Boston, 4,200, Beach, $300.	5 40
Bliss, W. H., Boston, 19,099, Stanton, $2,000.	36 00
Blanchard, Samuel E., Boston, 3,913, Beach, $1,000. 4,750, " 500.	117 00
Blume, Andreas, tr., Boston, 11,347, Beach, $1,125.	66 15
Bond, George H., Boston, 4,137, Sec. 3, $300. 10,068, " 3, 500. 10,068, " 3, 500. 3,363, " 3, 300. About 3,300, Sec. 3, $250.	33 30
Botsford, Charles R., Boston, 6,473, Sec. 6, $500.	9 00
Boutelle, William P., Boston, 5,000, West Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Bowman, Anthony W., Boston, 5,000, Waterston ave., $300.	5 40
Bozier, Alfred, Boston, 5,000, Ridgeway, $300.	5 40
Boyde, Elizabeth M., Boston, 8,122, Willow, $600. 7,500, " 600. 7,509, " 600.	32 40
Briggs, Mary L., Boston, 10,558, Central ave., $700.	52 20
Brown, Emma E., Boston, 4,300, Davis, $300.	5 40
Brown, E. A. & Wm. N. Goddard, Boston, 5,000, East Elm ave., $350.	6 30
Brown, Cecelia, Boston, 4,500, Lincoln ave., $550.	9 90
Brown, Henry J., Boston, 4,300, Davis, $300.	5 40

To be continued.

☞ A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

Christmas.

It is a little early to wish all our friends and customers a "Merry Christmas." It is not too early to be thinking about Christmas gifts. Thousands of people are wondering what they shall buy. Many are waiting for suggestions. Get your Christmas ad in early. Some folks spend money the year round. Everybody buys at Christmas time. They have saved their money to buy. They will buy what you have to sell—if you tell them about it. Tell them about it in an ad in your best local paper. That's the paper we print—everybody knows that.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District court next Tuesday:

312—Doble et al, vs. Elcock.
313—Doble et al, vs. Cronin.
315—Doble et al, vs. Cronin.
320—Atherton vs. Wales.
327—Petterson vs. Jenness.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

MILTON.

The Park Comissioners have given notice that they will cut down and remove 52 trees as follows: On Randolph avenue, from land of heirs of C. C. Holmes to the corner of Centre street; on Adams street, from land of Dudley heirs to the public reservation; on Adams street, East Milton, from land of Duston to the Quincy line and on Church street and Granite place. They will give a hearing to all parties interested Wednesday evening, Dec. 21.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence visited the Church of Our Mission last week and confirmed twenty-three.

The Selectmen have appointed George E. Burt inspector of buildings, and Timothy G. Ryan inspector of plumbings.

A. A. Brackett commenced work on another new house on Granite place on Thursday.

Walter Bates has moved from Atlantic to a house on Bryant avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briley are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, who arrived Thursday.

E. C. Bartlett has moved from Brackett street to Marlboro.

Clarence Levy who has been ill with a severe cold is convalescent.

There are four children in one family on Pierce street sick with scarlet fever.

George Sears has moved into his new house on Squantum street.

The Rugby Associates hold a dance this evening in Washington hall.

Edward Bridges has moved from Sheldon to Adams street.

Negro Killing.

Greenville, S. C., the site of the camp of the Fifth Massachusetts regiment, has had a bad reputation in past years, but the Anderson Advocate sees an improvement. It says:

"We want to lift our hat to those Greenville juries which so fearlessly did their duty during the recent term of court. Every case of homicide was found guilty except one. It inaugurates a new era there where there has been almost a carnival of man slaying for some years without any convictions until the thing became offensive to high heaven. And the highest credit is due them for convicting those two white boys for killing a negro in his own house. It is something of novelty in this State to see white people convicted of killing a negro, and it is refreshing and reassuring. There is so little regard for the life of a negro in this State, that it is looked upon with very little disfavor in a great many places. And yet a negro's life should be just as sacred in the eye of the law as a white man's. We doubt not that human life will be a little more sacred in Greenville hereafter."

☞ Parlor Stoves. 30 patterns to choose from. Good heaters too. $2.98 to $20.00. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Real Estate Sales.

Eighteen more real estate sales were made in Quincy last week as will be seen by the conveyances recorded at Dedham registry.

Martin W. Frolund to Edwd. Billings, $1.

Marcena R. Sparrow, by assee., to Albertina M. Whitman, $10.

John H. Storer, et al, trs., to Etta C. Hollingsworth, $1.

Delbert Law to Eliab W. Chandler, $1.

Daniel C. Sullivan by mortgagee, to Herbert F. Doble, $200.

City of Quincy to Herbert F. Doble (2), $47.

Thomas M. Elcock, by mortgagee, to Maria A. Elcock, $1,512.

Caroline J. Hobart et al, to C. Theodore Hardwick, $3,000.

John H. Storer, et al, trustees, to Reginald F. Shaw, $1.

Fanny M. Hildreth, et al, to Eliab Ramsdell, $1,025.

Eliab Ramsdell to Mary V. Boyington, $1.

Abbie J. Higgins to William H. Dyer, $1.

Amy L. Ford to Fred. W. Morey, Jr., $1.

Marcelia A. Robinson to Robert T. Johnson, $1.

Henry M. Taylor, et al, to Thomas M. Smith, $1.

Thomas M. Smith to Henry M. Taylor, et al, $1.

Abington Sav. Bk. to Harold W. Orcutt, $3,925.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Thomas F. Heaney for drunkenness was called and he was fined $7.

John Connell was arraigned for threatening assault, and for assault on Ellen Connell at Quincy. Cases continued two weeks.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

☞ Furniture reupholstered, mattresses made over, carpets cleaned. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

DIED.

ADAMS—In Milton, Dec. 15, Mr. John Brown Adams, aged 91 years and 2 months.

A SENSIBLE MAN

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all Throat and Lung Troubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a Sample Bottle *Free* to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Price 25 cents and 50 cents.

NATIVITY OF PARENTS.

More in Quincy are Descendants of Natives of Ireland Than of Natives of Massachusetts.

The Bureau of Statisics of Labor has just issued another part of Volume III of the census of Massachusetts which affords an interesting study. It shows the nativity of parents sub-divided as to native and foreign born males and females for each county, city and town, and for the State at large. The native born are still further divided to show the number of each sex born in the town named, in other Massachusetts towns in other New England States, and in other states of the Union.

The population of Quincy in 1895 was 20,712, of whom 13,582 were born in the United States and 7,130 in foreign countries. Of the native born 7,238 were born in Quincy 4,174 in other towns of Massachusetts, 1,563 in other New England States and 607 in other States of the Union.

Of the total population of 20,712 there were 6,330 whose parents were both native born, 12,293 whose parents were both foreign born, 77 the nativity of whose parents were unknown, 788 where the father was a native and the mother foreign born, 1,124 where the father was foreign and the mother native, 31 where the father was native and the nativity of the mother unknown, 16 where the father was foreign and the nativity of the mother was unknown, 43 where the mother was native and the nativity of the father unknown, 10 where the mother was foreign and the nativity of father unknown.

The following summary relates wholly to the nativity of parents. Of the 20,712 people in Quincy in 1895, there were only 3,451 who had parents who were both born in Massachusetts. There were at the same time 4,418 whose parents were both born in Ireland, 2,417 whose parents were both born in Great Britian, 1,328 whose parents were both born in other New England states outside of Massachusetts 601 whose parents were both Canada English people, and 693 whose parents were both Canada French, 894 whose parents were both born other British possessions, 235 whose parents were both born in Germany, 1,216 whose parents were both born in Sweden, and so on at length.

Of course there were more Massachusetts fathers, but their wives were born out of the State, viz: 463 in other New England States, 153 in other States of the Union, 172 in Ireland, 108 English Canadians, 113 in Great Britian, 99 in other British possesions. There were in all 4,559 of 20,712 who had Massachusetts father.

The same with Massachusetts mothers: In addition to the 3,451 who married Massachusetts men, 560 married men born in other New England States outside Massachusetts, 102 men born in other States of the Union, 428 married men born in Ireland, 67 married English Canadians, 26 French Canadians, 146 men born in Great Britain, 82 in other British possessions. There were in all 4,859 out of 20,712.

The summary of nativity of parents of native and foreign born citizens below affords further study:

For comparison, the totals of cities of Waltham and Pittsfield of about the same population as Quincy are added, also the neighboring city of Brockton which is over 60 per cent. larger, and the adjoining towns of Weymouth, Braintree and Milton. Also the totals for Norfolk county, and the State of Massachusetts.

Place of Birth. Father.	Mother.	Native Born. Males.	Native Born. Females.	Foreign Born. Males.	Foreign Born. Females.	Total.
Massachusetts,	Massachusetts,	1,759	1,691	—	1	3,451
Massachusetts,	New England,	225	238	—	—	463
Massachusetts,	Other States,	84	69	—	—	153
Massachusetts,	Ireland,	92	80	—	—	172
Massachusetts,	Canada (English)	67	39	—	2	108
Massachusetts,	Great Britain,	57	56	—	—	113
Massachusetts,	British Possessions,	43	47	5	4	99
New England,	Massachusetts,	252	308	—	—	560
New England,	New England,	635	685	1	7	1,338
New England,	Other States,	20	31	—	1	52
New England,	Ireland,	19	25	—	—	44
New England,	Canada (English)	19	15	4	3	41
New England,	Great Britain,	13	8	2	1	24
New England,	British Possessions,	20	24	—	6	50
Other States,	Massachusetts,	50	52	—	—	102
Other States,	New England,	23	20	—	—	43
Other States,	Other States,	75	102	—	1	178
Other States,	Ireland,	24	15	—	—	39
Native,	Foreign,	53	39	1	5	98
Native,	Unknown,	23	8	—	—	31
Ireland,	Massachusetts,	207	221	—	—	428
Ireland,	New England,	13	11	1	1	26
Ireland,	Other States,	28	30	6	4	68
Ireland,	Ireland,	1,193	1,182	1,021	1,022	4,418
Ireland,	Canada (English)	21	20	6	8	55
Ireland,	Great Britain,	39	42	10	14	105
Ireland,	British Possessions,	16	20	7	7	50
Canada (English)	Massachusetts,	26	34	3	4	67
Canada (English)	New England,	9	28	—	4	41
Canada (English)	Ireland,	18	13	2	4	37
Canada (English)	Canada (English)	94	93	184	230	601
Canada (English)	Great Britian)	9	8	5	5	27
Canada (French)	Massachusetts)	12	11	—	—	23
Canada (French)	Canada (French)	150	153	214	176	693
Canada (French)	British Possessions	6	17	3	—	26
Great Britain,	Massachusetts,	70	75	1	—	146
Great Britain,	New England,	28	27	4	6	65
Great Britain,	Other States,	11	14	—	2	27
Great Britain,	Ireland,	45	44	7	6	102
Great Britain,	Canada (English)	25	17	12	13	74
Great Britain,	Great Britain,	414	364	899	740	2,417
Great Britain,	British Possessions,	51	32	23	24	130
Brit. Possessions,	Massachusetts,	41	37	2	2	82
Brit. Possessions,	Ireland,	13	14	4	4	35
Brit. Possessions,	Great Britain,	9	7	7	7	30
Brit. Possessions,	British Possessions,	129	149	290	326	894
Germany,	Germany,	50	51	71	63	235
France,	France,	1	7	17	12	37
Italy,	Italy,	72	68	258	132	530
Austria,	Austria,	5	5	13	11	34
Norway,	Norway,	16	6	37	34	93
Poland,	Poland,	—	1	11	13	25
Russia,	Russia,	14	11	72	28	125
Sweden,	Sweden,	182	152	499	383	1,216
Foreign,	Native,	73	68	8	2	151
Foreign,	Foreign,	106	116	62	27	311
Foreign,	Unknown,	5	4	5	2	16
Unknown,	Native,	20	21	1	1	43
Unknown,	Foreign,	8	1	—	1	10
Unknown,	Unknown,	46	28	2	1	77
QUINCY,		6,828	6,754	3,780	3,350	20,712
WALTHAM,		6,869	7,936	2,769	3,302	20,876
PITTSFIELD,		7,629	8,284	2,209	2,339	20,461
BROCKTON,		12,577	12,561	3,892	4,045	33,165
WEYMOUTH,		4,597	4,795	995	904	11,291
BRAINTREE,		2,006	2,105	654	546	5,311
MILTON,		1,815	1,905	747	1,051	5,518
NORFOLK,		48,023	51,363	16,757	18 676	134,819
MASSACHUSETTS,		848,312	886,941	366,389	398,541	2,500,183

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President McKinley's Patriotic Address to Our Brethren of the South.

Atlanta, Dec. 16.—President McKinley yesterday addressed the public in the Auditorium in Piedmont park. Seven thousand people rose from their seats as the chief executive entered the Auditorium. The band played the "Star Spangled Banner" amid considerable applause, but when the strains of "Dixie" filled the building the crowd went wild. President McKinley stood up and waved his hat above his head. Mr. Hemphill, president of the jubilee committee, made a lengthy speech. He was followed by Governor Candler in an address of welcome.

As the president stepped forward the large audience applauded heartily. The speech was punctuated with constant cheers. The president said in part:

"Other parts of the country have had their public thanksgiving and jubilees in honor of the historic events of the past year, but nowhere has there been greater rejoicing than among the people here, the gathered representatives of the south. I congratulate them upon their accurate observation of events which enabled them to fix a date which insured them the privilege of being the first to celebrate the signing of the treaty of peace by the American and Spanish commissioners.

"Under hostile fire on a foreign soil, fighting in a common cause, the memory of old disagreements has faded into history. From camp and campaign there come the magic healing which has closed ancient wounds and effaced their scars. For this result every American patriot will forever rejoice. It is no small indemnity for the cost of the war.

"This gvoernment has proved itself invincible in the recent war, and out of it has come a nation which will remain indivisible forever more. No worthier contributions have been made in patriotism and in men than by the people of these southern states. When at last the opportunity came they were eager to meet it, and with promptness responded to the call of country. Entrusted with the able leadership of men dear to them, who had marched with their fathers under another flag, now fighting under the old flag again, they have gloriously helped to defend its spotless folds and added new lustre to its shining stars.

"That flag has been planted in two hemispheres and there it remains, the symbol of liberty and law, of peace and progress. Who will withdraw it from the people over whom it floats in protecting folds? Who will haul it down?

"We could have avoided all the difficulties that lie across the pathway of the nation if a few months ago we had coldly ignored the piteous appeals of the starving and oppressed inhabitants of Cuba. If we had blinded ourselves to the conditions so near our shores and turned a deaf ear to our suffering neighbors, the issue of territorial expansion in the Antilles and the East Indies would not have been raised.

"But could we have justified such a course? Is there any one who would now declare another to have been the better course? With less humanity and less courage on our part, the Spanish flag, instead of the stars and stripes, would still be floating at Cavite, at Ponce and at Santiago, and a 'chance in the race of life' would be wanting to millions of human beings who today call this nation noble, and who, I trust, will live to call it blessed.

"Thus far we have done our supreme duty. Shall we now, when the victory won in war is written in the treaty of peace, and the civilized world applauds and waits in expectation, turn timidly away from the duties imposed upon the country by its own great deeds?

"And when the mists fade and we see with clearer vision, may we not go forth rejoicing in a strength which has been employed solely for humanity and always been tempered with justice and mercy, confident of our ability to meet the exigencies which await, because confident that our course is one of duty and our cause that of right?"

After three cheers for McKinley had been given with a will at the conclusion of his speech, General Wheeler rose from his seat on the platform. Then came such enthusiasm as is seldom seen. For three minutes the audience cheered, yelled and waved their hats. Over and over again the general tried to begin his speech, and over and over again he was compelled to wait for the cheers to stop. Then the band played "Dixie," and once more the crowd broke into frantic cheers.

General Wheeler eulogized the president and expressed his great pleasure at the reception given to Mr. McKinley by Georgia.

Lieutenant Hobson responded to loud calls with an impassioned speech, in which he drew the attention of his hearers, not only to the bravery of the American soldiers and sailors, but to the chivalry and bravery of the Spanish soldiers, especially of Admiral Cervera.

Generals Shafter and Lawton scarcely more than bowed their acknowledgments to the plaudits and the meeting closed with a short speech by Governor Johnston of Alabama, in which he referred to his state's honor in possessing two such distinguished sons as Wheeler and Hobson.

The presidential party then drove back to their hotel. On the way the carriage in which were Generals Shafter and Lawton was run into by a street car, and the two officers were thrown to the street. Neither was hurt and both were taken into another carriage.

A public reception at the governor's mansion had to be postponed on account of the lateness of the Auditorium affair.

Children Burned to Death.

Suffolk, Va., Dec., 16.—Tom Ridler of Franklin locked his three small children indoors yesterday as he went to work. The house burned down and the children perished in the flames.

THE NATIONAL CAPITOL.

House Disposes of the Pension Bill In Very Short Order.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The house yesterday surpassed all previous records in the expedition with which it passed the pension appropriation bill. This bill in days gone by has been one of the most fruitful themes of acrimonious partisan debate, but yesterday, although carrying $4,000,000 more than the act for the current year, it was passed in 20 minutes without a word of criticism.

The house then entered upon the consideration of the bill to incorporate the International American bank. This project was recommended by the Pan-American congress in 1889. An arrangement was effected for a vote upon the passage of the bill at 3 o'clock today. It was supported in debate yesterday by Messrs. Brosius (Rep., Pa.), Adams (Rep., Pa.), Lacey (Rep., Ia.) and Walker (Rep., Mass.), and opposed by Messrs. Cox (Dem., Tenn.), Jenkins (Rep., Wis.), Driggs (Dem., N. Y.) and Bartlett (Dem., Ga.)

The following were among the bills and resolutions introduced in the house: Mr. Parker of New Jersey, amending the admiralty laws in regard to arrests; Mr. Griffith of Indiana, to create a pension court of appeals; Mr. Burleigh of Maine, to provide for raising, organizing and maintaining the volunteer army of the United States.

The urgent deficiency appropriation bill, making provision for the army and navy for the next six months, displaced the Nicaraguan canal bill in the senate, preventing even the taking of a vote on the question of postponement until after the holidays, as had been intended. The deficiency bill was passed after a spirited discussion, turning principally on the point of keeping the volunteer soldiers in the service.

Senator Caffery offered a substitute for the Nicaraguan canal bill pending in the senate. It follows to a great extent the bill introduced by Representative Hepburn in the house. It provides for diplomatic negotiations to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treaty; also for the cancellation of all existing concessions for which $5,000,000 is appropriated, and for the acquisition of the right of way for the canal at a maximum cost of $1,000,000. An appropriation of $140,000,000 is made to construct the canal.

Senator Hawley introduced a bill to amend the law relating to military trials in accordance with the recommendations of the judge advocate general's department.

Senator Hoar introduced a bill tendering the thanks of congress to Miss Clara Barton and the Red Cross society for services rendered United States soldiers during the late war. Senator Hoar also presented a large number of petitions against the expansion policy.

The senate confirmed these nominations: S. N. D. North of Massachusetts, member of industrial commission; F. W. Peck of Illinois, commissioner general International exposition at Paris; B. D. Woodward of New York, assistant commissioner general, and F. Brackett of Maryland, secretary of the exposition.

The Massachusetts' Accident.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Acting Secretary Allen yesterday received the report of Constructor Bowles upon the injuries sustained by the battleship Massachusetts in running upon Diamond reef, New York harbor. He says it is not possible to give an accurate estimate now, but the time occupied in making the repairs will be 30 days. The damage, he thinks, will not be very extensive, judging from what appears on the surface. The acting secretary ordered a court of inquiry to meet at the New York navy yard to fix the responsibility for the accident.

For Service Abroad.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Orders were issued yesterday for the Twentieth regiment of regular infantry at Fort Leavenworth to proceed to San Francisco and take passage on the transport Scandia for the Philippines, which is expected to arrive in San Francisco within a few days from Manila. The regiment is the only one so far actually ordered to the Philippines out of the six infantry regiments selected for service there.

Labor's Voice on Expansion.

Kansas City, Dec. 16.—National expansion, whether or no it shall be endorsed by the American Federation of Labor, was the subject of discussion at the convention yesterday. The question was debated with considerable show of heat, champions for and against that principle speaking with great ardor on the theme. The question came up on the introduction of a resolution denouncing expansion, introduced by the resolutions committee and following the suggestion for its expression in President Gompers' annual address. When a vote was finally taken the resolution was adopted with but three or four dissenting votes.

Italy's Foreign Relations.

Rome, Dec. 16.—During the debate on the budget in the Italian chamber of deputies yesterday, Admiral Canevaro, minister of foreign affairs, referring to Italy's foreign relations, said there had been no change of policy with regard to alliances, and that the relations of Italy with other nations had never been so friendly as at the present time. "The government is particularly gratified," he declared, "at the conclusion of the Franco-Italian treaty, which makes us confident of the ability of Italy to dispel the last traces of misunderstandings with France."

Great Gale Responsible.

Boston, Dec. 16.—A dearth of soft coal is threatened in this city, through the scarcity of coal carrying vessels, and the difficulty of getting good rail accommodations. Coal brokers here estimate that between 180 and 200 vessels, coal laden, were either lost or wrecked and their cargoes lost in part or wholly during the gale of Nov. 27, and what coal is now reaching here goes to supply contracts made months ago. There is plenty of anthracite coal on hand.

Many Public Bequests.

Amesbury, Mass., Dec. 16.—In the will of the late Miss Mary A. Barnard of this town, the following are among the bequests: Amesbury public library, $10,000; Anna Jaques hospital, Newburyport, $4000; Main Street Congregational church, Amesbury, $1000; Hampton Virginia institute for the education of the colored and Indian pupils, $500; Friends' mission, Douglas island, Alaska, $500; Y. M. C. A., Amesbury, $1000; home for aged women, Amesbury, $2000.

ALMOST READY FOR JURY.

District Attorney Makes It Look Bad For Senator Kenney.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 16.—At the trial of United States Senator R. R. Kenney, District Attorney Vandegrift, in summing up, said in part: "The defendant here stands stripped of every defense that he and his able counsel have undertaken to make. Being a man of affairs, he gets up here before you and says he drew checks and drafts without regard to the condition of his account. He has been convicted by the words out of his own mouth. This defendant has found that every avenue of escape for him has been closed and sealed by the government. If this defendant was a poor man and illiterate, it would take you just half an hour, for appearance sake, to render a verdict of guilty."

Messrs. Bird and Biggs, for the defense, declared that Kenney had no evil intent when he gave the checks, and that he benefited not a cent by the whole transaction. From present appearances the case will not go to the jury before tomorrow.

Knowlton's Dismissal Stands.

Boston, Dec. 16.—Governor Wolcott has declined to interfere in the case of Policeman Knowlton, who was dismissed from the force last Saturday, after a hearing before the police commissioners on a charge of accepting money from a woman to keep her informed of intended raids upon her house. Knowlton's counsel appealed from the board's decision to the governor, and the latter says, after reviewing the status of the board: "I do not intend to intimate that I should hesitate to express to the board my opinion upon any question of great public importance when I saw the necessity for such action. In case of such necessity I should consider it my duty to use such influence as I possess for the public good, but the present case does not, in my judgment, call for such action on my part."

Unruly Cattlemen.

New York, Dec. 16.—When the White Star line steamer Tauric, from Liverpool, arrived yesterday, she had seven of her passengers in irons. They are cattlemen, who had charge of cattle shipped on the Tauric on her last trip, and who returned on that vessel, it is said, free of charge. The men are accused of breaking into the ship's stores on Dec. 3, and of appropriating 192 bottles of ale and other commodities. The captain of the Tauric says that the men became intoxicated and were so unruly that he was compelled to put them in irons. The captain turned the accused men over to the police here.

More Space Needed.

Paris, Dec. 16.—Benjamin D. Woodward, United States assistant commissioner general to the Paris exposition of 1900, left today for the United States by way of Southampton. He has been officially informed that 4300 square feet of additional ground space has been granted to the United States as an annex for forestries. This increased appropriation will enable the United States commissioners so to arrange their buildings as to command a total of 250,000 square feet, though even this will not nearly meet the demands, which already total 700,000 square feet.

The Marlboro Muddle.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 16.—The joint council of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union had a conference last evening with the different clergymen of the city, every denomination being represented. The whole labor situation was thoroughly discussed and finally one of the clergymen offered a proposition to the officials of the union, which is generally believed to have come from the manufacturers, but the nature is thus far kept a secret by the parties interested. The council will hold another meeting to consider the proposition more fully.

Colored Masons' Election.

Boston, Dec. 16.—Prince Hall grand lodge of Masons (colored) at its annual convention yesterday re-elected Most Worshipful Grand Master Douglass of New Bedford, and also all officers who have served the past term. The grand secretary was instructed to correspond with the grand lodge of Masons of the state of Washington, and thank that body for the stand which it has taken toward the colored Masons of this country by honoring Prince Hall grand lodge of Massachusetts.

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The national disease of Americans is indigestion or in its chronic form dyspepsia and for the very reason that it is so common many people neglect taking proper treatment for what they consider trifling stomach trouble when as a matter of fact indigestion lays the foundation for many incurable diseases. No person with a vigorous healthy stomach will fall a victim to consumption. Many kidney diseases and heart troubles date their beginning from poor digestion; thin, nervous people are really so because their stomachs are out of gear weary, languid, faded out women owe their condition to imperfect indigestion.

When nearly every person you meet is afflicted with weak digestion it is not surprising that nearly every secret patent medicine on the market claims to be a cure for dyspepsia, as well as a score of other troubles when in fact as Dr. Werther says there is but one genuine dyspepsia cure which is perfectly safe and reliable and moreover this remedy is not a patent medicine but it is a scientific combination of pure pepsin (free from animal matter) vegetable essences, fruit salts and bismuth. It is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Despepsia Tablets. No extravagant claims are made for them but for indigestion or any stomach trouble Stuart's Dspepsia Tablets are far ahead of any remedy yet discovered. They act on the food eaten no dieting is necessary simply eat all the wholesome food you want and these tablets will digest it. A cure results because all the stomach needs is a rest which Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give by doing the work of digestion.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Civil Service Reform league opened its session at Washington.

Walter Lacy, a veteran actor of the Phelps-Kean period, died at London.

The death is announced of William John Logh, Baron Newton, in the 70th year of his age.

The collapse of a wall during a fire in the Palace livery stables at Chicago killed two firemen.

Admiral Dewey cabled the navy department that the Raleigh sailed from Manila for New York, via Suez.

Agoncillo, the representative of Aguinaldo, declares that the peace treaty's cession of the Philippines is illegal, and must first be ratified by the people.

Christopher Sykes, the well-known clubman, society leader and intimate friend of the Prince and Princess of Wales, died yesterday in his 67th year.

Dr. Irving F. Graves, one of the most prominent physicians of Nashua, N. H., dropped dead of heart disease. He was prominent in social circles and in Masonry.

According to the Paris correspondent of the London Daily News, the late Antonio Terry, husband of the former opera singer, Sybil Sanderson, left his entire fortune to his widow.

William Louis Schley, veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died at Baltimore. He was 75 years old. He organized the Fifth regiment, M. N. G. Since the war he had practised law. He was a musician and poet of considerable ability.

The ferryboat J. B. Brinkerhoff, which left New York Wednesday for Havana, commanded by Captain O'Brien of filibustering fame, returned and anchored off Thompkinsville, damaged by fire in a part of her woodwork, ignited from electric light wires.

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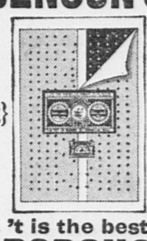

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2 30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
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r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
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r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

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r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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Real Alligator, 11-inch	$2.98
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THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business, that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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THE SOCIAL REALM.

My friend, the golden age hath passed away.
Only the good have power to bring it back.
Shall I confess to thee my secret thought?
The golden age . . . —that lovely prime—
Existed in the past no more than now;
And, did it e'er exist, believe me still,
As then it was, it may now be restored.
—Goethe.

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Miss Grace Burke returns from Vassar next week for the Christmas recess of the college.

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The Lexington Historical society is to celebrate Forefathers' Day on December 21, when Hon. Charles Francis Adams will give the address of the day.

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Harvard college closes on Thursday for the Christmas recess and reopens on Wednesday, January 4th.

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Mr. Robert Scholes who has been visiting his son, William I. Scholes, of Billings street, has returned to his home in Wauregan, Conn.

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A quiet wedding took place at the residence of James Bowles of Botolph street, Atlantic, on Wednesday evening, the contracting parties being his daughter Miss Grace E. and Mr. Augus Polson of Neponset. Rev. J. H. Whitaker performed the ceremony. They will reside with Mr. Bowles.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Clapp of Braintree are contemplating a trip south.

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Wellesley college closed on Wednesday for the usual three weeks' Christmas recess, and will not reopen until Thursday January 6th.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Schenkelberger are spending a few weeks in Washington, and the south.

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Miss Clara L. Baxter of Greenleaf street returns next week from Vassar college for the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Marr gave a pleasant whist party at their residence on Beach street, Wollaston Park, on Thursday evening. Seven tables were occupied for two hours and the fortunate winners were Mrs. Fred Haynes and Miss Hortense Barker, and Mr. Winthrop J. Fearebay and and Mr. Henry R. Smith. It would be be unfair to mention the name of the gentleman who made the lowest score, though he tried hard to appear at ease, displaying his score card with only three little perforations. He attempted to bribe the conductor, but she was honest so that left him to play out on his merits, the result proving that his knowledge of the game bore out the statement his wife made before he entered into the contest. After ice cream and cake were served, Mr. A. W. Polk led in singing many songs, Dr. Marr of Dorchester sang a baritoue solo in a finished manner. At eleven o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Marr, were bidden goodnight.

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Mr. Charles Dyer entertained the members of the Eclectic whist club of Weymouth, Thursday evening.

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Miss M. Alice Prentiss of Providence, R. I., is visiting her parents, at North Weymouth

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A social event of importance to the young people will be a Hurdy Gurdy party to be given under the auspices of the Fragment society of the Unitarian church, at Music hall, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec 28th, from two to six.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Abercrombie of Braintree started for Salt Lake city Tuesday.

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The Slayton Jubilee Singers who appear at the People's course at Music hall, tonight are conceded everywhere to be the best company of colored artists now on the stage. They are at present on a tour of the country and made a great success at Lynn, where they appeared early this week. It is expected there will be a large house to see them tonight.

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There will be a vesper service at the First Unitarian church tomorrow at four o'clock.

People's Course.

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7.45 o'clock. Doors open 7.15.

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WITH OUR SOLDIERS. A CHRISTMAS-BOX FROM HOME. FROM HARPER'S WEEKLY

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It is safe to say that Christmas day of 1898 will be a strange and interesting one to a few thousand American volunteers who are stationed in Cuba, Puerto Rico, or away across the Pacific in the Philippines. Many of these soldiers and sailors will this year spend their first Christmas away from home: many of them heretofore have never been more than a hundred miles from their native town. Of course, they may have a little twinge of homesickness, but the average American soldier in good health and spirits doesn't need much sympathy. He is going to have a good time, and is sure to celebrate Christmas in a fitting and appropriate way wherever he is, in Ponce or Santiago or Manila. It will be a novel and exciting day to him, with much to attract and much to interest. There will be cock-fights and bull-fights, and a thousand queer foreign festivities. Incidentally we may rest assured that the American soldier will contribute his share towards the general enjoyments and introduce some striking features of his own invention.

But the Chistmas season of 1898 will find a great number of our soldiers and sailors on sick-beds in hot and reeking hospitals, and for these it will be a long, homesick day. Our illustration, taken from the Christmas issue of Harper's Weekly shows one of our soldiers in a hospital tent at Santiago, and if the Christmas box is not a home Christmas dinner, it is the next thing to it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Davis of Bangor, Maine, and their three charming children arrived in town yesterday to spend Christmas with Mrs. William Johnson, Mrs. Davis' mother.

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Miss Alice Gutterson of Weymouth is ill with pneumonia.

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Miss Corlew will begin her second quarter on Saturday Dec. 31. Her dancing classes this year have been more largely attended than ever showing increasing popularity. The young people enjoy themselves and at the same time make rapid progress, and even the beginners this fall are now quite proficient.

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L. S. Richards is accompanied at Hotel Greenleaf by the portrait artist, Miss Eleanor R. Richards, his daughter, who will spend the winter with him at 203 West Springfield street, Boston, where she will continue her art work in her studio at that place. Miss Richards has resigned her position in charge of the Art Department at the Edgeworth school, Baltimore, Md., where she has been for the past five years.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of East Braintree celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday evening of this week. Some twenty of their chidren, grandchilden and great-grandchildren were present. Grandpa played whist and Grandma poured the chocolate as nicely as they could have fifty-five years ago. A photograph of the happy couple and of the whole party was secured and will be highly prized.

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Mrs. Melville Clapp and family, are visiting Mrs. Charles Nash, at Weymouth Heights.

SANTA CLAUS FAXON

He Sends a Christmas Gift to All the Sunday Schools.

Mr. Henry H. Faxon is today sending a check to each of the 21 Protestant churches of Quincy to be applied to the celebration of the Christmas festival of their Sunday Schools.

The checks are apportioned among the various schools according to the average weekly attendance of scholars during the past year. The largest check, $75, will go to the Bethany Congregational Sunday School, which had an average attendance of 300 scholars, while $15, the smallest sum, is the portion of those Sunday Schools which have an average of less than 50 scholars. The total amount of the 21 checks is $585.

Quincy, Decemebr 17, 1898.

To the Pastor or Treasurer of —— Church:

Dear Sir: Inclosed find check for $— to be expended in making the Christmas festival of your Sunday School an event of true social enjoyment to all who may participate in the festivities of that ocasion.

Very truly yours,
Henry H. Faxon.

Memorial Desk.

It is pleasing to the attendants of Christ church to learn that their former rector, Rev. H. Evan Cotton, kindly remembers them, and as he desires to perpetuate the memory of his late wife, who was held in high esteem in Quincy, the proposed gift is doubly acceptable. The accompanying letter reads:

The Rectory,
Hagerstown, Md.

To the Rector and Vestry of Christ Church, Quincy, Mass.

Dear Sirs: I would like to place a Memorial Litany Desk to Mrs. Cotton in Christ church, dear to us all through many happy years of worship and service. I have written to Mr. Geisler, who made the one in use here for me, to learn if he can make a similar one in time for Christmas. The materials used are iron and brass with a wooden desk. Trusting this will meet with your acceptance, I am,

Yours faithfully,
Henry Evan Cotton.

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Children and Young People

—AT—

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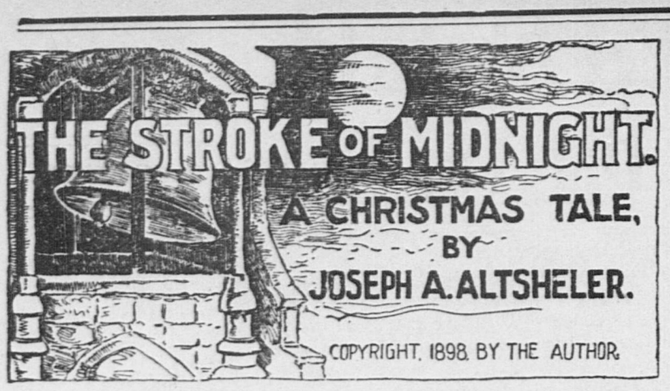


The battle trod to and fro in the darkness and the whirling snow; tiny blue flames, nearly smothered by the night and the melting flakes, shot up from the half burned houses, flickered awhile and then went out, to be succeeded by others as feeble; rifle shots rattled in irregular volleys, and the smoke from the gun muzzles increased the obscurity which was scarcely broken by the flashes from the weapons and the faint light of the smoldering timbers.

The wind with an edge of ice whirled here and there and impartially drove gusts of snow into the faces of the combatants, but could not dim their rage. Passion and courage were equal in each, and though the main battle had passed on their own little corner of the struggle was as important to them as the fate of great armies, and neither would yield the ground which had already become where they fought a slippery mire of red mud and snow.

Fleming, the first lieutenant, was shouting to his men and gesticulating with his sword, broken at the point by a rifle ball, though he had never noticed it. The big flakes struck in his eyes and blinded him at times, but he fought on, encouraging his soldiers, struggling through the mire, and watching the combat as best he could

THEN THE WILD RUSH CARRIED HIS LITTLE BAND UPON THE ENEMY.

by the feeble light of the burned buildings. The difficulties of the battlefield, the snow, the darkness, the fierce resistance of the enemy, his inability to drive them back, filled him with the unreasoning rage of youth. A man who despised oaths he began to use them with rapidity and unction and was unconscious of doing so. But his soldiers needed no spur from their commander. Evans, the second lieutenant, a year younger than himself—Fleming had reached the honorable age of 20—was by his side, firing with his pistols at the flitting black forms that opposed them, and around the two lieutenants fought a little band of splashed and begrimed men with a courage and energy equal to those of their leaders.

A wall of a house fell on a bed of live coals and the timbers blazed up with sudden vividness, cutting through the darkness and casting a distorting light over the snow, the ruined village and the fighting men.

Fleming paused for a moment to grasp his field of battle by the new light that had come. The flames magnified some objects, diminished others and made the whole unreal and fantastic. The forms of his enemies wavered as the flames flickered and grew to gigantic size, the bloody spots on the snow spread and united, and the scorched rafters of an abandoned house made an ugly black tracery in the sky. In the momentary stillness that had seized them all Fleming heard the sputtering of the snowflakes as they fell in the flames.

Being able now to see his battlefield, the lieutenant knew that the little church which stood somewhat to his right was its key, and, shouting to his men to follow, he rushed forward that he might seize it at once and cut off his enemy.

The soldiers fired a volley and dashed toward the church, but the leader of the hostile band was as quick of eye and as ready of action as Fleming, and when the lieutenant and his men entered one door of the church their antagonists dashed in at the other.

Fleming's wrath flamed to its highest pitch. It seemed a personal injustice to himself that his foe should be so stubborn and so prompt, and his resolve to overcome him grew with his anger. He stopped just inside the door, and his men gathered around him. The room was dim, but Fleming saw the outlines of the benches and at the far end the pulpit. The building, until then outside the line of battle, seemed to have been untouched. The light from the blazing house flared in at the window and fell across the faces of his enemies, who were entering at the farther door. Neither side gave a thought to the character of the place, but both knew that a fierce struggle was sure to follow for the possession of so strong a fort as a brick building, and they prepared at once for the issue. Three or four of the heavy wooden benches, which served as pews hastily thrown together, made a good breastwork, and standing behind it Fleming and his men waited to see what the enemy would do.

The hostile leader waited, too, perhaps with the same purpose, and again the building was silent. The fallen wall was burning finely and the light from it now shone through the window with a steady radiance and drove the dusk from the room.

Fleming listened intently and heard nothing from without. The battle, save for his own part in it, seemed to have ended or to have gone far away. The snow, driven against the window panes, gleamed red in the light of the flames, and the wind increased in violence. All this was but the affair of a moment, and then Fleming turned the full attention of eye and ear to his enemy. That the two little bands had been left to fight their battle alone was no inducement to him to draw away from the conflict; rather it increased his desire to triumph, for the field was now wholly his own. Evans whispered to him that they must rush the rebels, and Fleming, nodding his head, gave a quick command to the men, who leaped over the hasty fortification that they no longer desired and rushed upon their enemies, the lieutenants, as always, at their head.

Fleming knew that it was a bold plan allied to rashness, but he trusted that success would come from its suddenness and that he would be upon his antagonists before they could recover from their surprise and shoot down his men. A few swift steps took him across the room. He was filled with a fierce exultation, for he believed that he was about to triumph, but even in the wild rush of the moment and with a mind concentrated upon the impending struggle, he observed the room again, the rows of wooden benches, the aisles, the pulpit at the far end, the stairway that led to the second floor, and the light through the window flaring redly over everything. Then the wild rush carried his little band upon the enemy, and, as he had hoped, the surprise of the sudden movement made its success.

A few scattering shots that went wild were fired at them, and then they were over the benches and in the midst of the triumphant combat. Fleming was burning with the battle fever, and again he began to shout to his men and utter oaths of which he was unconscious, striking with his sword and calling at times upon his antagonists to yield.

He found that he was opposed by soldiers as valiant as his own. Beaten by numbers, those who were not wounded or taken by force refused to surrender, and wheeling about as if by a sign from their leader rushed up the stairway, which began almost at their feet, and sought refuge and a second defense on the next floor.

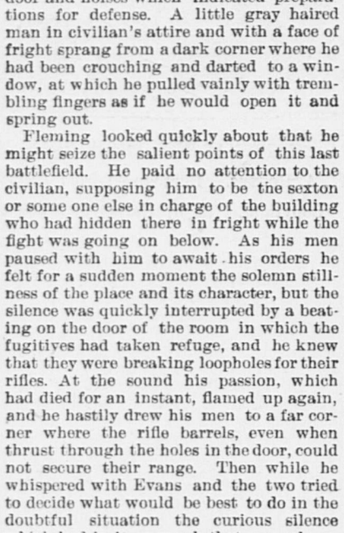
Disappointment now mingled with Fleming's anger, but neither emotion caused him to forget for the moment his military prudence. Hastily dispatching a few of his men to keep watch at the windows outside and prevent escape there, he sprang up the stairway with the others in quick pursuit of the fugitives. Rage and excitement blinded him to the danger of shots from above, and Evans, as eager as himself, pressed on by his side, while the men crowded close after, the wooden stairway giving a dull echo under their footsteps.

The light from the flames of the burning village did not reach the second floor, and Fleming stood for a moment or two trying to accustom his eyes to the dusk. As the pupils distended he saw the last of the fugitives disappearing in a small room, and then he heard the slamming of the door and noises which indicated preparations for defense. A little gray haired man in civilian's attire and with a face of fright sprang from a dark corner where he had been crouching and darted to a window, at which he pulled vainly with trembling fingers as if he would open it and spring out.

Fleming looked quickly about that he might seize the salient points of this last battlefield. He paid no attention to the civilian, supposing him to be the sexton or some one else in charge of the building who had hidden there in fright while the fight was going on below. As his men paused with him to await his orders he felt for a sudden moment the solemn stillness of the place and its character, but the silence was quickly interrupted by a beating on the door of the room in which the fugitives had taken refuge, and he knew that they were breaking loopholes for their rifles. At the sound his passion, which had died for an instant, flamed up again, and he hastily drew his men to a far corner where the rifle barrels, even when thrust through the holes in the door, could not secure their range. Then while he whispered with Evans and the two tried to decide what would be best to do in the doubtful situation the curious silence which had in it so much that was solemn and impressive fell again over the place.

The defenders had broken the holes in the door and were motionless and silent, awaiting the advance of their assailants, who still stood in their corner hesitating. Only faint gleams of light came through the panes, but the eyes of the soldiers became accustomed to the dusk. The gray haired little man had ceased his efforts to open the window and stood with his back to it, his face expressing his fright and horror at what had happened and what was about to happen.

Fleming heard the ticking of a clock somewhere over his head, but he did not look up to see. In his indecision his eyes wandered to the civilian, and he was amused at the old man's fright. But,



"STOP!" SAID THE OLD MAN IN A FIRM VOICE.

then, he had no business there and must take his chances. The fight could not pause for him. Yet the wrinkled face and the pinched features attracted and held Fleming's eyes, and he wondered in a vague way what the man would do—whether he would crouch again in the corner or make another effort to escape by the window. The man's eyes met his own and stared into them with a gaze that seemed to the young lieutenant to be full of reproach and upbraiding.

Fleming could not account for the influence of this stranger, and the sudden strength of the gaze that met his own and held him back from his purpose, for the figure of the old man was not commanding, and his fright was obvious. He was about to order him down the stairs, but at that moment the civilian raised himself up, and his eyes grew bolder.

Fleming with the quickness of intuition saw that this old man whom he had despised felt one of those sudden inspirations of courage which sometimes come even to cowards. He saw the expansion of the figure, the brightening of the eye, the look that was prophetic, and again he paused as he was about to give a command.

"Stop!" said the old man in a firm voice, raising his hand and pointing an accusing forefinger at Fleming.

The lieutenant hesitated and looked at him in wonder.

"What do you mean?" he asked.

"Stop, I say!" repeated the old man.

Fleming laughed and with contempt. He had thrown off the momentary influence of the accusing look, and his mind returned with full force to his original purpose, the destruction of the rebels who had intrenched themselves in the room.

"Out of the way!" he exclaimed angrily. "We're going to storm that room in there, and we will not be responsible for stray bullets."

The old man did not shrink back at the officer's emphatic command. His eyes

FLEMING AND EVANS SALUTED THEM WITH MILITARY COURTESY.

were shining with a feverish excitement and his courage seemed to grow as the fever rose.

"Stop, I tell you again!" he shouted. "This is murder that you and those in that room, too, are bent upon!"

"It is war!"

"It is not war! The battle is over, and you fight here without purpose! What is the possession of this church to either of you? And to fight, too, at such a time!"

Fleming looked scornfully at the old man who yet held his attention and impressed him.

"At such a time?" he repeated. "It's true that it's night, and the snow is falling, but we're not parlor soldiers to seek our tents because of a winter night."

"It's more than a winter night," said the old man sternly, raising his accusing finger again and pointing it at Fleming. "Listen!"

The unseen clock overhead began to strike, and Fleming and his men, awed despite themselves by the old man's manner, counted the strokes under their breath. One, two, three, they counted, and on up to 12, standing in silence and making no movement, as if some new power possessed them. Nor did any sound come from the room in which their enemies lay, and Fleming believed that they, too, had been listening to the old man's words. Then he grew angry at himself and sought to shake off the spell.

"Did you hear that?" asked the old man.

"Yes, I heard it," said Fleming, "and I heard nothing but a clock striking midnight."

"But what a midnight!" exclaimed the other. "And do you not know what morning has begun?"

Without waiting for an answer, he seized a rope which hung by the wall and as he pulled with strong and practiced hand a bell far above them began to ring. Its mellow note, steady and strong, echoed through the night, which heard no other sound now, and rose and fell in a song of joy. Listening to its music, Fleming forgot for a moment the wildness of the winter night and the lust of battle which had burned so fiercely in his veins.

"Listen, listen, I tell you!" exclaimed the old man, his face transfigured by the ecstasy which possessed him. "Is not that a better sound than the crack of rifles and the groans of dying men? Again, I ask you do you not know what morning has begun?"

"How should I know?" asked Fleming. "How can any man who has been marching and fighting and skirmishing for weeks keep track of time?"

"This is the night of the 24th of December, and it's Christmas morning now," cried the old man, "the night when Christ was born and came into the world to preach forgiveness and to teach men to love one another! I've rung that morning in with this bell every year for the last 50 years, and I came here tonight to do it again, though you've followed me and fought in the church itself. Stand back, I tell you! You shall not fight here with the bells of Christmas morning ringing in your ears. God would strike you dead for it."

It seemed to Fleming that the man's manner now had the dignity and force that we ascribe to the Hebrew prophets of old. His littleness had disappeared, he showed no semblance of fear, and his eyes blazed with the force of the spirit that was in him.

The notes of the bell rose far above the whistle of the wind, and even in the presence of those who carried arms in their hands to kill told of peace on earth and good will to men. The sanguinary scenes of the night passed out of Fleming's mind for a moment, and in their place he saw the peaceful Christmas morning of his childhood. Then he looked weakly at Evans, as if he would seek counsel from his second in command.

"Lower your weapons!" cried the old man, who never ceased his ringing. "I tell you again that God will strike you dead if you fight in his house at such a time. What a sacrilege, and you but boys!"

The fever in Fleming's veins was dying. He looked at his men and saw that the lust of combat was passing from them. In his ears rang the joyful note of the bell telling him that Christ was born and had come on earth to teach peace and good will among men. He turned his eyes from his men to those of the sexton, who pulled the rope with regular and rhythmic stroke, and they fell before the gaze of the old man.

"And you purpose to fight here!" flamed out the old man. "You should be down on your knees and thank God that you are alive this Christmas morning. Listen to my bell! It is declaring peace, and no other voice shall be heard in this place."

The last touch of the battle fever passed from Fleming's veins, but he looked questioningly at the door behind which his enemies had fortified themselves. The old man's eyes followed his.

"They, too, shall put down their guns while the Christmas bell is ringing," he cried. "Come out! These men give their promise that they will not fire upon you."

"Yes, we promise," said Fleming mechanically, his mind still wandering back with the notes of the bell to other Christmas mornings.

"There is nothing to fight for here, anyway," said Evans in a low voice.

"Not now at least," replied Fleming in the same tone.

The door in front of them was opened, and their enemies, gun muzzles down, came slowly out. Fleming and Evans saluted them with military courtesy.

"About face!" said Fleming to his men.

Then with their lieutenants at their head the little band marched down the stairway and through the church and out into the snow and past the smoldering embers of the houses to their camp. And above them and around them the clear notes of the bell were proclaiming that Christ was born on earth and peace and good will should reign among men.

Saved His Life and Kicked Him.

Perk and Quirk were walking along the crowded street, feeling very kindly toward themselves and the rest of humanity. Just as they reached the middle of a crossing one of those aggravating individuals who walk one way and look another stepped directly in front of a cable car which was rounding the corner. Of course the car had no fender on it. Nearly everybody in the vicinity yelled, and naturally the bewildered man looked in the wrong direction.

Quirk didn't yell, though. He jumped to the side of the track, grabbed the man by the collar and yanked him clear of the tracks and almost out of his shoes. Then he gave him another ferocious jerk to get him out of the way of an express wagon, and, getting him at proper range at the same time, he gave the poor man a kick that must have driven his spine up into his hat. And with the kick Quirk roared:

"Confound you, keep your eyes open when you are on the street."

Quirk looked unutterably savage, but Perk tottered to the curb, sat down and laughed until the tears came. Then he said:

"You are the only big enough idiot on earth to save a man's life and then kick him for it."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Death of Sir John Moore.

Fearfully mangled by the round shot that struck him full on the left breast, he was the same John Moore that we have found him in 1798. "Are my aids-de-camp all safe?" was his inquiry. Colonel Anderson, who was on his staff at the fierce fight of Foulke's Mill, had to signal with his finger for silence, for one of them, Captain Burrard, had fallen. "I hope the people of England will be satisfied. I hope my dear country will do me justice. Anderson, you will see my friends at home; tell them everything. My dear mother; my dear mother!" and then at last he broke down, and, evidently unable to trust himself further, tried to speak of Hope (afterward Sir John, and finally Lord Hopetoun), who succeeded him in command.

The last words that passed his dying lips were a message to Lady Hester Stanhope, the niece of Pitt, afterward so famous for her eccentricity, as her father had been before her. To her, to whom he is said to have been deeply attached, if not engaged, he sent his dying remembrances by her brother, one of his aids de-camp, and then passed peacefully into the presence of his God. —Cornhill Magazine.

Santa Claus' Predicament.

Santa Claus seemed upset. He stood aff, put his hands in his pockets and gazed in puzzled despair at the row of long limp stockings. Here was a sticker. He went up to one, turned it inside out, inspected it, twisted it, counted its checks and again stood off and looked at it in an agony of despairing uncertainty. "Well, I'll be blowed," said Santa, "if in these days of bicycling, I can tell which is a man's and which is a woman's." Then a sudden smile wreathed round his troubled face. "But I guess a 49 cent bicycle lamp will do in either case!"

The Deception of Song.

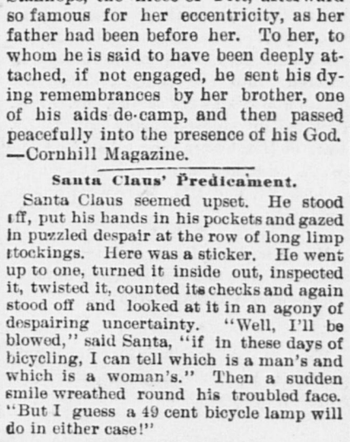
He gayly rhymed of mistletoe
And ruby lips so long, you know;
He thought he'd rather like to see
Just what 'twas in reality.

He tried, and that young doubting Thomas
Was straightway sued for breach of promise.

Oh, yes, he still writes little rhymes,
But now of snow and Christmas chimes!
He pipes his sweet Pierian lute
To pay that breach of promise suit!

In Manitoba you can turn a furrow 100 miles long and not encounter a stone as large as your fist. The earth, for a distance down from three to five feet, is a rich, black loam, made by centuries and centuries of decaying vegetation.

His Feelings.



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GRAVE DEPARTURES

From Civil Service Laws Alleged by the Reform League.

"Laborers" Are Assigned to Classified Work.

Resolutions Declare "Adroit System of Evasion" Prevails at Washington.

Baltimore, Dec. 17.—Sweeping charges against the administration in the matter of violations of the civil service laws were made yesterday at the convention of the Civil Service Reform league.

The resolutions adopted contain the following severe arraignment of the government:

The league is forced to recognize certain grave departures within the present year from a strict observance of the civil service law and the principles underlying it. As to these, it can be shown by detailed evidence as follows:

That the order of July 27, 1897, regulating the method of removal, has been violated in both letter and spirit in various branches of the service, and that in many localities the whole system of civil service administration has been discredited in consequence.

That in the internal revenue service and in the offices of United States marshals appointments have been made altogether in violation of the law, and that such appointments have been made openly for political considerations.

That appointments have been made in the same manner in the general land office, in the forest reserve force, and in other branches of the service of the interior department.

That through appointments and removals for political reasons the efficiency of the Indian service has been seriously affected.

That the operation of the rules in the pension examining force has been nullified by an adroit system of evasion practised by the commissioner of pensions, against the protests of the civil service commission, and of many prominent individual surgeons interested in the honesty and efficiency of this particularly important service.

That in certain custom houses, and in the departments at Washington, many persons have been employed without examination as "laborers" and assigned to various kinds of classified work.

That through these and other methods, the proportionate number of persons appointed in the classified service, under this administration, in full conformity with the civil service rules, when compared with the number not so appointed, has been materially decreased.

That hundreds of appointments to civil positions in the Washington offices of the war department and in certain bureaus of the treasury, were made, during the recent war, without reference to the civil service rules, although the lists of the commission contained the names of several thousand persons eligible for appointment and within easy call; and, further, that the persons so appointed were in many cases illiterate and otherwise incompetent and unfit.

That changes in the consular service have been more sweeping than at any previous time, exceeding in number those made under the preceding administration, and amounting, in the salaried grades, to a total of 237 out of 272, or nearly 90 percent of the whole; and that the system of non-competitive examinations established for certain grades of the consular service has been so modified as to be practically ineffective.

The league also calls attention to the fact that the pledge of the party now in power in the national government to "extend the system wherever practicable," is yet to be redeemed with regard to the postmasters at free delivery offices, the fourth-class postmasters, the force of the congressional library, the employes of the census bureau, the municipal service in the District of Columbia, and, by registration, the labor service, in all of which branches extension is not only clearly practicable, but urgently required.

It is the profound conviction of the league that the rule of outlying dependencies by the United States would inevitably result in disaster and disgrace to the nation if conducted upon the plan of spoils politics; and that the success in such an experiment would be impossible without the strictest and most exacting application of both the spirit and method of the merit system.

Latest From Marlboro.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 17.—As a result of the meeting Thursday night between the joint council of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union and the clergymen of this city, at which one of the latter submitted a proposition which it was hoped would lead the way to a settlement of the present labor troubles, the joint council held another session last night to further consider the suggestion. The proposition was, in substance, that the questions in dispute between employers and employes shall be settled by a committee from the union, dropping the agents of labor organizations, yet still preserving the integrity of the union. A committee was appointed to act on the subject, and they will meet the manufacturers today.

Nearly Three Weeks Adrift.

St. John's, Dec. 17.—Schooner Clarissa, bound for Gloucester from the Bay of Islands with a cargo of frozen herring, was driven into the bay of St. George yesterday dismasted and helpless. She had been drifting in that condition in the gulf of St. Lawrence for nearly three weeks. Her crew of eight men suffered terribly, being in almost constant danger of going to the bottom, as well as severely frostbitten from exposure.

"Antis" In the Minority.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 17.—The Philippine question was debated before the board of trade last night by Edward Atkinson, the exponent of the anti-imperialists, and Rev. Dr. P. S. Moxom, the able pastor of the South church of this city. About 150 heard the arguments. A vote was not taken on the merits of the question, but the applause indicated that the sentiments of those present were entirely with Dr. Moxom.

In a Terrible Plight.

San Francisco, Dec. 17.—Rev. H. W. White, a missionary, who arrived here yesterday from China, says that, owing to two successive droughts, the crops in Chin Chow Fu province have been failures, and the people are dying by thousands from starvation. The people of Shang Fung province are also starving. In some villages there are hundreds of deaths per week.

OUR WEEKLY FASHION PLATE.

A DAINTY FRENCH GOWN OF CLOTH FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

The costume here represented is for general wear, and combines elegance of appearance with simplicity of making. It comprises a simple gored skirt and fancy waist, and is made of red Venetian cloth in combination with red and white striped cloth of the same variety and black velvet with red ground. The skirt fits closely about the hips, but flares wide at the hem, the flare beginning about sixteen inches from the bottom of the skirt. Only thin crinoline should be used as an interlining, else the ripple effect of the fullness will be lost The skirt, as shown, is entirely free from trimming, but readily lends itself to any of the prevailing braid, lace, or satin corded garnitures. The fulness of the back is folded into large pleats, which meet closely on each side and conceal the placket.

The bodice is smooth fitting and seamed in the centre of the back, where the stripes meet in succession of downward-turned points The front is slightly loose and opens over a vest of white Mirecourt lace. The wide graceful revers are rounded and extend from the shoulder seam almost to the waist line. A circular ruffle of the velvet (with black nap and a red warp which gleams through it) finishes the edges of the revers, and crossing the upper sleeve, meets the flat velvet trimming across the back. Where the revers meet a knotted velvet bow is fastened, the ends of which are hidden under the narrow pleated belt. The clasp of the latter is of red enamel.

The sleeves are comfortably small and fitted to the arm. They are finished at the wrist by a succession of vertical, cordlike tucks, and four small red glass buttons, and a shaped velvet flaring lower cuff is lined with white silk. The proper cut of this gown can be obtained only with the use of the cut paper pattern furnished by Harper's Bazar.

To make it for a medium-sized person would require 4 yards of Venetian cloth, 50 inches wide; 3 yards of striped cloth, 36 inches wide; 1 1-2 yards of velvet; and 1-2 yard of lace, 20 inches wide.

SWORD AND STARVATION

Has Devastated Fertile and Beautiful Province of Pinar Del Rio,

Washington, Dec. 17.—The state of affairs existing in the western province of Cuba is shown in this report to the war department from General Davis, dated Pinar Del Rio, Dec. 14:

"Arrived here last night; troops comfortably encamped; have all required supplies; have been received with greatest enthusiasm and rejoicing. Civil governor left province when Spanish troops retired. The alcade called, tendered his services. A small Cuban force is in town as police, good order prevails everywhere. Shall raise flag tomorrow in presence of troops and citizens. Treasury empty and only means of replenishing it a system of taxation almost to verge of confiscation. No custom houses in this province. Country of great fertility and beauty, but ravaged almost to destruction; assured by responsible citizens and foreigners that one-half the former population has been killed or starved to death. Colonel Seyburn with two battalions at Guanajay. He is ordered to occupy Mariel with a detachment. No sickness."

Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The bill to incorporate the International American bank was buried under an overwhelming adverse majority in the house. The debate upon the measure, which opened Thursday, was concluded yesterday at 3 o'clock. Mr. Dingley, the floor leader of the majority, made an argument in support.

The other speakers were Mr. Hill of Connecticut in its support, and Messrs. Bell (Pop., Col.), Sulzer (Dem., N. Y.), Maxwell (Pop., Neb.), Maddox (Dem., Ga.) and Swanson (Dem., Va.) in opposition. The vote by which the bill was defeated stood 103 ayes to 148 nays.

The bill to extend the customs and revenue law of the United States over the Hawaiian islands was passed without opposition. The bill, Mr. Dingley explained, carried with it the civil service laws relating to appointments in the customs and revenue service in Hawaii.

Chairman Loud of the house committee on postoffices and post roads re-introduced the bill relating to second-class mail matter and known as the Loud bill, with an amendment allowing the mailing of sample copies of newspapers at ½ cent for every two ounces, stamps being attached in advance.

Bail For Mrs. Botkin.

San Francisco, Dec. 17.—Yesterday was an exceedingly bad one for the defense in the trial of Mrs. Botkin, charged with murdering Mrs. Dunning and Mrs. Deane of Dover, Del., by means of poisoned candy sent by mail and eaten by the victims. Two important witnesses appeared against Mrs. Botkin. One of them was Mrs. Grace Harris, who positively identified Mrs. Botkin as the person to whom she sold a cheap linen handkerchief and identified the handkerchief. It was the one sent to Mrs. Dunning for her little daughter. Mrs. Rouf testified that Mrs. Botkin pointed the handkerchief out to her, asking if it was not a cheap one for the money. Mrs. Rouf also identified Mrs. Botkin's handwriting on the anonymous letters sent to Mrs. Dunning.

Female Hermit's End.

Westerly, R. I., Dec. 17.—The hermit life of Esther Myers, an eccentric character, came to a tragic end last evening, when her solitary home was consumed by fire, and she perished in the flames. The building was isolated so that the fire department could render no aid. The woman's body, burned to a crisp, was found near the entrance. She was 70 years of age, and had lived alone in a big farmhouse for 20 years past. She owned largs lots of land in the center of the town, which she refused to sell, thus retarding the growth of the place.

How Bryan Views It.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Colonel Bryan has expressed himself very emphatically to his Democratic associates upon the duty of congress in regard to the Philippines. He believes that the islands ought not to be held longer than is necessary for the United States to establish there a stable and independent government, such as was guaranteed to Cuba in the resolution which led to the declaration of war, and he believes it is the duty of congress to make a declaration of the intention of the United States at the earliest possible date.

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WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

All the General Business Channels Are at Flood Tide.

New York, Dec. 17.—Bradstreet's says: Likening the general business of the country to that of a water course, it may be authoritatively stated that nearly all the channels of seasonable trade are at the present time running full, and in some lines of business the stream is virtually out of the banks. This is particularly the case in iron and steel, where production and consumptive demand are alike going on at an unprecedented rate, at a time, too, when it is usual to look for quietness and even dullness in this country. Nothing like the present activity in this branch of trade has been seen for many years past, if, indeed, it has ever been equalled. Advices from all the leading centers of iron production are of an exceptionally eager demand for the crude and manufactured products and of advancing prices, the only anxiety expressed being that by buyers desiring early deliveries.

In other lines of business the situation as regarding prices is a favorable one, notable among the advances reported being nearly all the cereals, cotton, coffee, lumber, copper, lead and a variety of other less prominent staples.

Following the slight recession shown in wheat values of last week an improved demand for export has again developed, which is evidence of the fact that stories of keen competition from Argentina and Russia have been more or less discounted, the United States remaining, as for some time past, the principal source of supply of the world. Corn and oats are higher on decreasing visible supplies, growing out of good foreign and domestic demand.

Increased interest is being taken in cotton at the advanced price, and the situation of the manufactured product has been strengthened by skillful management of the print cloth situation, which in turn has induced a more liberal demand for kindred products for the spring trade. Seasonable quietness is reported in the lumber trade, but prices retain all their old strength, and an active demand is looked for with the turn of the year.

Holiday trade is reported extremely active at most markets, and clear, cold weather is still a stimulus to the retail movement of winter clothing and foot covering.

The country's export trade is of the largest volume ever known, that for November surpassing the total for December a year ago, with the indications favoring a total trade for the calendar year at least one-sixth larger than a year ago, and our sales abroad aggregating $2 for every dollar's worth we buy.

Bank clearings, too, are at the maximum for this season of the year, aggregating $1,691,792,000.

Business failures are about normal, numbering 233 for the week, against 237 last week, 283 in this week a year ago, 359 in 1896, 385 in 1895 and 329 in 1894.

A Brooklyn-Baltimore Combine.

New York, Dec. 17.—That something of a startling nature was to be sprung during the meeting of the National Baseball league, which has been in session for the last four days at the Fifth Avenue hotel, was an open secret, and when the announcement was made that the Brooklyn and Baltimore clubs had amalgamated, no one was surprised. The deal had been talked of frequently during the week, and it was thoroughly discussed in the lobbies of the hotel by the baseball men. When the matter was announced a certainty it was generally regarded as a great boom for baseball in Greater New York, and by some it was considered the forerunner of many changes to take place in the near future.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Luni A. Dean, 45 years old, killed himself by shooting at Boston. He had been despondent from illness.

The New York alumni of the Worcester Polytechnic institute elected T. S. Miller, '79, president.

Henry Rosenthal, 14 years of age, fell on a sidewalk at Boston and died from concussion of the brain.

Chinese rebels in Chuen province have killed 60 persons and rendered homeless 20,000 native Christians and several Europeans.

Herbert H. Ladd, aged 32, committed suicide at a waiting station of the Waterville and Fairfield railroad, near Fairfield, Me.

Dominion liner New England, reported in distress off the Irish coast, arrived safe at Liverpool, after an unusually quick passage.

The national executive board of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church began a three days' session at Cincinnati.

Fire in North Salem, N. H., destroyed the store of George W. Taylor & Co., in which is located the postoffice, and a tenement block, causing a loss of $5000.

The new steamer Cape Charles, belonging to the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad, was burned at her pier in Norfolk harbor. Loss, 100,000.

William Leonard Clark, 79, died very suddenly at Worcester. He was connected with a number of Worcester's financial and social institutions, and was very prominent in local life.

Fire destroyed the department store of G. Harstein Sons at Milwaukee. Loss, $70,000. Losses to adjoining property will make the total about $100,000. John Owen, a fireman, was fatally injured.

W. B. Kibbey of Marshalltown, Ia., won first money and the Watson park live-bird trophy in the handicap live-bird shoot at 25 birds at Chicago. There were 59 entries for the contest.

Professor John Stillwell Schanck, aged 82 (emeritus), died at Princeton, N. J., of old age. He was graduated from Princeton in 1840. In 1856 he was appointed professor of chemistry. Lafayette college conferred upon him the degree of LL. D. in 1856.

Lawrence L. Cross and Alpheus S. Badger, Chicago lumber dealers, who own large tracts of land in the lumber district of Wisconsin, have filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy, in which they schedule assets amounting to over $500,000.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:09; sets, 4:14.
Moon sets—10:44 p. m.
High water—2:45 a. m.; 3 p. m.

While there may be more cloudiness Sunday the weather promises to continue fair, with southwesterly winds, and temperature ranging near 40 degrees during the day.

Did You Ever Notice

How ridiculous some things in newspapers really are when you get them sifted down. A man took a number of Boston papers last Sunday and sat down to read the news. He read a little news but the ad's were so big he began to look them over and then he began to study the cuts. He found, according to the pictures, he could buy wooden toothpicks that were longer than a step-ladder. He found that he could buy a pair of ladies' shoes for $1 48 that were as large as the whole lady in the next picture, who wore a Russian seal sacque reduced for this occasion to $3.27. He found that he could buy a coal hod for 13c. that was twice as large as a ton of coal for $2.71 (may be that was no joke). He found he could buy chairs for 63c. that were as large as a whole bed room set for $9 37, and the more he looked at the pictures the more pictures he looked at. The pictures are not the only delusions in the Boston newspapers these days—are not the only things that look big in print which dwindle when you strike reality.

There have been Overcoats shown in Boston that looked big in print for $7.48 that were worth only $5.00.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	31	40	62	44
Monday	32	50	47	44
Tuesday	31	41	48	58
Wednesday	17	40	40	44
Thursday	30	34	60	35
Friday	28	27	52	20
Saturday	43	33	46	30

New Advertisements Today.

Christmas party for children.
E. B. Collins—Christmas millinery.
Miss C. S. Hubbard—Christmas goods.
Boston Branch Grocery.
Bond Publishing Co.

Good Afternoon.

A new timetable is to be issued by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Co. for this division, about the first of January. Will not Mayor Sears use his influence to have the 11 P. M. theatre train from Boston restored?

Owing to the breaking of the South Boston draw hundreds of Quincy people were compelled to come home by electrics. There was a good deal of hard kicking at the inadequate arrangements made by the Quincy & Boston for handling so large a crowd of people.

Lucky Brookline. It will get $25,000 by the will of John L. Gardner for its public library. Mr. Gardner also bequeathed $50,000 to the Massachusetts General Hospital, and $100,000 each to Boston Museum of Fine Arts and the Boston Lying-in Hospital.

Ward Two seems to be the coming ward. Mayor-elect Keith has his residence there, and should Councilman Sidelinger be elected President of the City Council it will almost rule the city. But these are not the only responsible positions in the city government which the Quincy Point ward hopes to fill; three of its voters—W. H. Sampson, Jr., James H. Slade and Joseph F. Costello—are suggested for City Clerk: John Federhen for Principal Assessor, and Joseph W. Hayden for Chief of Police.

President McKinley puts it well, and imperialism so called, gains in favor. He said at Atlanta: "That flag has been planted in two hemispheres, and there it will remain, the symbol of liberty and law, of peace and progress. Who will withdraw it from the people over whom it floats in protecting folds? Who will haul it down? The republic is today larger, stronger and better prepared than ever before for wise and profitable developments in new directions. Even if the minds of some of our own people are still disturbed by perplexing and anxious doubt, in which all of us have shared and still share, the genius of American civilization will, I believe, be found both original and creative and capable of subserving all the great interests which shall be confided to our keeping."

The United States, which has shown great humanity and kindness to Spanish prisoners of war, and expended large sums of money to send home those who surrendered at Santiago, can afford at this late day to extend the bonds of union and friendship to the Confederates of the 60's. The Spanish war has taught the people of this country new lessons, and the suggestion of President McKinley, that the government should now care for the graves of the Confederate dead, strikes a responsive cord in the hearts of the Union as well as the Confederate veterans. We go further and endorse the bill of Representative Rixey, providing for the admission of maimed, crippled or needy Confederate soldiers to soldiers' homes and similar institutions maintained by the government.

Vesper Music.

At Unitarian church on Sunday, Dec. 18.

"Come unto Me,"	Warren
"Saviour Blessed Saviour,"	Klein
"I Sought the Lord,"	Stevenson
"I Will Call upon Thee,"	Buck

Solo, "My Hope is in the Everlasting," From Stainer's "Daughter of Jairus."

BRYNE RETURNS.

Hopes to Pay Off Sewer Gang and Resume Work.

The men employed on the Wollaston sewer being built by the A. W. Bryne Construction Co. who struck Friday have not returned to work as yet but the chances are that work will be resumed next week.

Mr. W. J. Bryne the man having charge of the work in Quincy has not disappeared as was reported Friday and was about Quincy last evening.

The reason the men were not paid off on time was that the company's money was so tied up they could not get possession of it and Mr. Bryne's absence is explained that he was trying to untie the knot in order to pay the men off. It is understood that an effort will be made to pay off the men today.

CLOSED TO TRAVEL.

Accident to Railroad Drawbridge at South Boston.

Many Quincy people and Old Colony passengers who were going or coming from Boston yesterday afternoon were greatly bothered and delayed by the closing of the Fort Point drawbridge at South Boston to trains. The accident occurred at 12.30, just after the draw had been opened to allow the passage of a vessel. The draw is supported by six guy ropes of wire, and two of them parted at the top of the upper structure.

Luckily the girders were just over their cradles at the time the guys broke. The girders, therefore, simply fell into the cradles, which held them securely. Had they been partly over the channel, they would have fallen into the water and it would have been a difficult task to get them into position.

Quincy people going to Boston on the early afternoon trains, after waiting in the cars some time, continued their journey by electric cars. Many who attempted to make the trip to Quincy via electrics rather than go to South Boston, found the cars very crowded, and it was with difficulty that the cars climbed the hill into Beale street at Wollaston.

All train service from the Kneeland Street Station was cut off all the afternoon. Special cars were ordered from the Boston Elevated Company, and these were employed to carry the people from Kneeland street to the South Boston station. The trains were all started from there. Passengers for Boston were disembarked at the South Boston station and were brought into the city on the cars.

A gang of men were at once set to work upon the disabled draw. New tackles were fitted to the girders and in the evening they were swung into place, so that traffic could be resumed.

New Officers.

The John Boyle O'Reilly club has elected these officers:

President,—Timothy Driscoll.
Vice President,—Patrick Ferguson.
Recording Secretary,—John Reddington.
Financial Secretary,—John Henry.
Treasurer,—James E. McDonald.
Sentinel,—Michael Mullane.
Sergeant-at-Arms,—John Maloney.
Warden,—John Dinneen.
Trustees,—Timothy Driscoll, James E. McDonald, Lawrence Kennedy.

TODAY'S COURT.

John F. Furlong of Weymouth was arraigned for drunkenness and for being a vagrant. The complaint for drunkenness was placed on file, and for being a vagrant he was sent to the State farm.

Thomas O'Holloran was arraigned for keeping a liquor nuisance at Randolph. Case continued one month.

The continued case of John Mashnichka for using and affixing a forged label of the Cigar Maker's Union was called and again continued until next Friday.

The continued case of Leon Coupal of Quincy for non-support was called and again continued one month, Coupal in the meantime to pay $2 per week.

William E. Dailey of Braintree was arraigned for using registered milk cans. The complaint alleged that Dailey filled registered cans belonging to the Bringham Co. and others. While it was admitted that the cans were found in his possession, Mr. Dailey claimed that the cans came to him filled from the South Shore. There was no evidence to the contrary and he was discharged.

William Haley was arraigned for assault, at Weymouth, on Mrs. Buckley. He was fined $10.

T. H. Gray's dye house at Hyde Park was burned at 6.30 o'clock Friday morning. The building contained the carbonizer where the rags were dried, and it is believed the fire started in or near this machine. It was a large wooden building, and with its machinery, stock, etc., was valued at $14,000. It was partially insured.

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CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

More snow is needed for good sleighing.

Wind southwest this morning; rain perhaps.

The snow don't bother Engineer Branch any; he rides his bicycle just the same.

Mr. Alexander Thompson of Elm street goes to New York tonight on a business trip.

Mr. Thomas Kelley of Washington street is at home sick and threatened with peneumonia.

Daughters of St. George are to have a dance and entertainment next week in Hancock hall.

City Clerk Cleaves reports that the receipts from the dog tax this year to date amounted to $1,966.

The dance held in Ellsworth hall last evening was one of the largest parties ever given in East Milton.

Twenty children connected with the First church had a rehearsal this morning for the Christmas services.

Forefathers' day will be celebrated at Bethany church, Sunday evening, with a specially prepared printed service.

Mr. Arthur W. Stetson lost a diamond crown to a watch charm. It turned up unexpectedly in his door mat.

The sewer on Hancock street near the Adams Academy has been completed and the men are at work clearing up.

George Nelson of West Quincy has on exhibition a collection of birds and animals in the vacant store in Adams building.

The household goods of Alvin Rogers which was sold yesterday by Auctioneer Johnson brought good prices. The real estate will be sold today.

There were a good many sober faces last night around the depot for some started from Boston at 6 o'clock and reached Quincy at 9 o'clock.

Quincy friends of Corp. T. H. Hermanson of Co. K are pleased to see him at home again, and trust Quincy air may completely restore him to health.

Where does all the salt hay come from? Most every day two or three loads at a time go through Temple street. All this week team have been hauling it.

The clock on the Universalist church is all of five minutes slow which is very annoying to people in the vicinity and those who pass by on their way to catch a train.

Pastors, superintendents and choristers of the churches are requested to forward their Christmas programmes to the Ledger office in season for publication next Thursday.

Women can run when necessary. The train had stopped at the depot yesterday morning and a lady started from the Y. M. C. A. building to catch it. By a good sprint she got there.

Dr. Hodge who is to give the lecture on Michael Angelo at the Universalist church on Monday evening has the reputation of being a fine speaker. He will be introduced by Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church.

The schooner Joel F. Sheppard (three-masted), Capt. A. M Carter, from Brunswick, Ga., Nov. 19, for New York, is overdue. The Joel F. Sheppard was built at Boothbay, Me., in 1889, and hails from East Braintree, Mass.

Rev. J. P. Marvin, who has lately settled over the Universalist churches in Weymouth, is said to be a young man of pulpit ability. He will preach at the Universalist church, Quincy, tomorrow.

Miss C. S. Hubbard, the always reliable dry goods dealer, in another column wishes her patrons a "Merrie Christmas" and presents an attractive list of goods from which to select Christmas gifts. The rush has commenced so do not put off buying until Christmas eve.

The men's meeting on Sunday at the Y. M. C. A. will be open to both sexes, as workers from Tremont Temple in Boston will be present to conduct the services. Mr. Theodore Hermanson of Co. K, 5 Mass. Regt., will also be present and say a few words. All friends are invited.

—Albert Stephen Adams, Superintendent of the Hyde Park Water Company, who had a stroke of paralysis Tuesday, died at 7.15 Thursday evening at his home, 287 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park.

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Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 12.00
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Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinere Stands,	50c. to 1.50
Rugs,	50c. to 5.00
Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
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Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50
Easels,	50c. to 2.00
3-Fold Screens,	1.98
Portieres, per pair,	1.50 to 6.50
Oak Sideboards,	10.00 to 35.00
Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Oak Hall Racks,	1.25
Boot Black Stands,	1.00
Decorated Parlor Lamps,	98c to 3.00
Artistic Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 5.00
Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
Oak Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
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FAVORABLE REPORT.

That's What Rumor Says on Removal of Tracks.

One of the matters which came before the Committee on Streets of the City Council Thursday evening was the petition to remove the street railway tracks on Adams street, between Hancock and Alleyne streets, and granting the street railway a new location on Alleyne street. It is understood that while some of the members are not in favor of the petition in view of the public hearing held last Monday evening, the committee will report an order next Monday evening revoking the Adams street location and granting a new location on Alleyne street.

It is said that after the passage of the order there are several requirements necessary, especially if the company does not accept the change. But it is hinted that there may be a petition to the Council remonstrating against the change. There seems an honest difference of opinion as to which location is the most dangerous. Unless Hancock street is double tracked to Alleyne street, the service on all the Boston routes will not be equal to what it promised to be, with the double tracking to Adams street, which has just been completed.

Wednesday evening the ladies of the Universalist church held their annual Christmas sale and entertainment. Along one side of the room were the different tables where china, fancy articles, aprons, candy and ice cream were for sale. At 6.30 an appetizing supper was served to which a goodly number sat down. The entertainment was given by five young men from Braintree. It consisted of a farce entitled, Freezing a mother-in-law. It was a very laughable piece and contained many amusing situations. There was a good sized audience present and the play was greatly enjoyed.

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THE LATE BLIZZARD

Report of Weather Bureau and a Letter from Minots Light.

Editors Daily Ledger:

The terrible blizzard of Nov. 26-27 far exceeded both the great storm of Feb. 1, 1898, and that of the winter of 1888 in violence and destructive power. The official records of the Weather Bureau conclusively prove this. There are no official records of the great spring gale of April 16, 1851, which carried away Minot's Ledge lighthouse, drowning the keepers and proving the inadequacy of lighthouses built on iron supports on sea level sites.

The latter storm was accompanied by rain, not snow, and the tide rose two feet less than in the late blizzard. As the wind in spring gales is not usually so violent as in the fall and winter storms, and as the actual damage done by it was less than in the last storm, it is highly probable that it, too, was storm of less magnitude.

The lighthouse which preceded the present structure was a round building erected on about a dozen round iron rods, making a structure similar in general appearance to Bug light in Boston harbor, but of course much larger and higher. These upright rods were held in place by enormous iron nuts, as large around as a man's body, and each weighing several hundred pounds. The immeasurable power of the waves demolished it in short time after the gale of 1851 reached its height.

The present tower is built of successive tiers of huge stones and masonry.

The stones in each tier are laid in the form of a wheel with a round stone, or hub, in the centre, and stone blocks, like spokes, radiating from this hub to the circumference or rim, which is also of large blocks, the spaces between the spokes being filled with cross blocks, dovetailed and mortised into the spokes and each other, the whole mass pined together with enormous copper bolts.

This tower, which is actually stronger than a solid block of stone would be, can defy the power of the waves in any storm, yet should a heavily laden wreck drifting before a gale, be thrown upon the tower by the waves its doom would be certain.

The following is a brief summary of wind velocities during the height of the late blizzard, which the writer copied from the official records of the weather bureau in Boston. "The wind steadily increased and from 3 A. M. on Sunday to 1 P. M. it blew at an hourly rate of from 40 to 50 miles; the maximum rate being 60 miles at 11 A. M. and nearly that at noon. The extreme rate for any one mile was 72 miles per hour at 11.02 A. M. During the afternoon and night the wind slowly diminished in force. The wind blew from the northeast till 2 A. M. Sunday, then north till 4.20 P. M., then northwest.

The writer received the following letter from Mr. Milton Reamy, keeper of Minot's light which tells of the storm, and may interest the readers of the Ledger:

Minot's Ledge Light,
December 12, 1898.

Dear Sir: When I arrived on shore from the tower today where I have been for the last fortnight, I found your letter. As I have been too busy to answer it before you will please excuse me. As regards storms, when at the tower we are shut in and cannot see the storms at their worst. Myself and Mr. Lapans, the 2d assistant went out to the tower on Saturday the 26th inst. The weather was fine, the sea as smooth as a mill pond. It remained so until towards night when the wind sprang up from the eastward and increased in force until Sunday morning when it was something terrific. I have never experienced anything like it before, although we have had some terrible storms while I have been keeper of this light. Of course the tower trembled more or less and there was some very heavy pounding by the seas, but there was no damage done that we could see. Perhaps if we could have known how much havoc and damage was being done on sea and shore we might have been a little anxious for ourselves; it was just as well we did not know.

We are reasonably sure now that the tower will stand almost any amount of thumping from the seas. While the storm was on, the weather was thick and the windows covered with snow, so that we could not see out, but after it cleared up, we saw within a short distance, the masts of three vessels, the tops of which were just above the water, and other wrecks of vessels and houses on shore, then we began to realize that the storm was more terrible than we had thought it, and when we came ashore and saw the havoc and damage, and read of the disasters to shipping we thanked God, that He had permitted us, in His mercy and loving kindness, to meet once more with our friends and dear ones on shore.

Sincerely yours,
Milton Reamy, Keeper.

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n the hope that no more side-wheel steamboats, structurally unable to outlive a gale at sea, will leave the harbor after hurricane signals have been shown by the Weather Bureau, and in the hope that a law will be passed requiring life-preserver to be filled with solid cork, and not passing as satifactory in the future preservers filled with jute or like substances, about as buoyant as lead sinkers, and as desirable as a death warrant, I am, your reader,

Blizzard.

Woman's Club.

The Belcher Branch of the Milton Woman's club held a very interesting meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Q. Baxter. The topic for discussion was Territorial Expansion. Mr. O. A. Andrews opened the debate with reading a very apt paper on the subject.

Rev. Mr. Rogers, Messrs. Roe, Webster, Richardson, Kimball and Kelsey; Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Joseph Pearce, Miss Brokenshire and Miss Mary Webster took part in the discussion. Increased interest is shown at each meeting of the club.

Mr. Bolten of the Boston Athenaeum, addressed the Central club at its last meeting. His subject being Library Extension. Miss Morrison also gave a talk on Libraries; making special mention of the library at Lancaster, Mass. Both speakers gave many helpful suggestions, and it is hoped that Milton will be able to carry out at least a few of them.

WEYMOUTH.

On Sunday, in Trinity church, Rev. William Hyde will preach the closing sermons in the Advent course for this year. The subject at the morning service will be: "The World Preparing for the Second Fullness of Time," and the subject in the evening will be, "The Golden Age of the Future."

In addition to the services at Trinity church, Rev. William Hyde will hold service and preach in Gardner Street chapel, South Hingham, at 2.30 P. M.

East Weymouth regrets to learn the action of the North Avenue Congregational church of Cambridge, which at a special business meeting last evening, voted to call Rev. Daniel Evans. Mr. Evans is 32 years of age, studied at Bangor and Andover Seminaries, and has been settled at East Weymouth eight years. He is a man of pleasing personality, a very interesting preacher, preaching usually without notes, and has made an excellent impression upon the North avenue people for whom he has twice preached. He is a man of more than the ordinary intellectual gifts, and has a fine record.

At the Union church, Thursday evening, a banquet was held from 6 to 7.30, about 200 persons sat down to a turkey and oyster supper. After the supper the auction sale of pews took place. Nearly ever pew in the house was taken; some brought very high prices. Special services are to be held on Sunday.

Rev. Fr. Holland has purchsed a handsome new trotter.

Mr. David Benson has resigned his position with the Bradley Fertilzer Co. where he has been for many years and has started a business of his own in New York city. Mr. Benson's family will move to New York in the spring.

Just when needed the most the electric lights fail to appear in the stores last night and lamps had to be used to display the Xmas goods which was a great inconvenience.

The schooner Clara Kennard which came ashore in the recent storm at Wessagusset Hill has been floated. The damage is estimated at $700.

The annual meeting of the Fish and Game club of East Weymouth was held Thursday evening at the Masonic building. The following officers were elected for the year: President, M. E. Hawes; Vice President, Wendall T. Dizer; Secretary and Treasurer E. Q. S. Litchfield. A banquet followed the business meeting.

All the schools will observe Christmas next Friday afternoon, Dec. 23, with appropriate exercises and parents and friends are invited to visit the school and help the children enjoy themselves.

Schools close Friday, Dec 23, and reopen Tuesday, Jan. 3.

On account of the recent fire in the Public Library building, no books are loaned at present.

Rev. Melville Nash of Norwell will occupy the pulpit at the 2d Universalist church, South Weymouth, in exchange with Rev. L. W. Atwood.

Tuesday, Dec. 20, in the Pilgrim church parlor, North Weymouth, the Century club will celebrate Forefather's day with a reception and banquet.

Miss Wheeler has resumed her duties at the High school.

Prof. Robeson will deliver one of the Tufts course lectures next Friday evening at the Pilgrim church, North Weymouth

At the fair held last week the W. R. C. netted $140.

The Ladies' Social circle connected with the M. E. church, East Weymouth, are preparing for their annual fair to be held in January.

NO STRIKE PROBABLE

Better Business Prospects Expected to Favor Settlement.

Alexander Marnock, President of the Granite Manufacturers' Association, when seen by a representative of the Ledger in relation to changes in the bill of prices desired by the Cutters' Union, said that he did not anticipate any labor trouble in Quincy over an agreement and that before March 1 everything would be settled satisfactorily to both organizations.

A draft of the changes desired has been printed and forwarded to every member of the Association, and at the next meeting a committee will be appointed to meet a like committee from the Granite Cutters' Union to consider the same.

The outlook for next year in the granite industry is brighter than it has been for several years. New orders are coming in much better and the class of work being ordered is much better which means more work and better business.

The Cutters' Union recognize this state of affairs as well as the manufacturers and it is for the interest of both organizations that the bill be adjusted in a peaceable manner before March 1.

For the Daily Ledger.

The Loss of the Portland.

'Twas on the night of the twenty-sixth,
Of November, ninety-eight,
From Boston sailed the Portland ship,
With a load of human freight.
The wind increased, the snow falls fast,
And the night grew darker still,
Warnings the captain heeded not,
Angry seas his vessel fill.

Towards Cape Ann she fought her way,
Amid the stormy seas,
And wallows in the briny deep,
As the wintry blasts increase.
On Monday noon came news at last
From that bleak and sandy coast,
Where many good ships and their crews
Were dashed upon Cape Cod and lost.

Death's angel with its arms outspread
Stood there waiting for its prey,
While nearer drew the vessel fast
To her doom at break of day.
Unconscious stood the captain bold
Amongst the stormy blast,
With eyes uplifted watched the crew
For signs of aid to the last.

The cry was raised in dreadful fear,
"We're lost!" rang amongst the crew,
And with a rush a mighty wave
The Portland on the rocks it threw.
To weeping friends the tidings came,
Loved ones never more to see,
For not a living soul was saved,
All do sympathize with thee.

All friends did gather far and near,
List'ning to the tales of woe;
"Oh, my poor sister," some one cried,
"Oh, why did the captain go?"
The spirit led, the captain went,
With him every living soul,
For all were fated then to die
At the call of Heaven's roll.

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LOST.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.
Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

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WONDERFUL GIFT!—On receipt of six cents we will send to any address, an illustrated picture of "the white stone," mentioned in Revelations 2:17—2for 10 cents. BOND PUBLISHING Co., Box 231, Augusta, Me.
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Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

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Generous Reception Tendered the President and Friends In Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 17.—The president and his party were given a magnificent welcome in the Confederacy's first capital yesterday.

The president's train was escorted from Atlanta to Tuskagee, and thence here by the state assembly, Governor Johnson, Chief Justice McClennan and a party of ladies.

At the union station the presidential party was met by the governor, committees of the assembly, the mayor and city council and the commercial and industrial associations. Mayor Closby received the president with a well-worded speech at the station. The whole party was then taken in carriages to the old Confederate capitol.

The entire route was ablaze with national colors, while crowds lined the streets as far as the eye could reach. Capital hill was a mass of humanity. When Governor Johnston escorted President McKinley into the hall there was a tremendous demonstration. Governor Johnston made a brief speech, in which he said that Alabama had nothing to take back for what she did in 1861, but that she was back in the Union to stay, and that she welcomed the president of the reunited country to this historic spot.

In response to the governor's speech President McKinley said:

"The warm hearted welcome which has been given to me by the citizens of Alabama has deeply touched me, and in return for it I cannot find language to express my gratitude and appreciation. To be welcomed here in the city of Montgomery, the first capitol of the Confederate states, warmly and enthusiastically welcomed as a president of a common country, has filled and thrilled me with emotion. Once the capital of the Confederacy, now the capital of a great and glorious state, one of the indestructible states of an indestructible Union.

"The governor says he has nothing to take back. We have nothing to take back for having kept you in the Union. We are glad you did not go out and you are glad you stayed in. Alabama, like all the states of the Union, north and south, has been loyal to the flag and steadfastly devoted to the American nation and to American honor. There never has been in the history of the United States such a demonstration of patriotism from one end of this country to the other as in the year just passing; and never has American valor been more brilliantly illustrated in the battle line on shore and on the battleship at sea than by the soldiers and sailors of the United States. Everybody is talking of Hobson, and justly so, but I want to thank Mother Hobson in this presence. Everybody is talking about General Wheeler, one of the bravest of the brave, but I want to speak of that sweet little daughter that followed him to Santiago, and administered to the sick at Montauk. I have spoken in many places and at many times of the heroism of the American army and the American navy, but in our recent conflict the whole people were patriots. Two hundred thousand men were called for and 1,000,000 rushed to get a place in the ranks, and millions more stood ready, if need be.

Standing Army Needed.

"I like the feeling of the American people that we ought not to have a large standing army; but it has been demonstrated in the last few months that we need a standing army large enough to do all the work required while we are at peace and only rely on the great body of the people in an emergency to help us fight our battles.

"We love peace, we are not a military nation, but whenever the time of peril comes, the bulwark of this people rests in the patriotism of its citizens, and this nation will be safe for all time because 75,000,000 of people love it and will give up their lives to sustain and uphold it. I thank you, my fellow citizens, for this generous warmth and wealth of welcome which you have given me today, and I shall go back to my duties at our great capitol feeling that we have a united country that acknowledges allegiance to but one authority and will march forever unitedly under one flag, the glorious old stars and stripes."

The audience constantly interrupted the president's remarks with demonstrations of approval, and especially his tributes to Lieutenant Hobson's mother and General Wheeler's daughter.

As soon as he had finished the governor started to escort the president away for a reception at his office, but the audience would not have it. They called for General Wheeler, General Shafter, General Lawton, Secretaries Alger and Long and Postmaster General Smith.

General Lawton, amidst great applause, said: "I am not an orator; I am a soldier; I was not a hero; I am a regular; I am one of the 16,000 regulars sent to Cuba. On behalf of that part of the army I commanded I thank you, people of Alabama."

The other speakers emphasized briefly the power of the Spanish war in restoring harmony and cordiality between the different sections.

Secretary Long was especially well received as he called attention to the fact that in addition to Wheeler and Hobson, there was another Alabamian who had contributed a vast deal to the success of the war in his important work of helping fashion the navy—his predecessor, Hilary A. Herbert of Montgomery.

After the speeches the presidential party went to the governor's office, where a public reception was held for half an hour. The crush to reach the president was terrific, and hundreds did not succeed in doing so, as the president's time was limited. He next went to meet the colored people at Old Ship church, where a great throng received him enthusiastically. He made a short, but forcible speech there. This ended the ceremonies. The party was conveyed to the train, and at 6:30 o'clock, amid the boom of cannon, the president left for Savannah.

The Visit to Tuskegee.

The special train bringing the Alabama legislature reached Tuskegee at 6:30 a. m. In the procession that moved to the normal school were President McKinley, Governor Johnson of Alabama, Colonel Foster of Tuskegee, Booker T. Washington, Mrs. McKinley, members of the cabinet and Generals Wheeler, Shafter and Lawton.

At the entrance to the normal school grounds was a beautiful arch inscribed: "Welcome to the chief," and decorations of bunting, holly, moss and products of the field were in profusion along the road through the grounds. The president and party first reviewed more than 600 boys and 300 girls of the normal school, and 200 children of the training school.

Each of the boys carried a stalk of sugar cane with a palm in the top, each of the girls a stalk with cotton balls at the top, and the children carried stalks tipped with mistletoe.

President McKinley showed much interest and pleasure as he viewed the procession. After the procession of students came some 50 floats representing all departments of the school work. Many of these were by way of contrast, one representing the old way of doing things, the other the new way. These floats drew forth tremendous applause.

After this procession all present followed the president to the beautiful new chapel. Only about 3000 people gained admittance. Here singing by the students of plantation melodies, the most quaint and beautiful of the black belt section, was a special feature and was greatly enjoyed by the president and the entire audience.

Booker Washington introduced Governor Johnston, who, in turn, introduced President McKinley. The president and General Wheeler were listened to with special attention. At 1 p. m. the party left for Montgomery.

Ordained to Priesthood.

Boston, Dec. 17.—The annual ordination for the ecclesiastical students of the archdiocese of Boston was held at the cathedral of the Holy Cross yesterday. Nineteen young men from the diocesan seminary at Brighton were ordained to the priesthood by Archbishop Williams, and many more were elevated to other degrees of ecclesiastical dignity. The archbishop officiated as the ordaining prelate and as celebrant of the mass. At the conclusion of the mass the young priests retired to the basement, where they met their friends and conferred upon them their first blessing.

Moore Found Guilty.

New York, Dec. 17.—William A. E. Moore, accused of having robbed Martin Mahon on the night of Nov. 4 last in a "badger game," in which Fayne Moore, the defendant's alleged wife, was charged with having taken part, was last night convicted by a jury before Recorder Goff. The verdict contained a recommendation of mercy. This was Moore's second trial, the jury having disagreed in the first. Sentence will probably be pronounced on Monday. The trial of Fayne Moore, the co-defendant, was set down for Monday.

Didn't Serve Time.

Dubuque, Ia., Dec. 17.—One of the most sensational cases ever tried in Iowa has been taken from the federal court docket by Judge Shiras' order dismissing the indictment, returned six years ago, against R. E. Graves for alleged false returns to the treasury department on the condition of the defunct Commercial National bank. Graves was president of the bank. He was convicted and received a five-year sentence. He has since been out under a $15,000 bond.

Lineman Killed,

Providence, Dec. 17.—William Holland was instantly killed yesterday while stretching a wire across a street here. The wire on which he was working broke and fell across a trolley wire. Holland grasped it in his ungloved hand without noticing that it was heavily charged with electricity. His hand was burned to the bone. He was hurled to the ground, sustaining a fractured skull and broken back.

For Infringing the Law.

Boston, Dec. 17.—Judge Lowell has issued a warrant authorizing the United States marshal to seize 10,000 cigars and about 645 pounds of tobacco, manufactured by Jacon Rozen of this city, who is under arrest for removing cigars from his manufactory without having them properly stamped and of infringing the trade name of certain well-known cigar manufacturers.

Continental to Liquidate.

Boston, Dec. 17.—The stockholders of the Continental bank yesterday voted that the bank go into liquidation on Jan. 9. This action is in pursuance of the plan to liquidate this and the Manufacturers' bank and to organize the Colonial National bank in their stead. It is expected that soon after the liquidation a first dividend of 100 percent will be made payable.

Crellin In Court.

Biddeford, Me., Dec. 17.—The preliminary hearing of George R. Crellin on the charge of murdering Ivory Boothby of North Saco on Sept. 14 was begun before Judge H. H. Burbank yesterday. City Marshal Burns, Dr. Maybury, who conducted the autopsy on the murdered man, and Coroner Bradbury were the witnesses. But few facts were brought out.

Cousins' Fatal Fight.

Hawkinsville, Ga., Dec 17.—In a shooting affray near here last night John James was killed and Base Turner fatally wounded. The young men were cousins, and had been great friends. At a country party they had a dispute and were about to resort to blows when friends interfered, but on leaving the party the disturbance was renewed.

Charged With Embezzlement.

Suncook, N. H., Dec. 17.—John D. Cornell, also known as William C. Chambers, was arrested at a hotel here yesterday on a charge of embezzlement, brought by Smith & Co. of Boston. The sum alleged to have been taken is $300. The prisoner pleaded not guilty and was held for a hearing. He was taken to the jail at Concord.

Was Long Overdue.

San Francisco, Dec. 17.—The British ship Jules Verne arrived from Newcastle lost, and 10 percent reinsurance had lost ,and 10 percent reinsurance had been paid. She was 82 days making the voyage. Rough weather delayed her.

NOTABLE LEGAL FIGHT

To Determine Innocence or Guilt of Senator Kenney of Delaware.

Charged With Aiding and Abetting Conspiracy.

Bank Teller Boggs Interested In the Outcome of the Trial.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 17.—The question of the innocence or guilt of United States Senator Richard R. Kenney of Delaware, charged with conspiracy and aiding and abbetting in the misapplication of funds of the First National bank of Dover, was given to the jury to decide at 6:30 o'clock last night, after a trial lasting 11 days. Judge Bradford charged the jury for over two hours, and the opinion was generally expressed that it was against the defendant.

RICHARD R. KENNEY.

This is the second time Mr. Kenney has been on trial as a result of Bank Teller William N. Boggs' defalcation of $107,000. On the former occasion, in July last, the jury disagreed. Now, as then, the principal witnesses against him was Boggs. Seldom, if ever, have the courts of Delaware, in a criminal case, witnessed such a legal battle as has been waged in the trial just ended. District Attorney Vandegrift, young, forceful and eloquent, on the one side, and on the other Levi C. Bird, the leading criminal lawyer of the state, and ex-Attorney General Biggs, a son of ex-Governor Biggs of Delaware, and a lawyer of large attainments. Interest in the proceedings has been intense from start to finish, and citizens from all parts of the state have been constantly in attendance.

Senator Kenney has borne the ordeal with much fortitude, although during the district attorney's scathing arraignment of him yesterday he seemed to wince and weaken. Throughout the judge's charge he listened intently and appeared relieved when the jury left the room to deliberate.

Judge Bradford's Charge.

Judge Bradford, in his charge, reviewed the law and explained its meaning to the jury and especially as to intent. Referring to Boggs' testimony and the bank's books and declaring that Boggs' credibility rested with the jury, he said: "It would be very far from your duty, if disregarding what may seem to you natural and inherently truthful testimony given by him, you should permit yourself to be carried away by fierce denunciation, by heated language and by excited and unwarranted epithets applied to him." He said that on the contrary his testimony should be carefully considered, scanned and weighed. Touching again on the testimony of Boggs, he said:

"It is proper to call your attention to the fact that he has been supported in statements made by him on the witness stand, not only by documentary evidence, but by the testimony of witnesses on matters material to the case."

He reviewed the relations existing between Boggs and Kenney as indicated by the testimony, and went over Kenney's story denying the charges. As to the latter he said: "His testimony is before you and you must determine how far it is credible. The deep personal interest he has in the result of this case should be considered by you in weighing his evidence and in determining how far and to what extent, if at all, it is worthy to credit. Where a witness has a direct personal interest in the result of the case, the temptation is strong to color, pervert or withhold the facts."

After further caution to give the prisoner the benefit of any reasonable doubt, but first to be sure it was a doubt born of reason, the judge finished and the jury retired.

A verdict is not expected before late today.

Trains Hung Up.

Boston, Dec. 17.—Shortly before noon yesterday one of the large steel guys on the railroad bridge of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, that crosses Fort Point channel, broke, and, as the bridge was open at the time, it was impossible to close it. Trains on the New York, New Haven and Hartford and New England railroads, both inward and out bound, were greatly delayed.

A State of Siege.

Lima, Dec. 17.—Advices from La Paz, capital of Bolivia, announce that the revolutionists have formally proclaimed a federation. President Alonso of Bolivia is still at Cruro at the head of the government troops. He has declared a state of siege.

Maine Schooner Ashore.

Calais, Me., Dec. 17.—Schooner Harriet, of and for this port, from Portland, laden with corn and flour, went ashore near Robbinston. She is full of water and will probably be a total loss. The crew were saved.

A Dangerous Mixture.

Camden, Ark., Dec. 17.—George Morgan and Charles Johnson died at Ogamaw as a result of drinking bay rum and Jamaica ginger. Mike O'Connell is expected to die from the same cause.

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The Sons of the Revolution celebrated Evacuation day with a banquet at Delmonico's in New York recently. General William R. Shafter was the guest of honor. He chose the time and place to make the first public defense of his campaign at Santiago. He thanked the society for making him their guest and remarked that he belonged to the rival society, the Sons of the American Revolution. Then he told how the American and Spanish armies had fraternized without hate after the battle at Santiago, and how one of them, a man of cultivation, had written him a letter thanking him for his kindness to the defeated troops.

"But I think you want to hear something about the campaign at Santiago," said General Shafter, and the guests looked at each other. "Well, I was told that I was to be the first to go to Cuba and that I was to make a reconnoissance in force. I was told to take my troops, make a landing, get in communication with Gomez, give him 20,000 stands of arms and 4,000,000 cartridges. Before I was ready Cervera's fleet appeared.

"Now, the war was started at the beginning of the sickly season. I knew it was the express intention of the president not to order troops to Cuba till winter—I had heard him say so myself and I knew he meant it. It was simply intended to make a lodgment at Mariel, 25 miles from Havana, fortify it and hold it, waiting for the winter season and making a landing for troops to take part in the great campaign against Havana. But then word came that Cervera was at Santiago. I was called up on the telephone—I was at Tampa—from the White House, and the president himself told me to go to Santiago at once with 10,000 men.

"Now, the campaign that followed has been criticised, in fact, bitterly. If I had it to do again, I would do just the same. I may say that it is easier to say what to do than it is to do it and take the responsibility. I was told over the telephone that Sampson had telegraphed that with 10,000 men Santiago could be taken in 48 hours. I succeeded in getting 17,000 men on the transports instead of 10,000. I can almost repeat word for word my instructions that day. From that day to this I have never had another word as to when or where I should conduct that campaign. We were wholly unprepared for a foreign war. We did not possess suitable transports. I took what was given me, intending to do the best I could. There was no use making any fuss. On June 21 we were off Santiago after an uneventful voyage."

General Shafter then recounted the landing of his army, and recalled that he lost but two men out of 17,000 and 20 horses out of 2,000, and all those by drowning. All his information as to the port he was investing he got from two officers with him, who were reared in Santiago. From them and General Garcia he made up his mind where to land. He found out that there were thousands of troops in the various small towns near Santiago—21,000 good soldiers. General Pando's men, he said, got there on July 2, after a march through the tropical forest of 160 miles.

"When we landed," he continued, "we placed ourselves between the troops of the enemy. We had three regiments of volunteers—one taken from the ranks of the cowboys and good soldiers save as to discipline, and the Seventy-first New York and the Second Massachusetts. There isn't a regiment on earth that in two or three weeks can make good soldiers and stand side by side in a battle without thinking of it. We could not carry a comfortable home along. We had three days' rations. The officers walked like the men. On the third day I had 17,000 men ashore. I also sent two transports 25 miles and brought back 3,000 Cubans, greatly to the astonishment of the foreign attaches, who said the thing was impossible.

"I made up my mind to go for Santiago as fast as I could. On the 25th of June we had a little affair at Las Guasimas, in which 950 of our men met some 1,300 of the enemy. We walked right at them. Our men had positive orders not to shoot unless they saw something moving. The Spanish shot by volleys. In the brush it was no use. The Spaniards jumped up and fired from their trenches, but our men shot too close. It showed the enemy that our men could walk right up to their trenches. It made them very shy. On June 30 we had approached within a mile of their main line.

"Then I made my only mistake. I fought two battles on one day—Santiago and El Caney. I had been told by two of my best general officers that El Caney could be taken before 9 a. m. I should have fought that battle one day and had all my troops ready next day for Santiago. But I told the officers who went after El Caney that I should hold the main battle till 10 a. m. The cavalry had the right and the infantry the left. We simply walked over those Spanish fellows. Our losses were greatest in the brush. When we were in the open, our men moved on as steadily as did any troops in all the civil war. We demonstrated the fallacy of the military axiom that men cannot successfully attack infantry under cover.

"I don't claim any special credit for the campaign. I only wanted to end it quickly. I knew within a month or six weeks half my men would be sick. On the morning of July 3 we had the city pretty well surrounded. That day Cervera sailed out—I think he had got a pretty good idea of what we could do in the two preceding days. Then came delay. There was a great clamor for an assault from everybody. It was the hardest thing I ever had in my life to withstand the clamor. Had we attacked it would have cost 1,000 lives—I believe nearer 2,500. Shelling was of no use. Not a single person was killed by the bombardment of the navy or by the shells I threw into the town."

Then General Shafter told of the surrender and how General Toral made the first proposition. The Spanish, he said, wanted to hear from Madrid first, fearing they would be torn to pieces if they returned beaten. On the third day they surrendered. "General Toral," General Shafter continued, "rode out and his escort presented arms. We presented arms, and he said, 'Sir, I surrender the Fourth Army corps to the army of the United States.' It was simple and we raised the flag over Santiago. I hope it will never come down.

"Men can't go to war for a picnic. If you hurt men badly, you give them a chance to hurt you. To less than 21,000 men an army of 23,000 surrendered. We captured them all, and not a single man of ours was taken prisoner. That is all the explanation I have to make; let them talk as they choose. I say not a single man suffered unnecessarily. I lay on the battlefield at Fair Oaks till worms got in my wounds in the civil war. It didn't hurt me; it only hurt my feelings. Of 1,500 men in my army who were wounded there were but 13 amputations necessary—there was never such a record in the civil war. The modern bullet is more humane.

"Of course we were short of rations. We did lie out in the rain. So far as I know, not a complaint was made by a single man in the regular army. There never was such an army. It was the pick of the land. It was practiced in gymnastics. It was an army of athletes—magnificent fellows. I'm a pretty strong man myself. I lost 60 pounds in four weeks. I knew the only thing to do was to march the men as fast as I could. It was the first time the army had ever invaded a foreign land in force. It was practically the whole army—20 out of 25 regiments of infantry, five out of eight regiments of cavalry, all the light artillery. That is all I have to say. If we had taken all our tentage along, we never could have got to Santiago in the time we did. Gentlemen, you don't know what a tropical forest is. You can't go ten feet without the aid of a machete.

"Gentlemen, I thank you for the honor you have done me here tonight, and for the pleasure I have had in meeting so many true Americans." With that General Shafter sat down. There was much applause, but the guests looked at each other—they hadn't expected anything like it.—New York World.

MATHEMATICAL WONDER.

New Calculating Machine Invented by a Chicago Astronomer.

Professor S. W. Burnham of Chicago, the astronomer, has invented a calculating machine by the aid of which multiplication and division, the extraction of square roots and roots up to the ninth power entail no more mental work than the mere moving of a screw and an index hand. Professor Burnham applies the principle to two metal circles, one within the other. The scale is cut on the inner edge of the outer circle and on the outer edge of the inner circle. The scale is divided into 1,000 lines, with extended lines at the hundreds and tens. The inner circle is movable. This permits an indefinite prolongation of computation.

The divisions are not regular as on an ordinary measuring scale, but follow the geometrical progression of logarithms, the space between the first series of tens being almost one-third of the circle. Multiplication is made by bringing the lines of the figure to be multiplied and the multiplier together. The result is read at zero, as on the sliding rule. The little instrument invented by Professor Burnham extends the process of mathematical operation by the aid of an index hand swung to the center of the machine. The flat end of the index is set with a glass ruled with a spider line.—New York Times.

Another Element In Air.

Professor Noevius in Wiedemaen's Annallen claims to have discovered still another gas which is present in the atmosphere. The evidence is not very strong and is entirely spectroscopic, but should stimulate further investigation in the same direction. After eliminating all lines due to electrode matter a number of lines common to the blue argon spectrum and also to the nitrogen spectrum were discovered, and the supposition is advanced that they are due to an unknown gas which remains as an impurity in the preparation of argon and also in the preparation of nitrogen. A coincidence with one of the lines of crypton was noticed, but in other respects the lines seemed to be unlike any previously noted. —San Francisco Chronicle.

White Uniforms In Manila.

The fashion of white clothes goes with the American officers. General Merritt, General Greene, Admiral Dewey and Captain Seabury of the China, just as that ship was about to start for Hongkong, formed a handsome group, all in snow white linen, coats, trousers, caps and shoes, a few gold buttons and cords, shoulder straps and cuffs the only relief on figures that seemed cut from marble without flaw or stain. When I called on General Aguinaldo and he came in, his name softly announced, he was in white, his coat buttoned, his trousers newly ironed. So far as our officers are concerned in the Philippines, they are not boys in blue, but boys in white.—Independent.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Dec. 18—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—"How to enjoy our religion."—Neh. viii, 8-12; I Pet. iv, 3, 12, 13.

"Go your way; eat the fat and drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared; for this day is holy unto our Lord. Neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the Lord is your strength" (Neh. viii, 10).

True religion is not gloomy, sad and austere. By many people in some ages of the world and by some in all ages the Christian religion has been cloaked with gloom and austerity. But such an idea of the religion of Christ is false and un-Scriptural. Christianity sprang from Judaism and Judaism was a religion of joy and of gladness. Phariseeism had its long face, its black robe and its endless austerities, but Phariseeism was not Judaism. There was much that was joyous and gladsome in the religion of God's people. It was largely a religion of sacrificial offerings of thanksgiving, and the larger part of the offering was eaten by the offerer and his friends in a social festal meal. Thus it was here in connection with the celebration of the feast of trumpets, the New Year's festival of the Jews, after their return from captivity. At the reading of the law the people were inclined to be sad and sorrowful, as they remembered their sins, but Nehemiah calls upon them to put away sadness and to rejoice. The three great annual festivals of the Jews were seasons of joy and gladness and of social feasting. Of all the Jewish religious observances, only one was a fast, and that was the day of atonement.

Christianity is the flower of which Judaism was the bud, and it partakes of its joyful characteristic. Christianity is a gospel, an announcement of glad tidings. It was heralded by angelic songs of gladness. It produces results in the hearts and lives of men that awaken joy among the angels of God in heaven. Why should it not produce joy in the believers upon earth? As in the case of the Israelites here we are commanded to rejoice. "Rejoice in the Lord alway," says Paul, "and again I say rejoice."

The benefits of Christian joy are innumerable. Joy strengthens, invigorates. "The joy of the Lord is your strength." A joyful spirit is much better able to meet the trials and burdens of life. It fortifies us against the temptations to worldly joys. One who has tasted of the joy of the Lord cares little for the pleasures of the world, which were formerly so attractive. Our joy will also benefit others. Joy is contagious. If we are joyful, our joy will be imparted to others. If we are gloomy and sad, we will make them so. We owe it to Christ Himself to be joyful. In a joyful life we recommend Christ to men, in a gloomy life we make Him unattractive to them. Even in sufferings and trials we can rejoice." Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial, which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you, but rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings, that when His glory shall be revealed ye may be glad also with exceeding joy." Understand your religion. Live it, and you will find joy in it.

Bible Readings.—Job xx, 4, 5; xxix, 1-25; Ps. xvi, 8-12; xlvii, 1-4; xlviii, 1, 2; li, 10-12; cxxvi, 5; Isa. xxix, 19; xxxv, 1, 2; lxv, 14; Jer. xv, 16; Math. xxv, 14-30; Luke ii, 1-14; xv, 1-10; Phil. ii, 4.

Suffering Sorrow.

Over and over again the old truth comes back to us that no man is good for much till he has suffered a great sorrow. The baptism of pain is one of the instrumentalities which God uses for purging away the dross of our nature and making us fit to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light. Not those who have escaped the fiery trial, but those who have gone through it and come out unhurt and glorified are to be envied. God knows what is best for us. Therefore He sends first one affliction and then another upon us. Sometimes, because He sees it necessary, He lifts the very floodgate and allows wave after wave of misfortune to sweep over us. If we have the right stuff in us, we shall be helped and not harmed by these seeming calamities.—Nashville Christian Advocate.

Covetousness.

"I want to increase my pile" is the creed of the nineteenth century rich fool. Covetousness is always looking over neighboring fences and wishing both fence and neighbor were gone. Covetousness is selfishness full grown into greediness. It is the swinish trait in fallen human nature. Its peculiar peril is the premium put upon the power of accumulation both by the world and by the church. In our time a drunkard could not hold office in the Christian church, but a covetous man may not only hold office in a church, but hold the church in his office by means of a pocketbook swelled by unholy gains.—Christian Intelligencer.

Rejoice In the Coming Peace.

This war has surely not made war seem any more lovely. In fact, the full story of the camps, the field and the hospital is enough to sicken any heart, and no one can feel much satisfaction in the "meed of glory" won in conquering such an effete and incapable nation. Let us rather rejoice in the coming peace, and let us learn that righteousness and honesty and purity and genuine honor are the safeguards of a people, and may our terms of peace be sullied by no unjust or unfair demands.—American Friend.

Cherish an Ideal.

No one can cherish an ideal and devote himself to its realization from year to year and strive and struggle and make sacrifices for its attainment without undergoing a certain gracious transformation, of which the highest powers must be aware and men can hardly miss. —John White Chadwick.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Mary E. Poland of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusets, to Judd W. Cone of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth as aforesaid, dated October 19th, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 748, Page 251, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, January 3d, A. D., 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called Atlantic, being lot numbered 219 on plan of "Norfolk Downs" by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, plan numbered 640, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southwesterly by Freeman street, fifty (50) feet; northwesterly by lot numbered 218 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; northeasterly by lot numbered 255 as shown on said plan, fifty (50) feet; southeasterly by lot numbered 220 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; containing five thousand (5,000) square feet of land according to said plan; subject to the same restrictions in deed from Judd W. Cone to said Mary E. Poland.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, balance in 10 days or on delivery of deed.

EDWIN HAWKRIDGE,
Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.

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W. F. MACY, - - - Auctioneer.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph Hantz and Josephine Hantz, wife of the said Joseph Hantz, in her right to Charles C. Barton and Arthur D. McClellan, Trustees of the Manet Land Associates, dated Dec. 15, 1894, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 747, page 410, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on or near the premises, on TUESDAY, December 27, at one o'clock P. M., all and singular the following premises as described in said mortgage deed:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth, comprising the lot numbered one hundred and seven in Section One (1) as shown on the plan entitled Plan of Seashore Lots at Houghs Neck, Quincy, Mass., 1891, owned by the Manet Land Associates, H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 668. Said parcel of land is bounded and described as follows, to wit: Northerly on Babcock street, fifty (50) feet; easterly on lot one hundred and six (106), one hundred (100) feet; southerly on lot one hundred and sixty-four (164), fifty (50) feet; westerly on lot one hundred and eight (108), one hundred (100) feet, and containing five thousand (5,000) square feet of land."

Fifty Dollars ($50) to be paid at the time and place of sale, balance within ten (10) days at the office of the Manet Land Associates, 82 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass.

CHARLES C. BARTON,
A. D. McCLELLAN,
Trustees.

Dec. 3, 1898. 3t 3-10-17

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs. h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
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WEYMOUTH—W. E. Cunningham.
News Agent, Weymouth Heights.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

CHRISTMAS SING.

Old Stoughton Musical Society to Meet at Braintree.

At the request of the members of the executive committee residing in Braintree, the Old Stoughton Musical Society will hold its annual meeting and Christmas sing in the Town Hall, South Braintree, on Sunday, Dec. 25th.

The annual meeting will be held promptly at 6 P. M., President Daniel H. Huxford of Randolph presiding, for the approval of the records, the election of officers,—especially a new president,—hear the report on necrology, the selection of a place of meeting next year, and transact any other business that may properly come before them. The usual turkey supper will be omitted.

The sing will commence promptly at 7 o'clock P. M., and continue two hours, closing at 9 P. M., so that all can get back to their homes at a seasonable hour. The books to be used are the "Old Stoughton Musical Society's Centennial Collection" and "The Peace Jubilee Book of 1872."

Singers will not be permitted to enter at the front door. The south door on first floor has been selected for that purpose, and singers must show their tickets, or be properly vouched for, as the floor of the hall will be reserved for the audience.

That all may attend and enjoy the sing, the price of admission has been fixed at 15 cents, just to cover expenses incurred. The sing will be wholly appropriate to the night, permitting everyone who desires to attend and be entertained.

The solo and quartette singers are residents of Braintree, and have generously and kindly consented to sing. They are Miss Alice Holbrook, Mr. Charles Kohler, the Aeolian Quartette and a mixed quartette. It will be a treat rarely afforded the society to hear these singers. The following program will be presented:

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In the work of arranging for this sing, President Huxford has been assisted by Secretary Edwin A. Jones of Stoughton, leader of the orchestra: Chorister Nelson Mann of Randolph; the executive committee and others, consisting of Past President Dr. T. Haven Dearing, Captain James T. Stevens, Mr. Charles A. Belcher, Editor F. W. Crooker, of Braintree; Mr. William Porter of Randolph; and Mr. Richmond T. Pratt of Holbrook.

It is earnestly desired that all members who can, will attend and help along the good work; and those who would like to join can give their names to the Secretary, or the Executive Committe.

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COMPANY K LETTER.

Little Items of Interest to the People at Home.

Co. K, 5th Mass. Inf. U. S. A.
Camp Wetherill, Dec. 13, 1898.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Co. K won out in the race on the building of the mess house completing theirs tonight, and tomorrow will eat their first meal in it. It has been a hard and exciting race, and every day the other companies would send men to see how much was done on the K mess house; and it came with a big surprise to the other companies to find that we had ours completed first.

The Firemen of Greenville give tonight what they call "a hot time," and the officers of all the regiments here have received invitations to attend.

Sergt. Sawtell of Co. B, with detail, of which Private Randall Faxon of Co. K was one, left today for the military prison in Georgia with three prisoners.

The great question talked about by both officers and men is, "When is the paymaster coming?" He has been expected daily but has not as yet put in appearance and it is a question when he will, or whether he will before we leave here or not.

Sergt. Crane is very busy making out a list of clothing for tropical climates.

Everything here points to a speedy trip to Manila.

Private Clements received a 24-hour pass for having the neatest tent at inspection of quarters this morning.

Artificer Seaverns, better known in the company as "Pop," has a felon on his finger.

Several of the members of Co. K are suffering just now with the army disease, Pipe Dreams.

We have the old detail once more at the cook house, Corp. Tucker, Privates Brown, Belcher, Carlson and Robinson.

Sergt. Colbert went down to Greenville to attend a lodge meeting last night but found that he had called the wrong night.

Lieut. Spear was in command of Co. C today at regimental drill.

Lieut. Whitney is appointed on a board of survey to condemn a lot of shoes issued by the Government.

Sergt. Crane went on a possum hunt the other day. He had the hunt but did not get a possum. H. L. C.

Co. K's Christmas.

The money necessary for a Christmas feast for Co. K seems to come hard.

J. H. Emery	$1 00
Fred Johnson,	.50
Friend,	.25
Emil Gustafson,	.25

PREVIOUSLY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
T. O'Brine,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
A. W. Stetson,	1
Daniel Desmond,	1
W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
C. M. Jenness,	1
From a friend,	$3

Ball at Greenville.

The Greenville Daily News says, The ball in Washington street hall given Wednesday night by the staff officers of the 2d Brigade was not as numerously attended as the recent balls there, the invitations on this occasion being somewhat restricted. However, there were many leading people of the town present, and there being a large preponderence of men, the ladies were kept dancing throughout the evening. The music furnished by the band from the Fifth Massachusetts regiment was all that could be desired, as everyone who has heard this band play knows. The hall was simply but handsomely decorated, the arrangements were perfect and the evening was thoroughly and completely enjoyed.

Co. I, Fifth Massachusetts, gave a banquet Thursday evening at the Mansion House.

Sewer Ready.

A good part of the sewerage system of the city is now ready for use.

The connections at the outlet at Squantum has been made and the pumping station is all equipped ready for use. The system, however, will probably not be put in use until after January 1. The reason for this is that the contract with the city of Boston provides that Quincy shall pay $1,000 per year or fraction thereof. If therefore the sewer was put in operation next week, as it could be the city would have to pay to Boston $1,000 for this year, although they would not be using the outlet more than two weeks.

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BRAINTREE.

Joseph Shea had his nose broken while playing ice-polo on Little Pond, Saturday afternoon.

Chester L. Hollis has accepted a position in Lynn and will not go back to Pennsylvania this winter.

A "Small" lad is a guest on Hollis avenue. He is the welcomed son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Small.

The ladies of the South M. E. society held a successful Christmas sale in Red Men's hall Thursday evening.

The Universalist society has decided to have a resident pastor and hopes in the near future to erect a church edifice.

The Choral society had a grand rehearsal Wednesday night and is making fine progress. Next Wednesday night the chorus meets at Weymouth.

Dr. William Gallagher lectures at Wollaston Monday evening, completing the course of four lectures given at the Wollaston Unitarian church. His subject will be "A month in Egypt."

There was a supper and sale of pews in the Union church, Thursday night. C. A. Belcher was the auctioneer and there were only 56 sittings left. The result financially was very satisfactory to the committee.

The contract awarded to Messrs. Charles McDermott & Sons for widening Commericial street from the junction of Shaw street amounts to $5,640. This covers widening, building culvert, retaining walls, and putting the street in condition for the McAdam.

Seven members of the Republican town committee met last night and endorsed the petition of Mr. M. A. Minchin for the Braintree postoffice. He having been the choice of the caucus.

The population of Braintree in 1895 was 5,311, of whom 4,111 were born in the United States and 1,200 in foreign countries. Of the native born, 1,816 were born in Braintree, 1,666 in other towns of Massachusetts, 501 in other New England States and 129 in other States of the Union.

The unloading and the finishing over of the paper taken from the wreck of the Mary B. Tyler, which occurred at North Brewster in the recent storm, has been going on at the Hollingsworth & Whitney Company's mill the past week. Some of the bundles of paper are so heavy that it takes five men to handle a bundle. The paper is to be thawed out and finished over again. The whole business is under the charge of Webster Crosby of South Braintree.

The second public rehearsal of the Braintree Brass band was held in the Town hall, Thursday evening. There were about seventy-five couple present from Quincy, Weymouth, Randolph, Holbrook, Avon, Milton and this town. The band furnished the music and was loudly encored for their fine playing. The feature ot the evening was the cake walk which was won by Miss Fannie French and a gentleman from Quincy.

Braintree will be represented in the amateur roller polo league which is to be formed at East Weymouth. Manager Thayer has signed the following men for the last year's champion: Johnny Simmons first rush; "Chit" Hollis, second rush; Harry Thayer, centre; Harlow Waite, half back; and Frank W. Jackson, goal. Managers Heyland & Cummings of the East Weymouth skating rink will put up suitable prizes for the teams to fight for.

Miss Annie E. Crowell, one of our excellent teachers, an assistant at the Monatiquot Grammar school for the past three years, leaves the school at the end of this month to accept a position in Haverhill paying a much higher salary. Miss Crowell came to our schools three years ago an inexperienced teacher, but has grown to be a very strong teacher. The school committee did not hesitate to offer Miss Crowell the maximum salary of $480 to retain her. Miss Crowell offered to stay for $500. It seems unfortunate to permit our best teachers to go at a difference of $20, but the school appropriations come so hard that the school committee do not feel justified in breaking the maximum limit.

The schools will be closed next Friday for the Christmas vacation and open again Monday, January, 2 1899.

Miss Grace M. Ward of the Jonas Perkins school has the honor of being the first teacher to take from the public library the ten books on the special teacher's card.

Rev. Mr. Hardy of Quincy will preach at First church tomorrow morning. Mrs. Haskell will sing.

Mr. John Barbour's class No. 27 will rally at 12 M. Christmas tree Saturday evening. The pastor will speak on "Christmas Thoughts" Sunday evening at 7, in the church. It is hoped that the quartette will repeat one of their selections. Everybody was pleased with the male quartette last Sunday evening, consisting of Messrs. Bent, Kohlar, Ewart and Gallagher. These are not exactly Puritan names but they have pure voices.

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

Also the Amount of Each Persons Tax Bill for 1898.

[Continued from yesterday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FIVE.

"B" towns to be continued next week.

WARD SIX.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Wood, Charles E., Baltimore,	72 90
8,329, Billings road, $1,000.	
7,800, " " 800.	
8,254, " " 800.	
8,400, " " 775.	
7,254, " " 675.	
Coombs, Frederick W., Bath, Me.,	7 20
5,000, Flynt, $400.	
Coombs, Frank G., Bath, Me.,	4 50
5,000, Everett, $250.	
Dodge, Alpheus, Bath, Me.,	6 30
5,000, Royal, $350.	
Donnell, Alvah H., Bath, Me.,	2 70
3,750, Newport ave., $150.	
Donnell, Ida J., Bath, Me.,	2 70
3,750, Norfolk Downs, $150.	
Duntors, James E., Bath, Me.,	7 20
5,500, Lunt, $400.	
Flaherty, Martin, Bath, Me.,	5 40
5,000, Flynt, $300.	
Heal, Herbert G., Bath, Me.,	9 45
7,711, Billings road, $525.	
Keizer, Irvin, Bath, Me.,	6 75
5,000, Royal, $375.	
McDonough, Mary A., Bath, Me.,	5 40
7,500, Newport ave., $300.	
Scott, Robert, Bath, Me.,	6 30
4,720, Royal, $350.	
Trivett, Mary E., Bath, Me..	2 70
3,750, Newport ave., $150.	
Williams, Lucy A., Bath, Me.,	5 40
5,000, Everett, $300.	
Winslow, Alfred S., Bath, Me.,	4 50
4,000, Everett, $250.	
Gurney, Charles K., Bellows Falls, Vt.,	7 20
5,000, Tyler, $400.	
Allen, Charles L., Boston,	15 75
8,400, Walker, $875.	
American Tract Society,	3 60
4,500, Ardell, $200.	
Armstrong, Helen	3 15
3,600, Sagamore, $175.	
Arcan, Aline E.	44 10
7,500, Billings, $650.	
Adams, Alfred F., Jr.,	47 70
6,000, Edwin, $250.	
Ball, Charles E.	6 30
10,149, Vershire, $350.	
Ball, Frank A.	4 50
6,858, Bellevue park, $250.	
Barham, R. H.	162 00
24 acres, Squantum, $9,000.	
Barham, Mrs.	36 00
1 3-4 acres, Squantum, $2,000.	
Barri, Bertha G.	3 60
6,241, Vershire, $200.	
Barton, Annie	2 70
3,931, Ardell, $150.	
Barry, Bernard, Boston,	3 60
4,500, Montclair ave., $200.	
Bartlett, Cora	2 25
4,290, Broadway, $125.	
Beaumont, F. B.	19 80
6,500, Bellevue park, $250.	
16,320, " " 450.	
7,920, " " 200.	
7,680, " " 200.	
Beaumont, trs.,	54 00
113,600, Bellevue park, $3,000.	
Beckwith, Mary E.	73 80
10,890, Billings, $1,100.	
Bell, Emily L.	3 60
4,963, Vershire, $200.	
Bennett, Martha	5 40
4,060, Botolph, $300.	
Bent, George E.	4 50
4,000, Channing, $250.	
Berlow, Francis C.	2 70
4,016, Ardell, $1,50.	
Buthume, Neil H.	11 70
7,924, Webster, $650.	
Blackwell, Henry B.	160 20
24,777, Sagamore, $2,400.	
61,500, Billings, $6,500.	
Blaisdell, Geo. S.	10 35
5,101, Charles, $300.	
4,994, " $275.	

To be continued.

☞ A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

Keiths Theatre.

Interest in the great six-day bicycle race, recently concluded in New York, will continue another week at least, so far as Boston is concerned, for the two principal contestants, Charles W. Miller and Frank Waller, have been engaged to give exhibitions on home training machines on the stage at Keith's during the week of Dec. 19, The men will race five miles twice each day, afternoon and evening, and the progress made will be plainly indicated by means of a device similar to a clock dial, which will record the miles so that they can be plainly seen by the audience. The Four Cohans are the headliners in the vaudeville proper, and they will be seen in that roaring farce in which they made such a hit last summer, called "Running for Office," which has been pronounced the best sketch offered in the varieties. The biograph will have its usual additions of new pictures, and the much-admired "Feeding of the Pelicans at the London Zoo," will be continued another six days, as it is considered the best picture of the kind ever exhibited.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

4th SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting in chapel Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Conducted by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of Braintree in exchange with the pastor. Bible School at 12. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service in the church auditorium at 7.30. There will be a special service in commemoration of the landing of the Pilgrims. The public invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by Rev. J. P. Marvin of Weymouth. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Excuses for not doing." Leader, Frank H. Preble. 7.30, Pastor's talk on Palestine, with stereopticon views of Jerusalem. All welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "From the old to the new."—Interpretation of Hebrew Christmas. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "Blessing and cursing of ourselves."

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. Morning services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Young Ladies' prayer meeting at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 by Mr. Friberg from Boston. The candinavians are invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street.—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Our city highly reommended." Bible School at 12 M. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Rebekah—Isaac's fair bride." Christmas social Friday 23d inst., at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

SWEDISH METHODIST CHURCH,—Fort street, Rev. H. Larson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Rev. C. Hagberg will speak. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Dr. J. H. Mansfield, the presiding elder, is expected at the evening service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. R. R. Kendall will preach. Morning service, 10.45. Subject: "The future revealing the reality of the present." Sabbath School at 12.15 P. M. Children's Mission Band at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. o'clock. Subject: "God's thought of man." Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Morning offering will be for the childrens' Christmas entertainment. Sunday School at 12 M. Monday evening at 8 o'clock, illustrated lecture on "Month in Egypt," by Dr. William Gallagher.

WOLLASTON M. E. CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Warehouse, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School and Bible class at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. People's service at 7 P. M. Grand praise-meeting. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Deceived." All welcome.

PARK AND DOWNS UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rawson Road—Rev. F. T. Knight, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30, when Mr. H. B. Bailey of Wollaston will describe his travels abroad. Special music at this service.

ATLANTIC METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. G. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. S. Halfyard of Newfoundland. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7. The service will consist of a reproduction "Quo Vadis" by the aid of the stereopticon." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by pastor. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING—Faxon Hall—Mr. William H. Soper of Rockland will occupy the platform at 7 P. M. Mrs. M. A. Bonney will speak at Rockland. Circle Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 and 7.30 o'clock, at the home of Henry Chubbuck.

Castle Square Theatre.

The attraction announced by the Castle Square theatre management for the coming week in the domestic drama "Mayblossom" which made one of the great successes of the old Madison Square Theatre company about fifteen years ago. It was written for that company by David Belasco and after a long run in New York it made an equal success throughout the country, having had its first Boston production at the Park theatre, Oct. 20, '84. The scene of action is in and near a Virginia sea port town, the time being early in the civil war and the characters types familiar to the domestic life of the locality. The story told is very interesting with well planned incidents and situations. The cast arranged in as follows: Steve Harland, J. H. Gilmour; Tom Blossom, J. L. Seeley; Richard Ashcroft, Charles Mackay; Uncle Bartlett, Lindsay Morison; Eph, Tony Cummings; Captain Hammond, H. H. Fowler; May Blossom, Lillian Lawrence; Deborah, Lizzie Morgan. Millie, Marian A. Chapman; Little May, Little Ada Rose; Yank, Little Doris Bramson. On Monday Dec. 26, the Castle Square company will appear in a grand production of "Three Musketeers.

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Men cannot learn too soon that health is the most important thing in life—in fact, is life. Without it the most brilliant man will be a failure, and the most robust man will rapidly become a physical wreck. The man who neglects the little headaches, the loss of appetite and sleep, nervousness, hot flushings, cold chills, heavy head, lax muscles, and the multitude of bad feelings that are the heralds of approaching sickness and disease, must pay a tremendous penalty. For men who suffer in this way there is no medicine equal to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It sharpens the appetite, corrects all disorders of the digestion, invigorates the liver, makes the assimilation of the food perfect, purifies the blood and enriches it with the life-giving elements that build new, healthy flesh. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption and is the best of all known remedies for nervous troubles. Thousands have told, over their own signatures, the stories of the wonders it has performed. Honest dealers will not urge a substitute for the sake of a little extra profit.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

SAVED IN MID-OCEAN,

Pawnee Took Eight Men and Two Women From the Deer Hill.

The Rescue Was Accomplished With Much Difficulty.

Schooner Parisian Wrecked Off Whitehead Island---Other Marine Disasters.

New York, Dec. 19.—The British steamer Pawnee arrived yesterday from Mediterranean ports, bringing 10 shipwrecked people, who were taken from the disabled schooner Deer Hill in midocean. Captain Aikenhead reported that on Dec. 8 he sighted a three-masted topsail schooner in evident distress and needing assistance. The name "Deer Hill of St. John, N. B." could be seen on the stern. A heavy northwest gale was blowing and a dangerous sea was running. The schooner was seemingly unmanageable and the rudder disabled or carried away. The Pawnee stayed by and finally succeeded in getting a tow line aboard. The line parted, however, and a boat was launched in charge of the chief officer and sent to communicate with the Deer Hill. The boat had nearly succeeded in boarding the wreck when an enormous sea stove it, and after great difficulty the boat's crew succeeded in getting on board the schooner, where they were obliged to remain all night.

On the following morning the weather had slightly moderated and a tow line was sent on board and the Pawnee towed the Deer Hill toward Bermuda. After towing about six hours the line again parted. Finding that the wind and sea was increasing when the line parted it was found impossible to get out another. The captain of the Deer Hill signalled that he wished to abandon the wreck and requested the Pawnee to stand by. The gale continued throughout the 9th, 10th and 11th, the Pawnee keeping her position near the wreck, but found it impossible to use the boats to remove the unfortunate people of the Deer Hill owing to the dangerous character of the seas.

Finally at 7 p. m. of the 12th the rescue was effected and the Deer Hill was abandoned in lat. 35.42, long. 52.49 W. The rescued people were Captain C. W. Burns, Louisa Burns, his daughter; Hazell Merritt, the owner's daughter, and seven of the crew of the Deer Hill.

The Deer Hill was a three-masted topsail schooner owned by C. H. Merritt and others of St. John, N. B. She sailed from St. John Nov. 23 for Santos with a cargo of lumber, a large part of which was deck load, and two passengers, one of whom was the captain's daughter, the other girl a daughter of one of the vessel's owners.

About a week after sailing, Dec. 2, the schooner fell in with a bad spell of weather, the wind commencing to blow hard from the southwest and increasing to terrific force, with a high and dangerous sea, during which the vessel labored heavily and the seas washed continuously over the decks, swept away the deck load, smashed the boats and flooded the deckhouse.

This weather continued for six days with unabating fury until the schooner broke her rudder and became unmanageable. During this six-day blow the wind was from the south southwest and west, and the seas were enormous. Captain Burns decided to abandon the vessel on the first opportunity. On Dec. 8 the steamer Pawnee appeared and in answer to signals stood by and finally after four days' transferred the unfortunate shipwrecked people to safety and brought them to this port.

The Deer Hill was built at Moss Glen, N. B., in 1891, and registered 341 tons.

Wreck of the Parisian.

Halifax, Dec. 19.—Schooner Parisian, 107 tons, of Louisburg, bound from Louisburg to Halifax with a cargo of coal, went ashore on the southern side of Whitehead island, one of the roughest places on the coast. As soon as the vessel struck, the crew knew that she would quickly become a total wreck, so all hopes were abandaned of saving her and preparations were made to leave her at once. The boats were lowered, but speedily swept away by the heavy seas. The captain, afraid the vessel would list outward, ordered the men to cut away the masts. When the mainmast fell the mainboom rested in such a position as to completely fasten the cabin doors and to imprison within Miss Louisa Dowd of Big Lorraine, an invalid, who was on her way to a hospital here. Just after the mainmast fell the vessel went to pieces, and everyone on board were thrown into the icy water. Captain Wilcox, Mate Jonathan and Cook Selon Hubley reached the shore, but Miss Dowd and Seaman Bagnal were drowned. The vessel and cargo are a total loss, and the men only saved the clothes they wore.

Flint's Crew Rescued.

London, Dec. 19. — The Norwegian steamer Tyr, from Philadelphia for Gloucester, Eng., arrived at Sharpness yesterday. She has on board the crew of the American schooner Kate S. Flint, which was abandoned on Nov. 27 while bound from Ship Island for New York. The crew were picked up by the Tyr on Nov. 29.

One Vessel Foundered.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Dec. 19. — The British steamer Piedmont has been in collision with the British steamer Ilios. The collision took place in the North sea under conditions not explained. The Ilios foundered and the Piedmont was badly damaged. It is believed that 20 persons were drowned.

Rescued Crew Aboard.

London, Dec. 19.—The Danish steamer Thingvalla, from New York for Christiania, etc., passed Dunnet Head and signalled that she had on board the crew of the British steamer Govino, which foundered at sea on Dec. 11.

The Gibbs Probably Lost.

Boston, Dec. 19.—It is believed that the brig Mary Gibbs, Captain Coombs, which sailed on Sept. 6 from Newport News for Para, Brazil, has been lost with her entire crew. Nothing has been heard of her since she sailed, and as the ordinary run is but a little more than two weeks it seems more than probable that she will not be heard from again. The vessel was owned in this city, while Capatin Coombs is a native of Brunswick, Me. The Gibbs had a cargo of 600 tons of coal, and was valued at $6000.

Cincinnati on a Rock.

Santiago, Dec. 19.—While the United States cruiser Cincinnati was leaving port about sunset Saturday she ran full speed upon a rock clearly defined in the charts, but not buoyed. Last September General Wood, considering that the absence of a buoy might lead to some accident, anchored a small one, the first ever placed there, but the Bessie, on entering the harbor one night, carried it away. The Cincinnati is probably not seriously injured, as she is not making water.

Lost Three Men.

Gloucester, Mass., Dec. 19.—Schooner Atalanta sailed into the harbor with her flag at half mast for the loss of three of her crew while on the Grand Banks on Dec. 7.

Wants $50,000 Balm.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—George E. Worthington, secretary of the Forest City Stone company, has brought suit against Fred M. Nichols for $50,000 for alienation of his wife's affections. Mrs. Worthington was Miss Nannie Stewart, daughter of William C. Stewart, president of the Forest City Stone company. All moved in the best society.

SUICIDE THE SEQUEL

To a Brooklyn Man's Attempt to Murder His Wife and Child.

New York, Dec. 19.—While the Brooklyn police were searching for Alfred Carrier, who late Saturday night assaulted his wife and baby with a hatchet in that city, his dead body was hanging from a clothes pole in the back yard of a residence near his home. It is now believed by the man's relatives and police that he was insane.

The first to see Carrier's body were some people on their way to early mass in a Catholic church in Brooklyn. Carrier must have scaled the back fence and, with a knife that was afterwards found close by, cut away several yards of a clothesline and fastened it securely about the top of the post and his neck. In order to make death certain he bent his knees and his neck forward on the rope.

Carrier was a salesman employed by a coffee and tea house in this city. He left his home to purchase some Christmas gifts about 7 o'clock Saturday night. He returned two hours later and found Mrs. Carrier in the kitchen rocking their only child, Dorothy, 4 years old, to sleep. Without warning he took a new hatchet from under his coat and attacked his wife. He struck her four times on the head and hit the baby once. Their chances for recovery are slight.

Seven Cars In a Heap.

Indianapolis, Dec. 19.—A serious wreck occurred yesterday near Guion, on the Indiana, Decatur and Southwestern railroad. An Indianapolis express, eastbound, due to arrive in this city at 3:55 a. m., left the tracks west of a high trestle and passed over the trestle, 60 feet long, with seven coaches off the rails and bumping along on the ties. The trestle was 50 feet high, and it is considered phenomenal that the train was not hurled off into the creek. The rear car had just left the trestle when a spreading of the rails ahead of the baggage car piled the seven cars into a heap. The baggage car and smoker were ground almost into splinters, and all the cars were badly wrecked. There were about 50 passengers on the train and not a woman or child in the list. The train was in charge of Conductor J. A. Mitchell of this city, and it is claimed was running at nearly 60 miles an hour to make up lost time. One man was killed and eight injured.

Swapped Presents.

Constantinople, Dec. 19.—The Russian grand duke, Nicholas, yesterday unveiled at Galatana, where on March 3, 1878, was signed the treaty of peace that terminated the Russo-Turkish war, a monument to the Russian soldiers who fell in that conflict. The unveiling was accompanied with much ceremony and a military parade, at which representatives of all the Balkan states were present. The Turkish newspapers are excessively irritated at these ceremonies, which recall great disasters to the Turkish arms. At the reception at the palace the grand duke informed the sultan that Emperor Nicholas had delegated him to draw closer the ties of friendship binding the two countries. Decorations and presents were exchanged.

Arkansas Mob Law.

Texarkana, Ark., Dec. 19.—Newt Gaines was arrested at De Kalb, charged with outraging a colored woman. Officers went with him to the railroad station at De Kalb to take him to jail at New Boston. One hundred men rode into De Kalb and began a fusilade through the windows of the station. Gaines' body was riddled with bullets. The officers threw themselves upon the floor and thus saved their own lives.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast

Sun rises—7:10; sets, 4:14.
Moon sets—morn.
High water—4:45 a. m.; 5 p. m.

Increasing cloudiness is indicated for New England, followed tonight or Tuesday by rain or snow; colder weather, with freezing temperature tonight and Tuesday; warmer Wednesday; westerly to northerly winds.

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Sept. 10. tf

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

Cigars, Cigars

For this week, Dec. 19 to 24, we will make the following prices on Cigars

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LILLIAN RUSSELL,	50 in box,	1.75
IMPERIAL SWEEPER,	100 in box,	3.50
LAWRENCE 103,	100 in box,	3.25
IMPERIALES,	50 in box,	3.50
WEDDING BOQUET,	50 in box,	3.50
WEDDING BOQUET,	12 in box,	1.00
BARRISTERS,	100 in box,	6.50
7-20-4,	100 in box,	6.50

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	45	31	37	36
Monday	29	32	23	32
Tuesday	—	31	31	29
Wednesday	—	17	34	32
Thursday	—	30	28	26
Friday	—	28	32	32
Saturday	—	43	21	17

New Advertisements Today.

Cigars—G. F. Wilson & Co.
Miss Dunbar, teacher of piano.
Milch cow for sale.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Christmas gifts.
C. F. Derby—Christmas presents.
People's course.
F. J. Pierson—Holiday goods.
Libel notice and order.
Quincy Second Hand Variety Store.

Council Business.

At tonight's meeting of the City Council, the Committee on Streets will report on the petition for the removal of the street railway tracks on Adams street between Hancock and Alleyne streets. They will also report on the petition to widen Coddington street between Washington and Sea streets, and the widening of Sea street between Coddington and Palmer streets. The joint Committee on Legislative Matters and Fire Department will report on the petition to extend the classified civil service list to include the regular and permanent members of the Fire Department. There will also be reports from the Finance and Ordinance Commtttees.

In the calender are the orders granting the New England Telephone Co. a location for one pole on corner of Hancock and Granite streets, the sidewalk assessment order, the order appropriating $1,000 for maintenance of the water supply; transfering $200 to appropriation for Public Burial Places; $650 for State and military aid; $209 for bills of out side poor for 1897, and for refund of tax of J. L. Johnson and James Moodie, Jr.

Forefathers' Day.

The observance of Forefathers day at the Bethany church Sunday evening was largely attended and was of a very interesting nature. The services consisted of responsive readings by the pastor and congregation. The singing of hymns by the congregation, solo by Miss Gertrude Graham, readings from Bradford's history, The Pilgrims in Leyden. Decision Emigrate to America," by Miss Alice Dunn; "John Robinson's charge to the People," and "The Parting at Delfthaven," by Miss Margaret Gow; "The Pilgrim's arrival at Cape Cod," by Miss Hattie Sargent; reading of Rudyard Kipling's Recessional Hymns, "Lest we forget," by Miss Alice Sampson.

There was also a brief address by the pastor, Rev. E. N. Hardy, on the difference between the Pilgrims and Puritans.

Burglary at Wollaston.

The house of Oliver F. Swift situated on the corner of Prospect and Lincoln avenues, Wollaston, was entered by burglars sometime during Friday night. The family retired about 10 o'clock. In the morning it was found that someone had entered the house by opening a window on the first floor. An investigation showed that the burglar secured a diamond ring, a check for $15, a partly used hundred ride book between Wollaston and Boston, and some change that was in a pair of trousers that were taken down stairs. Three small diamonds were also missed but were found later, one on the piano and the others on the floor. Burnt matches were scattered all over the house.

Anderson—Anderson.

A wedding which interested many of our Swedish citizens took place Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf Lundberg, at No. 35 Albertina street, when Mr. Axel Anderson and Miss Anna Anderson were united in marriage by Rev. H. Larson of the Swedish M. E. church. Mr. Charles Carlson was best man and Miss Hilda Anderson maid of honor. The couple received several presents.

LATEST!

BLOWN TO PIECES.

While Removing an Old Blast at Moon Island.

An Italian named Dominico Betalaro aged 49 years, and employed on the new sewer basin at Moon Island was blown to pieces, while at work on the sewer basin, this morning. At the time of the accident he was engaged in removing an old blasting charge when it suddenly exploded blowing the unfortunate man high into the air. When he came down he landed in the water some distance away. When the body was brought ashore it was seen that he had been almost blown to pieces.

His left arm and leg were gone, his eyes blown out and a part of his head was gone. Medical Examiner Gilbert was notified and later viewed the remains.

Brilliant Future.

H. J. Clews, the banker, is enthusiastic. He says:

The effect of the American-Spanish war is going to be further reaching than even dreamers of America's destiny have ever pictured. It will in the end lead to a commercial revolution amongst nations. As as result of the war we have gained the Philippine Islands and thereby made the Pacific Ocean of vastly more importance to us than it otherwise could have been. It gives us a front door entrance to China and Asia for the distribution of our products and manufactured goods which in time will be superior to those of our European competitors. Our great railroads now centre at Chicago, which place has been made important through its connection with the lakes. The lakes and the railroads together have developed almost abnormally only certain localities of this country, whereas, the next great developments will not be where the lakes are located, but will be between ocean and ocean—from the Atlantic to the Pacific—which will make the railroads that span that territory the great highways of the world. The result of the war must force the building of the Panama and Nicaragua canals in the interests of this country, and when completed they will make the Caribbean Sea the rendezvous of the world's commerce, as they will furnish by far the nearest and cheapest mode of transportation to supply the 800,000,000 of people at the Eastern side of the Pacific. The Atlantic and Pacific oceans and the Caribbean sea together are going to be more important in our future progress of development than can be imagined by the most enthusiastic.

Water Damage.

Saturday afternoon it was discovered that the house situated on Hancock street, just north of Carruth street, owned by Swithin Bros. and recently occupied by Mr. McTeer, had been entered by unknown parties, who when they departed had left the water running both inside and outside of the house, resulting in considerable damage. The front door was unlocked and it is presumed that the parties entered that way. Egg shells were found on the piazza and on the floor of the house, and it is thought that the parties must have been workmen who went in the building to eat their dinner.

Stereopticon.

Mr. Charles Mason Fuller, late United States Navy, has been engaged to give the stereopticon lecture advertised for Jan. 9th in the popular Monday evening course at the Universalist church. He will speak upon Cuba, and incidents of the late war, and the lecture will be magnificently illustrated with upwards of 100 views selected with care by one who has experience in the places he describes.

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TODAY'S COURT.

Marcus A. Reed was arraigned for the embezzlement of $2.50 from Mrs. Annie Smith at Quincy. He was found not guilty and discharged.

Patrick Murphy was arraigned for drunkenness and for assault on John Donovan at Quincy. Case continued until Dec. 22.

Jeremiah Pitts was brought in on a default warrant for defrauding a boarding house, and was fined $7.19.

John Sullivan was arraigned for the illegal sale of liquor at Randolph. Continued until Jan. 2.

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CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Christmas week.

Grand weather for shopping.

The Scandinavian Republican club will meet on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Edward Manning of Wollaston has returned from Chicago for the holidays.

Rev. George H. Hosmer of Neponset occupied the pulpit of the First parish on Sunday.

T. L. Williams, the jeweller, has moved his family from Hancock street to Foster street.

The Wollaston Trap club will hold its Christmas shoot next Monday evening at 9 o'clock..

The highest temperature of Saturday was 48 and the mercury touched 45 Sunday at noon.

The Wollaston Baptist bible school will hold their Christmas tree on Saturday evening at 7 P. M.

Christmas is usually a very cold day. Last year at noon the temperature was 21, and the year before 17.

One of the attractions at South Quincy is that Christmas tree in the Second Hand variety store.

A good crop of ice is expected. The pond owned by the Crystal Spring Co. is frozen to a depth of several inches.

G. Frank Byer, the tailor with L. Warshaw, has moved his family to Quincy, and resides at 78 Washington street.

Sergt. J. F. Mohan, Corp. A. McIntosh and Private D. Doran of Co. K have been granted furloughs for the holidays.

H. W. Lull, superintendent of schools, was one of the speakers at Summersworth, N. H., Saturday at a teacher's institute.

Acording to the new slate, James F. Harlow will be the next City Clerk and Hon. William A. Hodges the next principal assessor.

There was considerable interest last week at the meetings held in St. Paul's M. E. church which were addressed by Mr. Frank Edwards.

A rumor from a reliable source says that a syndicate has obtained an option upon a valuable piece of reality in the centre of the city.

The Sewing society of the Swedish Baptist church held an auction Saturday evening at the church, and realized quite a sum of money.

Some were wishing for rain to clean off the remaining snow, but awoke Sunday morning to find "Old Sol" just as warm as on a morning in April.

Cigars by the box make a very acceptable present to a smoker, and G. F. Wilson & Co. seem to lead in low prices as well as quality and variety.

Frederic Allison Tupper and Edward Southworth attended the meeting of the Massachusetts School masters club at Hotel Brunswick on Saturday evening.

The Eliot club of Wollaston meets with Mrs. N. G. Nickerson on Wednesday. The subject is "America" and the music will be selections from Schubert.

Some of the musical young men of Quincy are getting together good talent to take part in a first-class minstrel show to be given in Music hall in the near future.

Dr. Mansfield found the reports of pastor, superintendent and stewards of St. Paul's M. E. church to be satisfactory at the third quarterly conference on Saturday evening.

Applicants for membership in the new order of Pilgrim Fathers lodge to be instituted in Quincy are being examined by Dr. Hallowell. The lodge will be started Friday evening.

Charles L. Hammond, who has been engaged as a surveyor by the United States commission at Nicaraqura, Central America, has returned to his home on Billings street, on a short leave of absence.

Herbert T. Drake has returned from his trip to New York as a guest of the Hon. W. L. Douglas. They visited a number of Mr. Douglas 60 retail stores. They claim that the large plant in Brockton turns out more fine shoes than any factory in the country. Mr. Drake is one of the superintendents.

An old scow with a small cabin is floating around the bay in Fore river partially filled with water. It must have strayed up through the bridge at high tide and should it be carried into the channel it might be dangerous to navigation. It has been seen at Quincy Neck at the foot of Howard avenue.

The estate of Alvin Rogers, situated on the corner of Pleasant and Quincy street, South Quincy, consisting of a 16-room house and about 6,600 square feet of land, was sold at public auction by Auctioneer Johnson on Saturday. The bidding was lively and the purchaser was Mr. Charles H. Grindell of this city; price $3,100.

Merrie Christmas, '98.

We Have One of the Most Attractive Assortments of

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Manicure, Handkerchief And Glove Cases.

Vases, Trays, Cups and Saucers.

Fancy Perfumes, Mirrors, Picture Frames, Fancy Soaps, etc.

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Do not fail to come and see. We are sure you will be pleased with the Goods and Prices.

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Dec. 17. 1w pl

Don't Forget

To bring the children and have them look over our varied stock of

Christmas Goods.

Peace reigns once more and again we are on the eve of another Chris mas. Let us strive to make it a merry one.

Here you will find a good selection of many HOLIDAY GOODS suitable for all, both young and old. An abundance of Toys, Games, Sleds, Skates, and Oh! I cannot for want of space describe the wonders from Toyland.

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The Gent's Furnishing Line

is complete and many novelties have been added for the Holiday trade at prices which unlock your pocket-book.

All the residents of Quincy are cordially invited, but please don't all com at once.

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Pen Holders, Clocks, Fancy Figures, etc.

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The beautiful estate of N. G. Nickerson, Belmont street, Wollaston. House, stable, 36,000 feet of land; great variety of Fruit and Shade Trees. Low price and easy terms.

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Nov. 21. 1m

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WILSON'S BIG CLOCK.

Boston, Dec. 2. 1y

Ideal Gifts for Christmas.

Don't worry, don't lose sleep, don't make your brain tired trying to think *"What's best for Christmas."* You'll forget your troubles, and find just what you've been looking for if you'll only visit this splendid store.

It's better for you to give something useful, something that will not only delight and add to Christmas happiness, but something that will give you continuous pleasure and comfort.

Here's a List of Suggestions.

Substantial, inexpensive, comfort bringing presents. Nothing you can give will be more acceptable than some one thing from this ideal list of sensible Christmas gifts.

3 Fold Screens,	$ 1.98	Umbrella Stands,	$ 1.00 to $ 5.00
Book Cases,	$1.00 to 10.00	Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 4.00
Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50	Hanging Lamps,	2.75 to 5.50
Easels,	.39 to 2.50	Banquet Lamps,	2.25 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 15.00	Parlor Lamps,	.98 to 5.50
Gent's Smoking Tables,	2.98	Bissell's Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Piano Stools,	2.98	Boot Black Stands,	.98
Piano Scarfs,	2.75 to 5.50	Alarm Clocks,	.89
Medicine Cabinets,	1.25 to 5.00	Cuckoo Clocks,	7.50
Foot Rests,	1.50 to 3.50	China Parlor Clocks,	1.00 to 10.00
Lemonade Sets,	.75 to 2.75	Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Wine Sets,	1.25 to 2.50	Fancy Rockers,	1.50 to 8.00
Beautiful Pictures,	.75 to 5.00	Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinieres,	.10 to 2.75	Jardiniere Stands,	.39 to 2.50
Brass and Onyx Tables,	3.75 to 10.00	Rugs,	.50 to 5.00
Oak Hat Racks,	1.25	Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	.42 to 1.00	Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Dexters, Rocking Horses,	.49 to 1.50	Portieres Per Pair,	.50 to 6.50
Express Wagons,	.50 to 2.50	Oak Side Boards,	10.00 to 35.00
Doll Carriages,	.50 to 2.00	Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Black Boards,	.10 to 1.25	Oak Dining Chairs,	.89 to 2.50
Bread & Milk Sets,	.25 to 1.00	Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
High Chairs,	.50 to 5.00	Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Rocking Chairs,	.50 to 4.50	Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
White Iron Cribs,	5.00 to 7.50	Oak Chamber Sets,	15.00 to 35.00
Fancy Chairs,	1.00 to 6.50	Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
Beautiful odd pieces of New French and English China in Salad Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Cake Plates, Cheese Dishes, Pin Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Spoon Trays, Pickle Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Picture Frames, After Dinner Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Jardiniere, Vases, etc. etc. Hundreds of odd and dainty pieces from 10 cents to $1.50.		Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
		Piano Lamps,	7.50 to 10.00
		China Closets,	12.00 to 30.00
		Serving Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Hall Stands,	5.00 to 15.00
		Hall Settees,	7.50 to 15.00
		Ladies' Work Baskets,	2.50 to 5.00
		New Pianos. Cut prices for Christmas,	175.00 to 250 00
		Dressing Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Cheval Mirrors,	10.00 to 15.00

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Goods delivered just where you want them and when you want them.

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ONE-TON ORDERS

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That defies all chance for a controversy.

I have TOYS in great variety that I am almost giving away.

Books, Glassware, Vases and Fancy Crockery.

Both Parents and Children can find what they want in my mammoth stock.

G. B. BATES,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

IT WAS NO GO.

Hundreds Went to See Launching of Steamer J. M. Hill.

Another unsuccessful attempt was made Sunday afternoon at high tide to get the steamer J. M. Hill, which went ashore near the National Sailors Home at Wollaston beach in the recent storm, into the water.

It was announced Saturday that she would probably be hauled off Sunday, and hundreds of Quincy people went down to see her slide. People began to go down shortly after 12 o'clock and at high water, which was about 3 P. M. there was gathered upon the beach several hundred, almost as many ladies being present as men. Many went on the electric cars to Elm avenue and walked from there while others drove down in carriages.

A channel had been dug all around the steamer and out into deep water, and an effort was made to start her toward her native element, by the aid of the heavy machinery on the dredger, but it proved unsuccessful. As soon as the tide turned the hopes of getting her off on that tide was given up and the dredger went to work digging the channel about the steamer deeper. An effort will be made at every tide to get her off.

With the channel has has been dug around the steamer by the dredge she had nine feet of water on her stern post at high water. But as she draws nine feet aft and five feet forward, and as her bow was still in the mud it soon became evident that yesterday's tide, which was 10.1 feet, and also four-tenths of a foot lower than Saturday's, would not float her. However, her big hawser was out on a ledge anchor and the other end was on a falls which ran over the dredger's windlass, but she would not budge. As yesterday was the last day of the high course tides for this month it is doubtful if she is floated before the next run of high course tides, unless, in the meantime, there should be a heavy easterly gale to pile the water it the harbor. The trouble is, the Hill came in on a tide which was four feet above an ordinary high-course tide.

It is said that it will cost $10,000 to float her.

WEYMOUTH.

William Bently has accepted a position as messenger at the Boston post office.

David Clapp and a party of friends have returned from a gunning trip, and report excellent luck.

The fair which was held at Fogg's Opera house last week, under the auspices of the ladies connected with the Universalist church of South Weymouth, was concluded Friday night. The play "Schemers" by Miss Annie Dean was presented to a crowded house. Miss Dean took a leading part, and did it to perfection, as did also Miss Abbie Cushing, who took the part of Teddy, the parson's son, and furnished great amusement by her pranks. During the entertainment, Miss Dean, Miss Mary Sprague and Miss Cushing were presented with handsome bouquets.

The pupils of Prof. Gardiner gave a reception to their friends at Music hall Friday evening.

The New Bedford polo team came to East Weymouth Saturday night, and the home team won 5 to 2. The East Weymouths took the last three.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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Mary told them all about it and now the whole family goes there to trade. The store is filled with

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Feb. 26 tf

IN OUR COLONIES.

Should We Admit or Exclude Foreign Trade.

The "open door" in our colonies, was the subject of the symposium in the Sunday Globe, and Councilman Richard R. Freeman of Quincy, the president of the Vessel Owners Association, was among those who aswered the question Should the United States admit or exclude foreign trade?"

Mr. Freeman's views: "The example of England in the conduct of her trade with her colonies is one that we might imitate, for a time at least, in our commercial relations with the colonial possessions which we have acquired by the war with Spain. As a general principle, Great Britain permits her colonies to buy in the cheapest and sell in the dearest armkets. It is a principle of which her statesmen have given frequent expression, and one which has resulted in great commercial advantage to the mother country.

"In the case of Port Rico and of Cuba there is no reason why we should not have the full commercial advantage of their possession, and it would be well for us to have exclusive trading privileges in those islands.

"The Philippines, however, are to distant from us, and too near to other commercial powers for us to undertake, with advantage to ourselves or too the Filipinos, to close the doors of trade there to all foreign influences.

"We might do again as England does, and secure some natural advantages of trade which ownership involves, and leave the great bulk of commerce to be scrambled for by other less favored traders.

"A differential tariff, to be determined on after something has been learned of the resources and demands of the islands, might accomplish all that we should desire.

"It would not be of advantage to us at this time to exclude all foreign trade from the Philippines. Our resources of shipping are too small to undertake to hold to ourselves this trade, and our own limited amount of tonnage cannot at the present take care of trade nearer home."

Others to express opinions were: Prof. Albert B. Hart, Senator Smith, Daniel S. Emery, Elihu B. Hayes and Samuel Usher.

The Jubilee Singers.

The Slayton colored jubilee singers more than met the expectations in the peoples' Course on Saturday evening. There was a full house and liberal applause at the start enthused the artists, so that they gave a lively and entertaining programme. There were no waits at all, except between part one and part two, and that was brief, so that there was two hours of continuous pleasure. The singers included a male quartette and a female quartette, and they sing all the latest songs as well as a few of the old darkey melodies.

Christmas.

It is a little early to wish all our friends and customers a "Merry Christmas." It is not too early to be thinking about Christmas gifts. Thousands of people are wondering what they shall buy. Many are waiting for suggestions. Get your Christmas ad in early. Some folks spend money the year round. Everybody buys at Christmas time. They have saved their money to buy. They will buy what you have to sell—if you tell them about it. Tell them about it in an ad in your best local paper. That's the paper we print—everybody knows that.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
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Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy. Wollaston.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for Dec. 19:

Alfred Bergeson, Lewson Chase, S. Norman Foster, George H. Garrett, John Hearn, J. L. Newton, Angeles Snell, George G. Smith, Thomas Shay, F. S. Thornton, John Williams.

Miss Kate Grady, Mrs. L. J. Glover, Miss K. Martin, A. T. O'Brien, Miss Jennie O'Brien, Mrs. Smith, Miss H. E. Smith, Mrs. L. F. Smith.

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MARRIED.

ANDERSON—ANDERSON—In Quincy, Dec. 17, by Rev. H. Larson, Mr. Axel Anderson to Miss Anna Anderson, both of Quincy.

GRIFFIN—WRY—At Wollaston, Dec. 18, by Rev. Preston Gurney, Mr. Edward S. Griffin to Miss Anna B Wry, both of Quincy.

DIED.

EDWARDS—In Milton, Dec. 16, Mr. Percy A. Edwards, aged 20 years.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

XMAS FOR CO. K.

The Fund for the Dinner Takes a Jump.

Realizing that the fund for the Co. K Christmas feast was not growing as fast as it, should Landlord Remick of Hotel Greenleaf has done some personal work since the issue of the Ledger on Saturday, and has obtained subscription amounting to $12.75, as folllows:

Dexter Remick,	$1.00
Francis Abele, Jr.,	.25
John L. Gleeson,	.25
L. B. Curtiss,	.25
James McConnell,	.25
F. Howe,	.50
P. R. Glass,	.25
A. L. Baker,	.50
James Francis Young,	.25
R. W. VanBuskirk,	.25
Granite Clothing Co.,	1.00
H. S. Hayford,	.25
J. H. Geeson,	.25
W. J. Lynch,	1.00
J. A. Earle,	.25
J. W. Murray,	.25
William B. Gardner,	.25
George S. Grant,	.25
Herbert Drake,	.25
E. D. Gourd,	.25
H. W. Adrian,	.50
R. S. Atkins,	.50
A Friend,	.25
A Friend,	.25
F. A. Tupper,	1.00
J. G. Moore,	.50
E. B. Souther,	.50
G. F. Clark,	.50
A Friend,	.50
George B. Wendell,	.50
	$12.75

PREVIOUSLY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
T. O'Brine,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
A. W. Stetson,	1
Daniel Desmond,	1
W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
C. M. Jenness,	1
From a friend,	$3
J. H. Emery,	$1 00
Fred Johnson,	.50
Friend,	.25
Emil Gustafson,	.25

A Notable Church.

On the evening of Forefathers' day, Dec. 21, a unique affair will take place at the first church, corner of Berkeley and Marlboro streets, Boston. It is to be called a "heritage meeting," for its purpose is to show on that most appropirate day the place Unitarianism has held in the history of New England. The Sunday Herald had an interesting article on early Unitarian churches giving sketches of several of old societies. The old Stone church in City square, Quincy, was the centre of a group of the oldest churches, and its history was told in brief as follows:

One of the most notable churches in Massachusetts is that now known as the First church of Christ in Quincy. Its ancient name was the "Chappel of Ease," and it has also been called the "Church of Statesmen." In December, 1636, the Rev. John Wheelwright, a classmate and friend of Oliver Cromwell, began to labor at the "Mount," as that part of Braintree, of which Quincy was then a part, was called. The church had not been an "independent church, but a chappel of ease, where a neighboring minister or brother preatheth and exerciseth prayer every Lord's day." The people went to Boston to receive the sacrament.

Soon after the meeting house was built, in 1637, Wheelwright was banished, and there was no attempt of the people to gather together until 1639. At that time William Thompson was made pastor, with Harry Flynt as teacher. Among those who helped build the first meeting-house was Mrs. Judith Quincy, widow of Col. Edmund Quincy. It served until 1732, when a new house was built during the ministry of the Rev. John Hancock. Also during his pastorate these two baptismal record were made: "John, son of John Adams, Oct. 26, 1735, and John Hancock, my son, Jan. 16, 1736." "The son of the deacon and the son of the minister," says the historian, "were to bring more fame to the First church, and add more to its character and influence than any temple of wood or stone." Many statesmen have been born to this church, among them John Quincy, active in colonial affair, Speaker of the House, colonel of the Suffolk regiment and for years the presiding officer at the parish meeting; Josiah Quincy, Boston's great mayor and representaitve to Congress; the two Presidents, John Adams, and John Quincy Adams; Thomas Greenleaf, Richard Cranch, Charles Francis Adams. Among the noble women are the names of Mrs. Abigal Adams, Mrs. John Quincy Adams, Miss Eliza Susan Quincy, in fact, nine generations of Quincys have worshipped within its walls. The church has always been progressive in its thought and life.

The present handsome edifice, with its monolithic columns and dignified exterior, is a fine example of the permanent in church architecture. It was dedicated Nov. 12, 1828. Its present pastor is the Rev. Ellery C. Butler.

In all, it has had 13 pastors and three houses of worship. Mr. John O. Hall is the delegate.

Ladies' Winter Coats

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From Gentlemen's Overcoatings,

From $18 Upwards.

Ladies furnishing their own cloth and trimmings, made in any style (Coat and skirt),

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Nov. 2. tf

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Oct. tf

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Dec. 15. plo

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

TO the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, holden at Dedham within and for our County of Norfolk.

Respectfully libels and represents EMILY E. FITZGERALD of Quincy in our County of Norfolk aforesaid, that she was lawfully married to EDMUND FITZGERALD now of New York City in the State of New York, on the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. 1890, and that thereafter your bibellant and the said libellee lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit: at Boston in our County of Suffolk and at Hyde Park in said County of Norfolk; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but said Edmund Fitzgerald being wholly regardless of the same at said Hyde Park on divers occasions has cruelly and abusively treated her, and that being of sufficient ability, he grossly and wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide suitable maintenance for her;

WHEREFORE your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and said libellee, and that your libellant may be allowed to resume her maiden name of Emily E. Waldron, and that such other orders and decrees may be made in the premises as to your Honorable Court may seem meet and proper.

Dated this seventeenth day of December, A. D. 1898.

EMILY E. FITZGERALD.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. SUPERIOR COURT.

ON the foregoing Libel, it is ORDERED that the Libellant give notice to the said Edmund Fitzgerald, the Libellee, to appear before the Justices of this Court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said County, on the First Monday of February next, by causing an attested copy of said Libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of February next; and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Edmund Fitzgerald an attested copy of said Libel and of this order thereon, that the said Edmund Fitzgerald may then and there show cause why the prayer of said Libel should not be granted.

By the Court,

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

December 17, 1898.

A true copy of said Libel, and of the Order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON, Assistant Clerk.

Dec. 19. 3t 19 26 2

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New Milch Cow, guaranteed to give from 20 to 22 quarts a day. Call at 24 Chubbuck street, Quincy Point, or 24 Franklin street, South Quincy. Dec. 19—3t

FOR SALE—Very cheap. One 2 H. P. Shipman Oil Engine. A lot of Builder's Brackets. Call at 29 Arlington street, Wollaston, Mass. Dec. 15—6t

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street. Nov. 9. tf

SLEIGH FOR SALE.

TWO Seated Sleigh in good order. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street. Quincy, Dec. 2. tf

TO LET.

TO LET—At No. 18 Park avenue, a single house of 6 large rooms, with bath room, furnace, etc. The house is in fine condition, beautifully situated, and in good neighborhood. Apply to S. SCAMMELL, 46 Quincy avenue. Quincy, Dec. 13. 6t

TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street. Quincy, Nov. 7. tf

TO LET.

APARTMENTS of five large rooms and bath, with all modern improvements. Also two large stores. Rent moderate. Apply to ARTHUR CRAIG, or J. W. HAYDEN, at Craig Building, cor. Copeland and Garfield Sts. Quincy, July 15. tf

TO LET.

House of 8 rooms, etc., No. 20 Canal street, Quincy. Nice house, excellent location.

R. D. CHASE, Savings Bank Building. Quincy, Oct. 8. pl tf

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Just plain "why," but the place to buy

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Quincy Dec 1.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Warren E. Steeves of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated December 1st, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 805, Fol. 350, will be sold on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on TUESDAY, the third day of January, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and herein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of Quincy called Atlantic, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 256, on plan of "Norfolk Downs," by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans, No 14, plan 640, and bounded as follows, viz: Northeasterly by Rawson Road, fifty (50) feet; southeasterly by lot No. 255 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly by lot No. 218 on said plan, fifty-five and 33-100 (55.33) feet; northwesterly by lots No. 217 and 257 on said plan, one hundred and 14-100 (100.14) feet. Containing, according to said plan, 5,266.5 square feet of land.

Being the premises conveyed to Warren E. Steeves by Henry A. Smith, by deed dated Nov. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 802, page 147, and subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed.

These premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

Terms cash.

QUINCY CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.

By Richard D. Chase, Treasurer.

Dec. 12. 3t 12-19-26

Savings Bank Building, Quincy.

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Did You Ever Notice

How ridiculous some things in newspapers really are when you get them sifted down. A man took a number of Boston papers last Sunday and sat down to read the news. He read a little news but the ad's were so big he began to look them over and then he began to study the cuts. He found, according to the pictures, he could buy wooden toothpicks that were longer than a step-ladder. He found that he could buy a pair of ladies' shoes for $1.48 that were as large as the whole lady in the next picture, who wore a Russian seal sacque reduced for this occasion to $3.27. He found that he could buy a coal hod for 13c. that was twice as large as a ton of coal for $2.71 (may be that was no joke). He found he could buy chairs for 63c. that were as large as a whole bed room set for $9.37, and the more he looked at the pictures the more pictures he looked at. The pictures are not the only delusions in the Boston newspapers these days—are not the only things that look big in print which dwindle when you strike reality.

There have been Overcoats shown in Boston that looked big in print for $7.48 that were worth only $5.00.

There are Overcoats sold in Boston for $10.00 that look like $20.00 ones in print, but $7.50 buys as good a one of us.

We have lived down all sorts of exaggeration in advertising, and have seen our business increase day by day simply and solely because what we put in print were usually bigger when you saw them in the store than they were in print.

Today we open our line of Christmas Ties, Mufflers, Suspenders and Umbrellas, and Handkerchiefs "made by the maids of Japan" with initials for 10c. Think of a girl in Japan making a handkerchief to be blowed in Quincy, Norfolk County, Mass., U. S. A., Earth.

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CHARACTER AND HOME

The Great Bulwarks of Success In the Battle of Life.

Flag Protects Black Men, as Well as White.

President McKinley's Address to Pupils of a Colored Institution.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 19.—The feature of the president's day in this city was his visit to the Georgia agricultural and mechanical college. This is an institution for colored persons, supported by the state of Georgia. Its president is R. R. Wright, colored, who was recently appointed by President McKinley a paymaster in the volunteer army with the rank of major, but who has resigned and returned to the school.

There were no elaborate exercises connected with the visit. The pupils were gathered in the chapel. Mr. McKinley was introduced by the president of the college. He said: "I have been profoundly impressed with this scene, and I have been touched by the eloquent words and the exalted sentiments which have been uttered by the gentleman whom you delegated to speak in your behalf. It gives me peculiar pleasure to meet you and to meet you in this institution of learning, presided over by one whom I have known for more than 20 years, and whom I have come to admire and respect as one of the splendid leaders of your race. I congratulate him and all associated with him in the good work done here for the exaltation of your race. I congratulate all of you on the splendid advance made by you in the last third of a century. You are all entitled to all praise, and to high commendation which I am sure you receive from your white fellow citizens in this and every part of the country. I congratulate you upon your acquirement of property. Many of your race have large properties on the tax lists in the several states, and in that way contribute to the support of the government. I congratulate you on what you have done in learning and the acquirement of useful knowledge, on the fact that there is not a foot of ground beneath the flag of Stars and Stripes where every boy and girl, white or black, cannot have an education to fit them for the battle of life.

"Keep on, is the word I would leave with you today. Keep on in the efforts upward, but rather remember that in acquiring knowdelge there is one thing as important as that and that is character. Nothing in the whole wide world is worth so much, will last so long and serve its possessor so well as good character. It is something that no one can take from you, that no one can give you. You must acquire it for yourselves.

Influence of the Home.

"There is another thing. Do not forget the home. The home is the foundation of individual life and of good government. Cultivate good homes, make them pure and sweet; elevate them and other good things will follow. I congratulate you that this institution is not only looking after the head, but after the hand. I congratulate you that it is not only making good orators, but good mechanics. It is better to be a skilled mechanic than a poor orator or an indifferent preacher. In a word each of you must want to be the best in whatever you undertake. Nothing in the world commands more respect than skill and industry. Every avenue is open to it. I congratulate you on the splendid valor of your race."

"The president has made an allusion in his speech to what, many years ago, I said in a public address. I told of a white colonel who had delivered the flag of our country to his black color sergeant, and said to him: 'Sergeant, I place in your hands this sacred flag. Fight for it, yes, even die for it; but never surrender it to the hands of an enemy. That black soldier, with love of country and pride in his heart, answered: 'I will bring the flag back in honor, colonel, or report to God the reason why.'

"In one battle, in carrying the flag of freedom, he was stricken down. He fell with the folds of that flag wrapped about him, bathed in his blood. He did not bring it back, but God knew the reason why. He did all he could, all any man could. He gave his heart's blood for that flag.

"At San Juan hill and at El Caney—but General Wheeler is here. I know he can tell you better than I can of the splendid heroism of the black regiments which fought side by side with the white troops on that historic field. Mr. Lincoln was not far from right, when, speaking of the black men he said: 'The time will come when they will help to keep the jewel of liberty in the hands of the human race,' and in a third of a century you have helped to give liberty in Cuba to an oppressed people. I leave with you these words: Keep on, you will solve your own problem. Be patient, be progressive, be honest, be God-fearing, and you will win, for no effort fails that has a stout, honest, earnest heart behind it."

Returning from the college, the presidential party passed through the camp of the Indiana regiment which is to embark for Cuba on the transport Minnewaska today. The president graciously wished the officers and men Godspeed and a safe return.

At the conclusion of the president's speech "America" was sung by all present, with possibly more vigor and spirit than harmony. General Joe Wheeler was introduced as "the hero of Santiago." He was given an ovation which lasted for several minutes. He spoke briefly of the hope and glory of the country and of the efforts which were being made by both white and colored people to secure educations. After General Wheeler's speech he was applauded for several minutes.

Secretary Gage also spoke. He said that he had not fully realized until this trip south that there was any such thing as a negro problem and that it was of such widespread proportions. What he had seen, however, had opened his eyes. There was such a problem and it was a very serious one. However, the information derived by him at Tuskegee and at the school which he was addressing had led him to believe that the true solution of the problem had been found, and that it lay in the industrial education of colored youth, on plans that were being worked out at the institutions named.

Shafter's Blunt Opinion.

At the collation of the officers of the Third Georgia regiment to Postmaster General Smith and the newspaper correspondents yesterday afternoon, General Shafter had some interesting things to say about Cuba and the Cubans. He did not make a speech, but in a conversation expressed himself, his remarks being nominally addressed to Colonel Berner of the Georgians, though they were intended for the whole assemblage.

"It seems to me," said General Shafter, "that a great many persons have an erroneous idea respecting our relations with the Cubans. As I view it, we have taken Spain's war upon ourselves. We shall in all probability hear a good deal more of the 'insurgents.'"

"How about self-government for the Cubans?" General Shafter was asked.

"Self-government," the general repeated. "Why those people are no more fit for self-government than gunpowder is for hell." In the same line General Shafter went on to tell why the United States would, in his opinion, be obliged to remain in the island for some time, and govern the territory by military force.

Shoe Workers' Claims.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 19.—The joint council of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union issued a statement yesterday, in which it is claimed that, in pursuance of the suggestion made at the recent clergymen's meeting, a committee of employes of the shoe manufacturers waited upon the different firms with a view of adjusting the labor difficulties, but that the manufacturers declared that they stood by their original notice. The union states that, in spite of every effort, the manufacturers have declined to talk with either the agents of the union or a committee of their employes representing the union; have refused to submit a list of prices and finally have declined to discuss the question. The union claims that it has done everything possible to adjust matters.

Alleged Murder and Cremation.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Michael Emil Rollinger, a native of Austria, is under arrest, charged with the murder of his wife, Theresa. The charred body of Mrs. Rollinger was found Friday night in a clothes closet of her home and her death was at first supposed to be the result of an accident. The police now claim they have sufficient evidence to prove that Rollinger strangled his wife, poured kerosene over the body and set fire to it. Mrs. Rollinger owned some property in Austria and also carried $500 life insurance. Lately the couple had not been living happily, and Mrs. Rollinger had stated her intention to apply for a divorce.

Career of Crime Begun Early.

Boston, Dec. 19.—The Dorchester police have succeeded in capturing two boys, Alphonsus McLaughlin and Herman Frigeroth, who, they believe, have systematically robbed many houses in that suburb of the city of property valued at over $5000. The police also took into custody Samuel Bantick, a considerably older man, who, it is claimed, received the stolen property and pawned it in various shops in this city and New York. Both of the boys are scarcely over 15, and, according to their own admission, have been employed in this unlawful work for six months.

Has Been Amply Punished.

Savannah, Dec. 19.—Prominent citizens have interested themselves in behalf of Moore, the Maine artilleryman who was sentenced to pay a fine of $500 or serve 60 days on the chain gang for attempting, on the street, to hug the wife of a prominent citizen. A petition to the governor for pardon is being circulated, and is being signed by leading men and society women. Moore was hilariously intoxicated at the time of his offense. Moore is now on the chain gang, where he has been for two weeks. The petitioners say they think his degradation and punishment have been ample.

Boys Convicted of Murder.

Chillicothe, O., Dec. 19.—Two boys, Elmer and George Butler, aged, respectively, 20 and 13, were found guilty of manslaughter and will receive a term in the penitentiary for the murder of Daisy Browser, a young girl. In the trial it was proven the girl had been shot down from ambush for no cause whatever. The defense made an attempt to prove that insanity ran in the Butler family, but the jury could not be convinced. They rendered the verdict at 10:30 yesterday, having been out since 7 o'clock Saturday night. Sentences have not yet been passed.

Educator and Lawyer.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Edward G. Mason, one of Chicago's most prominent and successful lawyers, died yesterday, aged 59. The cause of death was Bright's disease, aggravated by an injury to the head which Mr. Mason received in a fall some days since. Mr. Mason was graduated from Yale in 1860, and has since been active in university affairs. Recently he had been frequently mentioned as the candidate of the western alumni to succeed Timothy Dwight as the president of Yale college. He is survived by a wife and 13 children.

Long Deliberation.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 19.—The jury in the Kenney case spent another day in a fruitless discussion, and shortly after 9 o'clock last night Judge Bradford went home for the night. If a verdict should be reached meantime it will not be announced until today. Many rumors were abroad Sunday, but from well authenticated sources it is learned that the jury stands 10 to 2 for acquittal. No ballots were taken yesterday, the jurors spending the time in an informal discussion of the case.

Twins Burned to Death.

Morgantown, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Thomas Jones, living near Greer, attempted to light a fire with crude oil. An explosion occurred, wrecking the room, and the dresses of his twin daughters, aged 6 years, ignited. Jones was too badly burned to assist them, and they were so badly burned that both of them died shortly afterward.

ITALIAN BANKER MISSING.

So Are the Funds of Many of His Confiding Countrymen.

New Haven, Dec. 19.—Gennarro Agnone, an Italian banker and pawn broker doing business at 125 Hamilton street, is missing and, it is alleged, has fled with the deposits of hundreds of his fellow countrymen. The amount of his defalcations is not known, as he removed all his books from the safe before his departure, but it is believed to be over $10,000. It is said that he did a very brisk business of late, receiving deposits for drafts to be sent to the old country. He left his office over a week ago, saying he would be back last Monday. He failed to return and no knowledge has been received as to his whereabouts. An attachment was placed on his office Saturday, and when it became noised about that he had disappeared there was an excited crowd of men and women who had deposited money with him besieging the place. Agnone would promise 12 percent on money deposited, whereas other Italian bankers would pay but 6 percent, and as he always paid the interest the deposits poured into his office at a lively rate. Many of his depositors had taken their money out of other banks to get the higher rate of interest. Last week Thursday an Italian who had accumulated $1500 handed over the entire amount for the purpose of having a money order awaiting him when he reached Italy. He sailed the next day and it is the belief that that amount is included in the embezzlement.

Death In Slot Machine.

Boston, Dec. 19.—Thomas L. Cleary, 26 years of age, single, who lived with his brother-in-law, Thomas Connors, in South Boston, retired early Saturday night, and evidently left the gas burning. The house was supplied with a slot-machine having connections with the gas meter. The supply furnished was for all the rooms, the machine being attached to the principal conduit. It is supposed that Cleary, on entering his room, lighted the gas and went to bed, leaving it burning. The supply furnished for the deposit finally became exhausted, and the light was extinguished, leaving the gas cock turned on. Connors, who returned home about 11 o'clock, found no gas in the pipes, and deposited the necessary coin in the slot machine. A fresh supply was thereby furnished, and, as the gascock in Cleary's room was still open, the gas flowed freely into the room, until long after Cleary, who was asleep, had inhaled a sufficient quantity to cause his death.

Young Garcia Arrives.

New York, Dec. 19.—Colonel Carlos Garcia, eldest son of the late General Garcia, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Santiago. He was greeted in true Cuban fashion by his friends, many of whom only a few weeks before had welcomed his father. "My father's death," he said, "has been a great blow. I do not know what my plans will be while in this country." When asked about the present conditions in Cuba he said: "You must pardon me, but I can say nothing on that subject now. Everything, however, is going nicely."

Supplies For Cuba.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 19.—The hospital ship Missouri sailed yesterday for Havana with 300 tons of medical supplies for the troops in the island, and carrying the hospital corps of the Seventh army corps—the division which has already gone forward with General Lee. The Missouri, after distributing her supplies, will take sick soldiers from Havana and vicinity and bring them to this country, either to New York, Norfolk or Savannah.

Monarch Laid Up.

London, Dec. 19.—The Copenhagen correspondent of The Daily Mail says that King Oscar II of Sweden and Norway has been suddenly taken ill, and is now confined to his bed. King Oscar, who is the great grandson of Napoleon's famous General Bernadotte, was born Jan. 21, 1829, and succeeded to the throne on Aug. 18, 1872, on the death of Charles XV.

Jewelry Store Robbed.

Stamford, Conn., Dec. 19.—Burglars entered the jewelry store of Alexander Weed and Sigismund Kronholtz, both located on Main street, in the center of the city, and secured upwards of $1500 worth of booty in each place. Entrance was made by the rear. The goods taken were of a miscellaneous nature.

Story Needs Confirmation.

Winnipeg, Dec. 19.—Rat Portage, Ont., is wild with excitement over a marvelous strike made in the Mikado gold mine. The rich ore in the Mikado fills a slope 40 feet high and 2 1-3 feet wide, and the richest ore is worth on a conservative estimate from $25,000 to $35,000 to a ton in free milling gold.

Car Jumped the Track.

Providence, Dec. 19.—An electric car jumped the track in making a switch last evening, throwing William A. Coskley, 30 years old, and Benjamin Osbury, 21 years old. Both men were seriously, and Osbury perhaps fatally, injured. The men were riding on the rear platform at the time of the accident.

Alleged Slayer of Six.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 19.—Simeon Cuzby was arrested at Dominion City, charged with the murder of Wasyl Bocehko and five children, six weeks ago, at the Stuartburn Galician settlement. The prisoner will be brought to Winnipeg.

Fatal Coasting Accident.

Pittsburg, Dec. 19.—As a result of a coasting accident at Turtle Creek, Joseph West, aged 30, is dead, and 11 others injured, two seriously. The sled collapsed at the bottom of a steep hill and hurled the party with great force in every direction.

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Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest food if placed in a jar or bottle in water heated to 98 degrees and they will do it much more effectively when taken into the stomach after meals, whether you have faith that they will or not.

They invigorate the stomach, make pure blood and strong nerves, in the only way that nature can do it, and that is, from plenty of wholesome food well digested. It is not what we eat, but what we digest that does us good.

Stuarts' Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by nearly all drugigsts at 50 cents for full sized package, or by mail from the F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. 19-21-23

Think Crellin Did It.

Saco, Me., Dec. 19.—The coroner's jury which investigated the murder of Ivory F. Boothby, on the evening of Sept. 14, finds that George R. Crellin, the woodchopper under arrest, did, in their opinion, commit the crime.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Theodore M. Barnes, one of the oldest leather merchants in New York, died of pneumonia, aged 68.

The gunboat Castine, resplendent in a new coat of peace (white) paint, left Boston for Havana. She should arrive there in about five days.

Nearly the whole of the business part of the town of Tifton, Ga., in the center of the peach belt, was burned. An oil lamp in a boarding house exploded.

The first train from Merv, Russian Turkestan, 300 miles southeast of Khiva, arrived on Friday last at Kushk, in the Jamshidi province of Afghanistan, the line thus being completed to within 9[illegible] miles of Herat.

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—Mayor Quincy has vetoed the order increasing the salaries of the police department of Boston.

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[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M. except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 7 26 ad		7 43	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 43	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 17 da		5 36 r
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 17 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 eba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 05	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba		6 [illegible]
r 8 12 abc		8 30	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs. h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill, r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

CABLE INTERRUPTION

May Throw Light on Location of the Portland Wreck.

Break Probably Caused by Fall of Machinery.

Result of Dredging by Steamer Minia Awaited With Much Interest.

Boston, Dec. 20.—The breaking of the Anglo-American cable on Nov. 27, the day of the great storm, which break has since been located seven miles off Peaked Hill bar, Cape Cod, is regarded as another clue as to the location of the wreck of the steamer Portland.

The cable steamer Minia picked up the off-shore end of the break yesterday afternoon, and after buoying it left the work of getting the in-shore end of the cable and splicing the two until today. It will not, therefore, be surprising, if, when the steamer finishes her work, there may be some new developments as to the whereabouts off the cape of the remains of the much-sought-for steamer.

The Anglo-American cable, which lands at Duxbury, comes from St. Pierre, Miquelon, running in by the north end of the cape between Race Point and the Stell Wagen bank, which is about six miles off the end of the cape. The cable is used as a loop between this country and St. Pierre, at which latter place messages are relayed over the long cable to Ireland.

On the morning of the great storm the cable operators at Duxbury suddenly found their communication with St. Pierre cut off. The electricians, after careful testing, located the break between 20 and 30 miles from the Duxbury end, but owing to the fact that the Minia was at work on the cable near St. Pierre her services were not secured until last week. She left Halifax Saturday afternoon and arrived off Cape Cod early yesterday morning.

It was the work of only a few hours to pick up the off-shore end of the cable and establish communication to St. Pierre, and from that point to this city, but before a message could be sent to the Minia regarding indications of any wreckage, or as to the nature of the break in the cable, the steamer had buoyed the end of the cable and left the work of splicing it until today. A dispatch from Provincetown states that the steamer put into that port for a harbor late yesterday afternoon.

The point where the off-shore end of the break in the cable is buoyed is seven miles east northeast of Peaked Hill bar, a point at which the majority of the life savers and the old sea captains on the cape seem to agree that the Portland foundered. The water here is between 35 and 40 fathoms in depth, and the ebb tide runs out about one knot faster than the flood tide comes in.

If, as it is now believed, the steamer Portland went down some time between 9 and 10 o'clock on Sunday morning, the tide at that time was within an hour of high water, and all the afternoon ran out with increased velocity, owing to its great height, by the end of the cape, and probably swept out to sea a great majority of the bodies of those on board. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon the tide again turned and rushed into the bay, bringing with it a few of the bodies, and perhaps some of those which the last of the ebb tide had released from the hull of the steamer. The first of these bodies was picked up off High Head life saving station, between 10 o'clock and midnight on Sunday night, but all subsequent bodies were found to the south of this point, the greatest number being recovered 25 miles down the beach, between Nauset and Chatham.

The fact that some milk cans came ashore at Peaked Hill bars between 7 and 8 o'clock Sunday night, and a greater portion of the wreckage from the upper works of the steamer were swept off of her at a considerable distance to the north of where she went down and were driven toward the cape by the northerly gale. The hauling of the wind to the westward Sunday afternoon prevented any of this wreckage going into the bay west of Race Point, while the ebb tide of Sunday afternoon and the flood tide of early evening carried the heavier articles, such as kegs of ale and butter, with the bodies, further to the south.

The break in the cable was undoubtedly the work of some vessel, and not due to the inclemency of the weather or the boisterous sea. No fishing schooner or coaster would have anchored in such a depth of water at such a time, or even if she had done so, could not have held on to her anchors for two minutes in such a gale, so that the theory that the cable was parted by the ordinary means cannot be entertained in this case.

It must have been broken by the sharp blow of some heavy body, such as the ponderous machinery of the Portland, although it is hardly probable that the machinery at that time was in motion. The above theory of the wreck, therefore, leads to the belief that the steamer's upper works were swept clear of her when she was a considerable distance off the end of the cape, and the rest of the hull, after being battered by the gale, at length plunged beneath the waves, seven miles east northeast of Peaked Hill bars, between 9 and 10 o'clock Sunday morning, and in striking the bottom happened to hit the cable and broke it.

Grover Gives It Up.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 20.—Ex-President Cleveland, shortly after takin up a residence in Princeton, purchased a large farm near this place. An enthusiastic student of social subjects succeeded in interesting the ex-president in a plan for a school farm. The project, however, did not prove a success and the ex-president has decided to abandon it.

Indicted For Murder.

Providence, Dec. 20.—The grand jury for Kent county yesterday returned an indictment for murder against Samuel Lindsay, colored, for killing Mrs. Letta Lippitt, also colored, at Pawtucket, Nov. 5. Lindsay later pleaded not guilty to the indictment and was held without bail for trial. Jealousy is said to have been the cause of the crime.

Under Two-Starred Flag.

Boston, Dec. 20.—Admiral Henry L. Howison, commandant of the Charlestown navy yard, received the first official recognition of his new rank when his two-starred blue flag fluttered out from the mizzen of the Wabash yesterday. The shore battery boomed out the 13 guns of the rear admiral's salute, and the ceremony was over.

Ready For New Ice Field.

Gardiner, Me., Dec. 20.—The tugboats that have been at work to free the ice blockade in the lower Kennebec have succeeded in breaking it up, and the next tide will clear the river completely, so that a new field is now assured. The average thickness of the upper Kennebec is six inches.

Again In Use.

Oswego, N. Y., Dec. 20.—Fort Ontario, the last American fortress abandoned by the British, July 15, 1796, and which has been abandoned for four years, was regarrisoned yesterday, when company C, Ninth regular infantry, Captain Noyes, arrived here.

Evacuation of Fashoda.

Cairo, Dec. 20.—Major Marchand and his party evacuated Fashoda during the morning of Dec. 11, when the French flag was lowered and the British and Egyptian flags were hoisted. The French detachment started for the Sobat river.

THREE SOLDIERS KILLED

And Others Seriously Hurt by Fire and Explosion at Fort Adams.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 20.—A fire, which broke out last night at Fort Adams, in the stables of light battery, F, Fourth artillery, not only destroyed the stables, but communicated to a neighboring gun shed, containing some powder, and the explosion which followed killed Private Sullivan and two other men, seriously injured Private Street, Corporal Bryan and Private Kerwin, while Privates Weil, Salter, Power, Flannagan and Clay received painful burns. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp in a wing of the stable, about 5:30 o'clock, the flames igniting some straw. One of the sentries gave the alarm by firing his rifle, and in a few minutes the entire garrison was fighting the flames.

There were 150 horses in the stables when the fire broke out, but all were taken out. While the soldiers were doing their utmost to get the horses out and stop the further extension of the fire, a gun shed, some distance back of the stables, caught fire, and, almost without warning, blew up. The explosion was entirely unlooked for, and the force of it hurled a number of the soldiers high in the air, besides throwing others to the ground, where they were almost immediately covered with burning timbers.

Their comrades rushed in and succeeded in hauling the unfortunate men out of the burning pile, but Sullivan was found to be dead, his body being horribly burned and mangled. A search of the ruins after the fire disclosed the bodies of two soldiers, neither of which could be identified.

The explosion also hurled burning brands onto the roofs of other buildings in the fort, but these small fires were extinguished except in the case of a barn belonging to battery H, which was destroyed. A portion of the fire department from this city went over to the assistance of the soldiers, and a detail from the training station also responded to a call for help.

The explosion in the gun shed was entirely unlooked for, as no powder was known to have been there. An official inquiry will be made.

Business Is Improving.

Hartford, Dec. 20.—Notices have been posted at the factory of the Hartford Carpet company at Windsor Locks announcing that next Monday a large part of the works which heretofore has been operated but three days a week will then be started on full time with a 56 hours a week schedule. There will be, however, a reduction of 7½ percent in the departments that will run on full time schedule. Fully 1000 hands will be benefited. The company employs upwards of 150 hands. Those who will continue to work on the short time schedule will not experience any reduction in pay.

Following Gotham Style.

Havana, Dec. 20.—General Greene has approved Captain McCullagh's plan to organize a police force of 1000 men on the model of the New York city system. Clubs and revolvers have been ordered from New York, and yesterday the selection of men was begun. A detective bureau will be a feature of the organization. Heretofore the police stations have been in the private houses of the captains, who now retain most of the records as their personal property.

The Cincinnati Afloat.

Santiago, Dec. 20.—After 40 hours of hard work, with the assistance of the United States colliers Southery and the Mayflower, the cruiser Cincinnati, which on Saturday evening ran full speed upon an unbuoyed rock in Santiago harbor, is now in deep water. Apparently she is not damaged. It was necessary to unload her heavy armament forward in order to move her. She will be thoroughly overhauled before starting for the United States.

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Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-331—p-6w

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Tuesday	38	31	31	29
Wednesday	—	17	34	32
Thursday	—	30	28	26
Friday	—	28	32	32
Saturday	—	43	21	17

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Good Afternoon.

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To Have a Banquet.

After the City Council adjourned Monday evening an informal meeting of the members was held to hear the report of the committee appointed to arrange for a celebration or observance of this year's Council when it adjourns sine-die. The committee submitted two propositions, one to have banquet at some hotel, and the other to have some form of an entertainment on the closing night. The banquet seemed to hit a majority of the members, and it was voted to hold a banquet to which a few outsiders of the City Council should be invited.

The committee were then given full power to arrange for the banquet, the evening, the place, etc.

Died in the South.

Word has been received of the death of Mr. William Thompson of Quincy at Asheville, N. C., Dec. 17.

Mr. Thompson was a son of the late John Thompson, and was a member of the well known granite firm of John Thompson & Sons. Mr. Thompson has been in poor health for some time and about the middle of November he decided go south for the winter, in the hopes that his health would improve, His wife and brother, Representative James Thomspson, accompanied him on the trip and after seeing his brother comfortably settled Mr. Thompson returned home. Reports said that the warm southern climate seemed to benefit him, but last week word was received that he was not as well and his daughters left immediately to join the family and were at his bedside when he passed away.

Mr. Thompson was born in Scotland, but came to this country when a young boy. He served a regular apprenticeship as granite cutter and was later taken into the firm by his father. He was about 56 years of age and leaves a widow, one son and three daughters. The body will be brought to Quincy for burial.

The emperor of China is an editor, His journal has the distinction of having appeared regularly each day for the last 800 years.

DIED.

THOMPSON—In Asheville, N. C., Dec. 17, Mr. William Thompson of Quincy, aged about 56 years.

BONNEY—In Dedham, Dec. 17, Mr. Daniel Bonney of East street, aged 87 years, 2 months and 12 days.

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Dec. 19. 1mlp

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Order to Remove the Tracks on Adams Street.

Adverse Report on Civil Service Accepted.

An Order for Plans for Coddington Street Widening.

One hour was all that was necessary to transact the business that came before the City Council Monday evening. Councilmen Badger, Poland and Willard were absent.

JURORS.

Assisted by Councilman McGrath, Mayor Sears drew the following jurors: Henry E. Emerson, Herbert A. Hayden and Stephen K. Tarbox.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The City Auditor forwarded a communication stating that the appropriation for Fire Alarm, Special Police and Enforcement of the Liquor law was exhausted. To Committee on Finance.

The Commissioner of Public Works in a communication stated that his department had done work to the amount of $453 for outside parties and requested that sum be placed to the credit of his department. To Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were received from several for State and military aid, and from H. L. Kincaide for an Auctioneer's license. All referred.

Councilman McGrath presented a petition for one arc, or two or more incandescent lights near the junction of School and Pleasant streets. To Committee on Lights.

Councilman Packard presented a petition from the members of Hose 5 for $250 for the maintenance of the company for the ensuing year. To Committee on Fire Department.

AGAINST CIVIL SERVICE.

The joint Committee on Legislative Matters and Fire Department reported ought not to pass on order to place the permanent members of the Fire Department on the civil service classified list.

Councilman Sidelinger asked the reason.

Councilman Freeman replied, That it was late in the year to enact such an order and it did not make any difference whether it was done this year or next. The placing of the men under civil service would not debar the discharge of any men, but would oblige the men who took their place to take the examination. Report accepted.

The Committee on State Aid reported upon number of petitions which were adopted.

CODDINGTON STREET WIDENING.

The Committee on Streets reported an order appropriating $50 and instructing the Commissioner of Public Works to prepare plans for the widening of Coddington and Sea streets, showing proposed lines. To committee on Finance.

REMOVAL OF TRACKS.

The Committee on Streets, reported two orders, the first revoking the street railway location on Adams street between Hancock and Alleyn street, giving as a reason that the street was too narrow unless widened, and that a better and safer way could be provided. Ordered to a second reading.

The second order granted the street railway a location on Alleyne street.

Councilman Jameson asked if land damages had been considered as he thought Alleyne street would have to be widened.

Councilman Parker replied that the committee were of the opinion that the street was wide enough.

Councilman Jameson then asked if the street should have to be widened could the railroad be made to pay for any part of the expense.

City Solicitor McAnarney said there was no law by which the railroad could be assessed. Here the City Council was granting the location without the request of the railroad, and if the street was widened the city would have to pay the expense. Had the railroad asked for the new location it could be assessed for widening.

The order was ordered to second reading.

APPROPRIATIONS, ETC.

The Commitee on Finance reported an order appropriating $300 additional for the Board of Health, $235 of which was for garbage and $65 for miscellaneous. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Finance reported an order refunding Patrick J. Cuniff $36.50 and Louis Slaugher $12.65 taxes illegally paid. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Ordinances reported correctly engrossed, orders transferring $173 to pay coal bill of the Water Department for 1897; refunding Willard Walsh $41.96 taxes and increasing the salary of the Overseer of the Poor to $500 per yer. All of which were passed to be ordained.

MOTIONS, ORDERS, ETC.

Councilman Newcomb offered an order requesting the City Solicitor to give an opinion in writing, as to what action was necessary to widen Water street where it was crossed by the New Haven tracks to a uniform width of the remainder of the street. Passed.

Councilman Packard offered an order for $600 for extra expenses of the Fire Department on account of the storm, To joint Committee on Finance and Fire Department.

Upon motion of Councilman Parker it was voted when the Council adjourn it be until Tuesday, Dec. 27.

CALENDAR.

The order granting the New England Telephone Co. a location for one pole on the corner of Hancock and Granite streets, took its second reading and was passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

The order appropriating $1,000 additional for maintenance of water supply took its second reading and was passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

The order appropriating $200 for Public Burial Places took its second reading, and was passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

The order appropriating $650 for State and Military Aid and Soldiers Relief took its second reading and was passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

The order transferring $209.87 to pay bills of outside poor for 1897, took its second reading, and was passed to be ordained under suspenson of the rules.

The order refunding J. L. Johnson $43.30 and J. Moody, Jr., $48.62 taxes took its second reading, and was passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENT.

The order fixing the permanent sidewalk assessment at one-half the cost of new edgestones and one-half the cost of brick and concrete, took its second reading, and the rules were suspended.

Councilman Jameson asked why the Committee reported one-half on abutters.

Councilman Parker explained that the amount appropriated was $7,000. The committee thought best that the city should pay for all foundations, for the engineer work and the resetting of the old edgestones. This amounted to $1,000, which left $6,000 to be paid, one-half of which was assessed on abutters. This makes the city pay $4,000 and the abutters $3,000. The order was then passed to be ordained.

The auctioneer bonds of Frank F. Crane and Elijah G. Hall were approved.

Adjourned at 8.30.

Red Men Active.

Hodenosaunee Tribe of Wollaston closed up the work of the term last week by exemplifying the Warriors and Chiefs degrees on two candidates.

Several candidates for adoption are expected at the second council in January, and the members intend to keep the new chiefs hustling during the coming term. Chiefs were elected last week and will be raised to their stumps at the first council in January. These are the ones who will control the destinies of the tribe during the next six months:

Sachem,—J. F. McLeod.
Senior Sagamore,—W. L. Jefferson.
Junior Sagamore,—O. B. Saunders.
Prophet,—E. L. Wright.
C. of R.,—William A. Jordan.
C. of W.,—E. R. Frost.
K. of W.,—G. W. McClintock.
Trustee,—Hon. H. O. Fairbanks.

It was voted to secure the services of Peter MacQueen, M. A., to deliver his illustrated lecture on "The Thrilling Experiences of a Newspaper Correspondent at Santiago and Porto Rico;" and it will be given in Quincy Music hall, Monday, Jan. 9th, at popular prices. Tickets can be obtained at Durgin's drug store.

Societe Saint-Jean-Baptiste.

At the regular meeting of the Societe Saint Jean Baptiste of Quincy, the following officers were elected for the next six months:

President,—Wilbrod Dalpe.
1st Vice President, — Ernest Dutenple.
2d Vice President,—John Dextra.
Secretary Are.,—J. Landry.
Assistant Secretary Are.,—F. Amet.
Financial Secretary,—A. Roger.
Corresponding Secretary, — A. Rouleau.
Treasurer,—C. D. Leclair.
Com. Ord.,—W. Rouleau.
Ass. Com. Ord.,—J. Dufour.
Directors,—J. Dextra, F. Amet, P. Savois, J. Landry, A. Reed.
Financial Committee,—L. Bernier, O. Rouleau, E. Dutenple.
Investigating Committee, — V. Brunet, J. Rager, L. Bouchard, S. Larandea, G. Lemiux, Dr. T. J. Dion.

TODAY'S COURT.

Roger Denny was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

The continued cases of Thomas H. Sullivan and James Welch, for drunkeness, were called and they paid a fine of $5 each.

The largest mammoth found in the Siberian ice fields measured 17 feet in length and was 10 feet high.

$5 REWARD.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Quincy, Dec. 20. tf

Quincy Music Hall, Monday Evening, Jan. 9.

The Thrilling Experience of a War Correspondent.

An Illustrated Lecture by **PETER MacQUEEN, M. A.** Views Taken by Himself on Field of Battle.

☞ Mr. MacQueen was Frank Leslie's Special Correspondent at Santiago and Porto Rico.

Reserved Seats, 25c. and 35c., for sale at Durgin's.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture at 8 o'clock. Dec. 20.—6t 20 22 24 27 29 31

Did You Ever Notice

How ridiculous some things in newspapers really are when you get them sifted down. A man took a number of Boston papers last Sunday and sat down to read the news. He read a little news but the ad's were so big he began to look them over and then he began to study the cuts. He found, according to the pictures, he could buy wooden toothpicks that were longer than a step-ladder. He found that he could buy a pair of ladies' shoes for $1 48 that were as large as the whole lady in the next picture, who wore a Russian seal sacque reduced for this occasion to $3.27. He found that he could buy a coal hod for 13c. that was twice as large as a ton of coal for $2.71 (may be that was no joke). He found he could buy chairs for 63c. that were as large as a whole bed room set for $9 37, and the more he looked at the pictures the more pictures he looked at. The pictures are not the only delusions in the Boston newspapers these days—are not the only things that look big in print which dwindle when you strike reality.

There have been Overcoats shown in Boston that looked big in print for $7.48 that were worth only $5.00.

There are Overcoats sold in Boston for $10.00 that look like $20.00 ones in print, but $7.50 buys as good a one of us.

The Quincy Clothing Co. has in nine months shown that it is not necessary to talk big---to DO big counts more.

We have lived down all sorts of exaggeration in advertising, and have seen our business increase day by day simply and solely because what we put in print were usually bigger when you saw them in the store than they were in print.

Today we open our line of Christmas Ties, Mufflers, Suspenders and Umbrellas, and Handkerchiefs "made by the maids of Japan" with initials for 10c. Think of a girl in Japan making a handkerchief to be blowed in Quincy, Norfolk County, Mass., U. S. A., Earth.

QUINCY CLOTHING CO.,

NEXT DOOR TO MUSIC HALL ENTRANCE.

JOHNSON BROS.

MARKET,

139 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Nov. 10. tf

For Sale.

The beautiful estate of N. G. Nickerson, Belmont street, Wollaston. House, stable, 36,000 feet of land; great variety of Fruit and Shade Trees. Low price and easy terms.

Apply to N. G. NICKERSON, 120 Ames Building, Boston

Nov. 21. 1m

$1.00 RIMLESS EYEGLASSES old elsewhere for $1.50 to $2 00. Eyes tested free by skilled opticians; no guesswork. Open evenings at the old stand, J. EDWARD WILSON'S, 14 and 15 Tremont row, Boston.

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CHRISTMAS OPENING.

Our lines of Merchandise are now complete, and we can show the finest line of HOLIDAY GIFTS ever shown in this city.

USEFUL AS WELL AS ORNAMENTAL.

Gentlemen's

SILK MUFFLERS, 50c. to $3.00.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, 25c. to $1.50.
LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, all prices.
INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 12 1-2c., 25c., and 29c.
KID GLOVES, Lined and Unlined.
DRIVING and WOOLEN GLOVES.
NECKWEAR. Never did we show such a choice line, 25, 50, 75c.
POCKET BOOKS, 25c. to $2.00.
CIGAR BOXES, all prices.
SHAVING SETS.
Almost everthing that will make a man happy.

Ladies'

HANDKERCHIEFS and APRONS in great variety.
SILK SCARFS for the ladies in Plaids are very choice.
Ladies' POCKETBOOKS and PURSES.
Never was our line so complete and our prices so low.

BOSTON BAGS.

1 lot leather ends, regular price	75c
Our price	50c
A Choice Bag for	75c
Real Alligator, 11-inch	$2.98
12-inch	3.49

Best goods. Compare prices with Boston.

LADIES' GLOVES.

Kid Lined and Unlined. Together wth the best line of any Gloves ever shown.

SILK WAISTS.

All prices and styles. Also Woolen in all colors.

STATIONERY.

We never sold so much Stationery at Christmas before, which shows that our line must be what the people want.

We are showing a complete line of Cut Work in Bureau and Sideboard Covers, Table Covers and Shams.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

Ideal Gifts for Christmas.

Don't worry, don't lose sleep, don't make your brain tired trying to think *"What's best for Christmas."* You'll forget your troubles, and find just what you've been looking for if you'll only visit this splendid store.

It's better for you to give something useful, something that will not only delight and add to Christmas happiness, but something that will give continuous pleasure and comfort.

Here's a List of Suggestions.

Substantial, inexpensive, comfort bringing presents. Nothing you can give will be more acceptable than some one thing from this ideal list of sensible Christmas gifts.

3 Fold Screens,	$ 1.98	Umbrella Stands,	$ 1.00 to $ 5.00
Book Cases,	$1.00 to 10.00	Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 4.00
Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50	Hanging Lamps,	2.75 to 5.50
Easels,	.39 to 2.50	Banquet Lamps,	2.25 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 15.00	Parlor Lamps,	.98 to 5.50
Gent's Smoking Tables,	2 98	Bissell's Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Piano Stools,	2.98	Boot Black Stands,	.98
Piano Scarfs,	2.75 to 5.50	Alarm Clocks,	.89
Medicine Cabinets,	1.25 to 5.00	Cuckoo Clocks,	7.50
Foot Rests,	1.50 to 3.50	China Parlor Clocks,	1.00 to 10.00
Lemonade Sets,	.75 to 2.75	Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Wine Sets,	1.25 to 2.50	Fancy Rockers,	1.50 to 8.00
Beautiful Pictures,	.75 to 5.00	Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinieres,	.10 to 2.75	Jardiniere Stands,	.39 to 2.50
Brass and Onyx Tables,	3.75 to 10.00	Rugs,	.50 to 5.00
Oak Hat Racks,	1.25	Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	.42 to 1.00	Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Dexters, Rocking Horses,	.49 to 1.50	Portieres Per Pair,	.50 to 6.50
Express Wagons,	.50 to 2.50	Oak Side Boards,	10.00 to 35.00
Doll Carriages,	.50 to 2.00	Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Black Boards,	.10 to 1.25	Oak Dining Chairs,	.89 to 2.50
Bread & Milk Sets,	.25 to 1.00	Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
High Chairs,	.50 to 5.00	Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Rocking Chairs,	.50 to 4.50	Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
White Iron Cribs,	5.00 to 7.50	Oak Chamber Sets,	15.00 to 35.00
Fancy Chairs,	1.00 to 6.50	Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
Beautiful odd pieces of New French and English China in Salad Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Cake Plates, Cheese Dishes, Pin Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Spoon Trays, Pickle Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Picture Frames, After Dinner Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Jardiniere, Vases, etc. etc. Hundreds of odd and dainty pieces from 10 cents to $1.50.		Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
		Piano Lamps,	7.50 to 10.00
		China Closets,	12.00 to 30.00
		Serving Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Hall Stands,	5.00 to 15.00
		Hall Settees,	7.50 to 15.00
		Ladies' Work Baskets,	2.50 to 5.00
		New Pianos. Cut prices for Christmas,	175.00 to 250.00
		Dressing Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Cheval Mirrors,	10.00 to 15.00

Hints only are possible. Nothing you can give your wife, husband, family or friends can please them so much.

Goods delivered just where you want them and when you want them.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
The People's House Furnishers,
Hancock Street, Quincy.

Turkey for Co. K.

The Daily Ledger will continue to receive subscriptions for the Christmas feast for Co. K until Saturday night. The sum needed to give our soldier boy plenty of turkey and the fixings is $45, and it should have been raised before this. We have faith in Quincy people, however, and have directed Lieut. Whitney to draw on us for the amount. Eleven dollars more should be subscribed.

RECEIVED TODAY.

Mrs. Wm. A. Hodges,	$1.00
Willard Hodges,	.25
Henry L. Kincaide,	2.00

PREVIOUSLY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mrs. Mary Collie	$1
Fred Tirrell,	1
George Wilson	1
George Richards,	1
Dexter Remick,	1
Frank Packard,	1
Elisha Packard,	1
J. P. O'Brien,	1
R. T. Johnson,	1
J. S. Swingle,	1
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Daniel Desmond	1
W. A. Hodges,	1
J. W. Johnson,	1
C. M. Jenness,	1
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Fred Johnson,	.50
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Emil Gustafson,	.25
Dexter Remick,	1.00
Francis Abele, Jr.,	.25
John L. Gleeson,	.25
L. B. Curtiss,	.25
James McConnell,	.25
F. Howe,	.50
P. R. Glass,	.25
A. L. Baker,	.50
James Francis Young,	.25
R. W. VanBuskirk,	.25
Granite Clothing Co.,	1.00
H. S. Hayford,	.25
J. H. Geeson,	.25
W. J. Lynch,	1.00
J. A. Earle,	.25
J. W. Murray,	.25
William B. Gardner,	.25
George S. Grant,	.25
Herbert Drake,	.25
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H. W. Adrian,	.50
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F. A. Tupper,	1.00
J. G. Moore,	.50
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G. F. Clark,	.50
A Friend,	.50
George B. Wendell,	.50
	$32.75

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Your Plum Pudding

will be successful just in proportion to the quality of what you put into it--the raisins, currants, peel, spices, etc., not forgetting the cider.

It may not cost you any more to get the best at our store—but if it does it will all come back to you in quality and better satisfaction.

RAISINS. No stems, no dirt, fine fruit; 3 lbs. for 25c., 10 lbs. for 75c.

CURRANTS. Thoroughly cleaned. Fine, rich flavor. It's flavor that costs in currants, not size. 3 lbs. for 25 cents.

PEEL. Mixed as you wish it, 15 cents a lb.

EXTRACTS. Burnet's — the absolutely pure kind.

"Your Money Back if You Want It."

Boston Branch Grocery, Quincy.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Next Monday will be observed as a holiday.

Useful and seasonable Christmas presents at C. F. Derby's.

Just enough snow to make walking disagreeable, and now rain.

Miss Ethel Craig is home from Tilton seminary for the holidays.

Williams, the jeweller, will give a written guarantee with every watch sold.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.'s list of suggestions for Christmas help many in their selections.

The Granite Clothing store is in Christmas costume, and wishes you a Merry Chrismas.

The latest rumor is that Michael T. Sullivan may be the next Chief of Police in Quincy.

Michael J. Burns, court officer at the District court, is at home sick, threatened with pneumonia.

Rural lodge of Masons will attend the funeral of Peter D. Holbrook at Braintree, Thursday afternoon.

Some who have visited Miss C. S. Hubbard looking for Christmas goods say they can do better than in Boston.

The Ladies' Aid society at Quincy Point has voted thanks to Col. Anderson for his excellent lecture last week.

F. J. Pierson at Brewer's Corner has put in a large stock of Chrismas goods this year, and has 5 and 10 cent counters.

W. G. A. Pattee of this city attended the dinner of the Young Men's Democratic club at the Quincy house, Boston, Monday night.

Miss Lillian Taylor, clerk in the Tax Collector's office, and Miss Belle Smith, clerk in the City Treasurer's office at City Hall, are at home sick.

The new colony of Pilgrim Fathers will be instituted in French's hall, Thursday evening, by Supreme Governor J. S. Taft of Keene, N. H.

One of the greatest shots at geese which has been made in these waters for a long time, is the score of 25 geese at one shot at Edwin Clapp's stand at Slate island, a few days ago. Five guns were fired at once.

The boys and girls who are fond of skating are not going to get left on their out door sport. It is understood that the Bank meadow on South street is to be flooded; and also that Councilman Arthur Newcomb is on hand with a petition to raise a small amount to bank up the pond, so as to keep the water from doing any damage to resident's property.

Town Treasurer Dead.

Mr. Peter D. Holbrook, town treasurer of Braintree, died at his home Monday evening of pneumonia.

Mr. Holbrook was in Quincy Saturday, apparently as well as usual. That evening he was taken sick with pneumonia. He did not rally but failed rapidly until Monday night when he passed away about 7 o'clock.

Mr. Holbrook was born in Randolph in 1825, and came to Braintree in 1853. A few years later he entered the grocery business with Mr. Hobart, the store being known as the Union grocery store, from which he retired some ten years ago, after having been in business for upwards of thirty years.

In 1891 he was elected Town Treasurer of Braintree to succeed Andrew J. Bates, and has held the office ever since. He was also treasurer of the school fund, and a director in the Weymouth Savings bank.

For upward of forty years he has been a member of Rural lodge, F. A. M. of Quincy, and was also a member of South Shore Commandery.

He leaves a widow, one son and two daughters.

L. O. L. Officers.

At a largely attended meeting of Bay View lodge Monday evening, including a number of visitors, the following officers were elected:

Worthy Master,—Andrew Stewart.
D. M.,—E. H. Geddes.
R. S.,—F. Tinney.
F. S.,—W. J. McLeod.
Treas.,—W. F. McCalder.
Chaplain,—John McPherson.
D. of C.,—M. McLeod.
Con.,—John D. McKenzie.
A. Con.,—H. P. Abbott.
I. T.,—James Beaton.
O. T.,—Lauchlin McDonald.
F. of Committee of Law,—Henry M. Storms.
Trustee,—A. M. McLeod.
Chairman of F. Com.—T. W. Good.

Several remarks and songs were enjoyed.

The combined age of five couples who recently celebrated their golden weddings at Wazemmes in Belgium was just 800 years.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

Michael Angelo.

To take one of the old masters of art like Michael Angelo, a man who lived centuries ago, and bring him to life again so that he becomes a living and breathing reality to us, is a difficult task for any speaker to undertake; but it was admirably done by Dr. D. M. Hodge at the Universalist church last evening. For one delightful hour he kept his auditors spell-bound in the presence of the great artist and of his immortal works.

No extract can do justice to the lecture which was a beautiful and finished picture of the man and the products of his genius. It would be like taking a chip from a diamond or the fragment of a painting for the complete gem or picture. It was a rare pleasure to listen to the well cultivated voice; the simple, clear but most expressive language; and the vivid description of the accomplished speaker.

The personal characteristics of Angelo, his wonerful moral and intellectual powers, and his peculiar artistic temperament, which often made him self-contained, morose and irritable, were graphically portrayed, and the analysis of his character was masterly, showing a profound appreciation of his genius as well as much study on the part of the speaker.

The vile insinuations on the part of some writers as to the morality of the man, were stamped as false, for no man not pure could live and do the work he did. The great characteristic of Angelo's works is thought. He did not care like the Greeks for mere form and beauty. His master pieces show thought and are all symbolic. Some detail, usually some important detail in all his works, is left unfinished. He intended that to represent the fact that nothing in life is ever finished but always in the process of becoming. It will be a long while before a better lecture is given in Quincy and all who heard it were loud in their praise of it.

The introduction by Rev. Mr. Hardy was apt and very appropriate and he spoke of the educational influence of art and regretted that we did not have more buildings like the public library which is the only gem of art in town.

Illustrated Lecture.

Dr. William Gallagher of Thayer Academy lectured before a crowded house at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Monday evening on "A month in Egypt."

The doctor told in a witty, conversational way of his tour through that country. There was not a dry period in the whole lecture. The audience would have been delighted to have heard him talk an hour longer. About eighty good stereopticon views were shown.

On Sunday Probably.

Another futile attempt was made on Monday afternoon to haul off the steamer "John J. Hill." This time she was moved half an inch straight away and nine inches laterally. Monday's tide was six inches lower than Sunday's and today's will be six inches lower. But on next Sunday morning the tide will rise 9 feet, 10 inches, which is six inches above the mean tide of this port. The "Hill" will undoubtedly be pulled off then.

CHILDREN

and their Diseases. Write for book containing facts every mother should know. Sent free. Thousands of afflicted children have been cured by **True's Pin Worm Elixir.** Purely vegetable and harmless. Est. 47 years. Price 35c. At druggists.
DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

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Everything first-class at the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

Temple Street.

All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

Quincy, Feb. 8. 1y

DR. HERBERT S. HAYFORD
195 Hancock Street.

OFFICE HOURS—11 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.
Telephone, 4-3.
Quincy, July 5. tf

Merry Christmas

May be enjoyed in every home where every member of the household is kept warm and well. Men and boys who are exposed to the weather must be properly protected. This is the time, too, when people are giving

SENSIBLE, USEFUL PRESENTS.

These can be found in

Ulsters, Overcoats,

WINTER SUITS, and the finest line of

Underwear

ever seen in Quincy. CAPS, GLOVES, NECKTIES and every seasonable article for Men and Boys.

THE Granite Clothing Store,

in CHRISTMAS COSTUME, filled with honest goods at honest prices. . .

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Dec. 15. plo

EBEN SMITH, Established 1872. MRS. EBEN SMITH Succeeded 1897.

Square, Oval, Circle Gothic and Arch-Top Picture Frames.

GOLD, SILVER, BRONZE and NATURAL WOODS.
RE-GILDING A SPECIALTY.
High-Grade Work at Moderate Prices.

188 Lincoln Street,
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Near O. C. R. R. Station.
Dec. 5. 1m

WILLIAM E. BAXTER, M. D.
Practice Limited to the
EYE AND EAR.
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QUINCY—Monday and Friday.
Hours, 9 to 11. 195 Hancock Stree
May 21. 1y

E. S. BECKFORD, Electrician.

Wiring and Fitting for Incandescent, Motors, Dynamos, Bells, etc.

GRANITE STREET, Near the Bridge, QUINCY.
Feb. 1 1y

JOHN EVANS, Auctioneer and Appraiser.
Prompt Settlement.
24 COPELAND STREET, QUINCY.
Feb. 26 tf

Cold Drop FLOUR, $4.50 Cash

We guarantee it to be perfect bread flour.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,

Quincy, Nov. 26.

Cigars, Cigars

For this week, Dec. 19 to 24, we will make the following prices on Cigars

BY THE BOX FOR CASH:

ROSE BUD, 50 in box,	$1.00
WELLINGTON BOQUET, 25 in box,	1.50
FLOR DEL MINO, 25 in box,	1.50
LILLIAN RUSSELL, 50 in box,	1.75
IMPERIAL SWEEPER, 100 in box,	3.50
LAWRENCE 103, 100 in box,	3.25
IMPERIALES, 50 in box,	3.50
WEDDING BOQUET, 50 in box,	3.50
WEDDING BOQUET, 12 in box,	1.00
BARRISTERS, 100 in box,	6.50
7-20-4, 100 in box,	6.50

Buy your friends a Box of Cigars and make them happy.

G. F. Wilson & Co.,
108 Hancock Street, - - Quincy.
Dec. 19. 6t

The Latest Conundrum is

Why?

Just plain "why," but the place to buy

COAL or WOOD

of every kind and at lowest prices is at the old stand of

J. F. SHEPPARD & SONS

Quincy Dec 1.

MABEL F. FAIRBANKS
TEACHER OF
CHINA PAINTING and WATERCOLOR.
China Decorated to Order.
34 Grand View Avenue, Wollaston.
Sept. 29. 3m

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SOUTHERN TRIP ENDS.

Blue and the Gray United In Honoring the President.

Medal of Confederates Pinned Upon His Coat.

Reference to Southern Dead Brings Forth Applause In All Sections.

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 20.—The demonstration in Augusta last evening in honor of President McKinley was a fitting climax to his southern tour. At Wheeler station, four miles from Augusta, the party left the train and entered carriages. On the other side of the road leading to Camp McKenzie were drawn up six troops of the Third cavalry that saw service with General Shafter in Cuba. The public road passes through the camp, and on either side the various regiments were drawn up.

After passing through the camp, the route lay through the United States arsenal grounds and the village of Summerville, where corps headquarters are located. In the heart of the city a reviewing stand had been erected, and from this the president and his party reviewed the cavalry. The crowd was very great, and so was their enthusiasm. General Wheeler was the hero, Augusta being his birthplace.

A unique feature of the demonstration was a company of uniformed veterans of the Confederacy with their battle-scarred flags waving with the Stars and Stripes. They were under command of Major Withers, aged and bent, arrayed in the historic gray of the lost cause. The veterans stood in front of the president during his address, and no cheers in the vast throng were more hearty than theirs.

The president was formally welcomed by ex-Congressman Black. The president responded briefly, giving expression to ideas previously stated.

General Wheeler, General Shafter, Secretary Alger, Secretary Gage and Postmaster General Smith also spoke briefly. The party was then driven to the Commercial club where a reception was tendered on behalf of the citizens, and a repast was served. At 7:30 the journey to Washington was resumed.

Enthusiasm at Macon.

The president and his party were received at Macon by the largest crowd which has gathered there since the last visit of Jefferson Davis to that city. Drawn up in front of the station was the Bibb county camp of the Confederate Survivors' association, 400 strong, headed by Commander Wiley. As the president reached the old Confederates, Colonel Wiley addressed him as follows:

"Mr. President: We extend to you and your party a most generous, hearty and sincere welcome to our beloved city. You, sir, have endeared yourself to the hearts of all Confederate soldiers on account of noble sentiments expressed by you in regard to our Confederate dead. I assure you that these old, maimed and infirm veterans who have met here to do you honor today appreciate such words of love and kindness and uttered, too, by the president of this great country and by one who was a member of the Union army in the sixties. I hope and pray that God in His infinite mercy may so direct the future legislation of this country that the living Confederates will be remembered. This country and the stars and stripes belong as much to the Confederate veterans as it does to the Grand Army of the Republic. The south proved its loyalty to this grand old country when war was declared with Spain, and now, henceforth and forever she will be found ready to take up arms to defend our country and our flag.

"Mr. President, on behalf of these brave and maimed Confederate soldiers of Bibb county, Georgia, I present to you this parchment engrossed in letters of gold, the beautiful sentiment expressed by you in our capital city in regard to our honored dead."

Dr. Roland B. Hall, another veteran, addressed the president as follows: "Mr. President, on behalf of our noble dead and as Confederate veterans, we are here to manifest our appreciation of the noble and generous sentiment you have recently uttered. Do us the honor, sir, to accept and wear this badge of a Confederate veterans' association, which bears your likeness and words which should endear you to the heart of every Confederate."

"I do not know that it will be proper," said the president.

The Badge Remains.

"But you must," said Dr. Hall, and without further ceremony, the president marched ahead with Judge Speer. The sight of the Confederate badge on the president's coat, as he passed through the lines of veterans, called forth vociferous cheering.

The president wore the badge during his stay in Macon. One of General Wheeler's old cavalrymen also pinned a badge to the lapel of his major general's coat.

The presidential party was driven in carriages to the stand where the president was to review the troops of General Bates' division of General Wilson's army corps. As his carriage passed the Confederate monument, an old Confederate veteran frantically waived a Confederate flag, while by his side was the son of the colonel of one of Georgia's hardest fighting Confederate regiments, who was as vigorously waving the Stars and Stripes. When the president was abreast of them, the two flags were brought to a salute side by side. The incident seemed to appeal to the president. Emblazoned on the base of the monument were the words of the president about the graves of the Confederate dead.

The sidewalks were packed all along the line of march, and Mr. McKinley and the other celebrities were vigorously cheered.

After the review a great crowd gathered about the stand, though a steady, soaking rain was falling. Judge Emory Speer introduced the president, who spoke as follows:

"It gives me very great pleasure to meet and greet the citizens of the city of Macon with many of whom I have been associated in public life. It has given me pleasure to witness the review of the soldiers of the United States. How much, indeed, has this nation to be thankful for at this hour. With what reverent gratitude we should express our thankfulness to Divine Providence, who has so tenderly cared for the American people. We have been at war with a foreign power. That war ended after 113 days of conflict, a conflict on two oceans, a conflict in the east and West Indies, 12,000 miles apart, with 50,000 of our soldiers on distant shores and 20,000 sailors and marines afloat with a loss in army and navy of less than 2000, and without the loss of ship or sailor or soldier or flag by capture. Never was there a more magnificent army mustered and never was an army mustered for a holier cause or under a more glorious flag than the Stars and Stripes.

"On the 24th of this month, the day before Christmas, our peace commissioners will deliver to the President of the United States a treaty of peace, peace with honor, peace with the blessings of liberty to struggling peoples east and west.

Triumph Over Everything.

"I congratulate my country on another fact: we have not only triumphed over our enemy, but we have triumphed over our own prejudices and are now a united country.

"It has done my heart good to witness the demonstrations of patriotism from one end of this country to the other. Six weeks ago I went to the extreme west. I met the wave of patriotism there. I come to the south and I witness the same spirit of loyalty and devotion to a common country with a common faith, under a common flag.

"I know this great audience wants to see the heroes of the war—they are here with you—Shafter and Wheeler and Lawton and Bates and others who were conspicuous in the recent conflict, and I give way that you may have the pleasure of meeting them and other distinguished gentlemen who are in my party as I journey through the south."

The president's remarks were frequently interrupted by cheers. Then there was a loud call for General Wheeler, "Little Old Fighting Joe," as he was affectionately called. He responded briefly.

General Shafter was next called for, and made a short speech.

General Lawton would not speak, but appeared on the stand and bowed.

General Bates said a dozen or more words, and then General Wilson took the stand. He made the speech of the occasion. He said, in conclusion: "But splendid as the president's work has been, there still remains greater work for him to do. It is glorious work. It is work which justifies the president in saying we are at last one, and that the Confederate soldier should receive the same treatment as the federal soldier. I hope to see the day when our flag shall float everywhere from the frozen north to the sunny clime of Central America. We are too big and powerful and progressive to have neighbors on this continent, and I trust that, before the next administration of the president closes, the flag will fly over every foot of the continent from the northern extremity of the Dominion of Canada to the gulf of Mexico."

The presidential party was taken in charge by the committee and driven about the city until it was time to take its departure for Augusta.

Against Knights of Labor.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Judge Bradley of the district criminal court yesterday ruled the demurrer to the indictment in the Knights of Labor conspiracy case, and in a vigorous decision stated that against such combinations as that alleged in the indictment the injured individual was at great disadvantage and required the protection of the law. The case is against members of the District Assembly, Knights of Labor, who are charged with consipracy to injure the business of a local tradesman because he refused to build certain wagons in the District of Columbia. The court, in overruling the demurrer, said a conspiracy to injure "is a misdemeanor at common law and indictable as such."

Money From the Dead.

Boston, Dec. 20.—In the United States circuit court there has been deposited with the court clerk the wages of several deceased seamen, who lost their lives along the coast in the storm of Nov. 27 last. The purpose is to give the relatives or those entitled to the wages a chance to recover them. These wages will be held by the court for a period of six years, so as to give time to the lawful claimants to appear.

Assumes New Duites.

Athens, Dec. 20.—Prince George of Greece, whose tenure of office as commissioner general of the European powers in Crete began Sunday, started yesterday for Canea. He left the city amid a popular ovation. The members of the cabinet and the representatives of the powers were at the railway station to bid him adieu.

Fire In Colliery.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 20.—A heavy explosion of gas occurred in the Hollenback colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company yesterday. Four men were badly burned. August Mitchell will die; the others will recover. The explosion was caused by a small fire in one of the lower veins.

Free Use of Pistol.

New York, Dec. 20.—In a quarrel here last night, William Elmendorf shot and fatally wounded his common law wife, Catharine Cook, fired at his mother and his brother-in-law, but missed them, and then shot and killed himself.

Massachusetts In Dry Dock.

New York, Dec. 20.—The battleship Massachusetts was floated into dry dock No. 3 at the navy yard yesterday to receive the repairs made necessary by her contact with Diamond reef off Governor's Island on Dec. 10.

Looks Like Murder.

New York, Dec. 20.—Jean Baptiste Colon, 67 years of age, a florist, was found lying dead in the cellar of 217 West Twenty-eighth street yesterday with a jagged wound in his throat and several scalp wounds.

This Is "Disarmament."

London, Dec. 20.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail says: The Russian government has ordered 10 new destroyers for the Pacific squadron, to be completed within two years.

Capitol Gleanings.

Nothing has been heard at the war department of the reported illness of General Brooke nor of anything calculated to interfere with his prompt resumption of the duties of governor general of Cuba.

Senator Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic national committee, contradicts the report in circulation that W. H. Harvey is to receive 10 percent of the proceeds of his efforts as an agent of the committee.

The Canadian joint commission has adjourned until Jan. 5, after which it is expected they will reassemble in Washington for a session of not more than two weeks' duration.

Mayor Quincy Differed.

Boston, Dec. 20.—At its annual meeting and banquet last night, the Young Men's Democratic club listened to numerous speeches on expansion and imperialism by two recently elected Democratic congressmen, Henry F. Naphen and John R. Thayer, as well as by Mayor Quincy, C. S. Hamlin and others. Both the annual meeting, which was held before the banquet, and at which the election of officers took place, and the banquet itself, were largely attended, and singing was one of the features. President Henry W. Lamb presided. Mayor Quincy, the first speaker, said that "rightly or wrongly, the flag has been raised and the people will sustain it." The sentiments expressed by the other speakers were: Congressman-elect Naphen—"The taking of this territory will destroy our American system." Congressman-elect Thayer—"If the war was a war for humanity, when was the purpose changed?" General Collins—"A war begun for humanity should not end in conquest." Charles S. Hamlin—"Let us grant them complete autonomy under our protection."

Unable to Agree.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 20.—The jury which held the fate of United States Senator Kenney in its hands was discharged by Judge Bradford at 4:30 yesterday afternoon without reaching a verdict. The jury had been out over 70 hours, having retired Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Texas franchise tax has been declared unconstitutional.

A gatling gun factory may be established at Cleveland.

Chicago has never had so large Christmas sales as this year.

Rev. Thomas McKee Brown, D. D., of New York, is dead.

Frank Dudley, a prominent lumber dealer of Portland, Me., died of typhoid fever, aged 54.

New York has an epidemic of grip, caused to some extent by the bad condition of the streets.

The President of Bolivia is to attack La Paz and attempt to drive the rebels out of the capital.

Fred L. Diman of Arlington, Mass., a music teacher and director, was struck and killed by a train.

John Dunne and James McCormick, each aged 18, were drowned near Kingston, N. Y., by breaking through the ice.

Captain J. Mohring of the steamship Curityba, from Caibarien, Cuba, was found dead in a room of a hotel at New York.

Thomas Fogarty, 60 years old, a woolen jack spinner, and who is believed to have been homeless and friendless, was killed by a train near Blackstone, Mass.

Domonico Cetalara, a workman employed on the city of Boston works on Moon Island, was killed by the premature discharge of a blast of dynamite.

A fund has been opened to make provision for the widow and children of Harold Frederick, the American correspondent, whom he left quite destitute in London.

The United States cruiser Resolute left League island navy yard yesterday for Havana with a force of marines and supplies for the naval station at the Cuban capital.

It is reported that the Russian minister of war, Lieutenant General Kouropatkine, will be dismissed for countermanding an order given by the Grand Duke Vladimir, who is commander of the St. Petersburg military district.

The dread and foreboding which almost invariably comes over a young wife, just ere the advent of the first little darling who shall call her mother, is one of the unnatural burdens which civilization has imposed upon the privilege of motherhood.

There ought not to be such an overwhelming sense of depression and weakness as a woman feels at this time and there would not be if she was in a perfectly strong and healthy condition. In thousands of cases motherhood has been divested of all its dangers and a large proportion of its pain by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is the most marvelous remedy ever discovered for restoring complete organic health and strength to the delicate special structure involved in motherhood. Taken early during the prospective time it makes the mother strong, energetic and cheerful and carries her through the period of trial with comparative comfort and ease. It increases the baby's natural, constitutional vigor and adds to the joys of motherhood the supreme satisfaction of a strong, robust, lusty infant. "Favorite Prescription" is also the best supportive tonic for nursing mothers. Every expectant mother will appreciate what is said by Mrs. Fannie M. Harry, of Galesburg, Ills., (545 Churchill Ave.) In a letter to Dr. Pierce she writes:

"I have used your medicines in my family for a long time, and find them to be all that is claimed. I cannot recommend them too highly. My confinement was made easy, as I experienced none of the pains such as others have at that period, and the *first born* the one that mothers fear so much. Besides, the medicine has helped me in many other ways. I would recommend all afflicted women to try Dr. Pierce's valuable medicines, and thus become well and strong."

FRANK F CRANE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass.

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Labor Resolutions.

Kansas City, Dec. 20.—The American Federation of Labor opened the second week of its annual convention with many resolutions yet to be acted upon. Resolutions urging congress to pass a bill giving to the citizens of the District of Columbia the same rights of franchise enjoyed by the people of the states, and urging government ownership of a system of telegraph lines, the postal telegraph system being favored, were adopted.

Sagasta Is Sick.

Madrid, Dec. 20.—Yesterday's cabinet council was adjourned, owing to Senor Sagasta's indisposition; and the solution of the crisis, is, therefore, delayed.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast

Sun rises—7:11; sets, 4:15.
Moon sets—1:01 a. m.
High water—5:45 a. m.; 6:15 a. m.

The storm now at hand will pass to the northward of New England by Wednesday morning, followed by clearing weather in this district; rising temperature, followed by somewhat colder Wednesday evening and night: easterly winds, increasing in force and shifting to westerly.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

A man of about 80, who has shaved regularly during his lifetime, sacrifices to the razor about 35 feet of hair.

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50. Trial size free. At all druggists.

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We want you to call and examine references of people you know—people we all know, who would not vouch for ABSORPTION had they not been cured. Ask for references marked H.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e. Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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Street Railway.

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r November 7, cars will be
rent routes as follows:

ncy and Neponset.

SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55,
A. M. and every 15 minutes until

ONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M.
inutes until 11.30 P. M.
Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour
on the hour, go via. Hancock

Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past
a Newport avenue, Wollaston.
Quincy at 10 minutes past the
rfolk Downs, and those leaving
minutes past go via Downs.
Neponset 15 minutes of and 15
the hour go via Wollaston and
gh Braintree and Holbrook to
meeting with cars for Bridge-
on, New Bedford, Fall River,
Providence

y and East Weymouth.

Y SQUARE (10 minutes later from
and 22 minutes later from North
-5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20,
0, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.;
.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20,
.30 to East Weymouth car house),
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M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday
orner only.)

T WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late
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11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2,
4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8,
10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

nd Weymouth Landing.

INCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and
til 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour
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ry hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and
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n at Quincy.

cy and East Milton.

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T MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then
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INCY for Brockton at 6.10 and
d every half hour until 9.10 P. M.,
ednesday and Saturday, when car
hrough to Brockton. Cars at 9.40
outh Braintree every night.

o Atlantic and Squantum.

PONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic
Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00,
.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00
(* To Squantum.)
ANTUM for Neponset at 7.00,
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AD'S CORNER for Neponset at
45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy),
5, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15

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ter Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run
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Dec. 17. 1w pl

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

A MERE INSTRUMENT.

Roberts Alleged to Be Under Dictation of Mormon Church.

Represents Forces Dangerous to Our Republic.

Sentiments Expressed by Mr. Young, Who Was Forced to Leave Utah.

New York, Dec. 21.—About 200 persons attended the meeting of the woman's board of home missions of the Presbyterian church in this city yesterday. The object of the meeting was to inaugurate an aggressive campaign to prevent the seating of Brigham H. Roberts, an avowed polygamist, as representative from Utah in the Fifty-sixth congress.

Rev. D. Stuart Dodge, secretary of the woman's board, opened the meeting, and Rev. William R. Campbell of Salt Lake City, for several years a Presbyterian missionary in Utah, introduced Eugene Young, a grandson of Brigham Young, and Mrs. Fannie Stenhouse.

Mr. Campbell explained that Mr. Young was born in Utah and had to leave that country because of his determination to speak his mind freely on political matters without the dictation of the Mormon church. Mr. Young was received with great applause. He said among other things:

"There seems to be a disposition in the east, particularly among the politicians, but even among the churches, to treat the revival of the Mormon issue as a minor matter. There is an inclination to view the election to congress of B. H. Roberts—a three or four-ply polygamist, still living in polygamy—as an unavoidable outcome of old conditions in Utah and a mere question of personal morality. Some day they will see, as those who know Mormon ambitions see now, that Mr. Roberts is a mere instrument, the representative of mighty forces. They will learn that through his election a people 300,000 strong have turned from American liberty and American morality, and have taken the initial step toward the establishment of a hierarchy foreign to our institutions and our social laws, in the midst of our republic.

"Mr. Roberts has proved on more than one occasion that the word of the Mormon leaders is his law and that he is willing to sacrifice his American liberty to carry out the demands of the church superiors.

"If Mr. Roberts was merely a common law breaker, frowned upon by his own people, it would be wasting time to make any effort against him. But if, in dragging polygamy into the house of representatives he is representing the defiant sentiment of the whole Mormon people, then the people must not rest until congress has cast him out as a warning to all covenant breakers and all polygamists."

The Rev. Dr. L. R. Forte of Brooklyn then made an address, during the course of which he said: "This government has expended over $30,000,000 in its efforts to compel the Mormons to obey the law of the land, and now they have the effrontery to try to cram their polygamous rottenness down the nation's throat in sending Brigham H. Roberts to congress."

Mrs. F. F. Bennett, a member of the Presbyterian board of missions, urged all present "to do something," and the meeting closed with the singing of "America."

THE FORT ADAMS FIRE.

Court of Inquiry Will Endeavor to Place Blame For the Disaster.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 21.—The court of inquiry into the cause of Monday night's disastrous explosion at Fort Adams, which caused the death of four artillerymen, began its work yesterday afternoon. The reason for allowing ammunition to be stored in the stables will have great bearing on the finding. It is said that a quantity of powder had been stored there for over a year.

During the fire, the Newport fire company, which was fighting the flames in the south end of the stable, found a shrapnel case. During yesterday the bodies of Privates W. F. Butler and Frederick K. W. Kull were positively identified by friends in this city. The second body found Monday night is not identified, and it is not likely to be until all the men on furlough have been accounted for. All the wounded, who are in the post hospital, are doing well, and a fatal termination is not expected in a single case.

Gompers Still at the Head.

Kansas City, Dec. 21. — Detroit was elected as the next place of meeting of the American Federation of Labor. The following officers were re-elected without opposition: Samuel Gompers, president; P. J. McGuire, Philadelphia, first vice president; James Duncan, Baltimore, second vice president; James O'Connell, Chicago, third vice president. Much of the time of the convention yesterday was taken up in amending the constitution and in broadening the scope of organization. Among other amendments to the constitution adopted was that increasing the per capita tax of members of organized unions to 5 cents a month. This increase was opposed by President Gompers, but was upheld by a majority of the delegates, the increased funds being needed, they said, in pushing the added work of the Federation mapped out for the coming year.

Remained In Port.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 21.—The cable steamer Minia was unable to leave the harbor yesterday owing to rough weather off the cape, and the work of picking up the shore end of the break in the Duxbury cable and the splicing will have to be postponed. Captain Cartarett, in an interview, said: "It may or may not be the Portland wreck that has destroyed the cable which we are repairing, but that is something to be ascertained later. Providing the weather is favorable, we shall try to locate the other end of the break, and, after a careful investigation, we will probably be able to give a cause for the severing of the cable." Captain Cartarett said that if any indications were found of the Portland he would immediately notify the authorities.

Killed by a Guard.

Greenville, S. C., Dec. 21.—Private Murgridge, Second West Virginia regiment, was shot and killed yesterday by Private John Mattice of the Two Hundred and Third New York regiment, who also shot and wounded Private Hart of the Second West Virginia. Murgridge and Hart were at pistol practice in the woods near the regimental camp. Mattice, who was on guard duty, started to arrest the men, when, it is claimed, Murgridge fired twice at him. Mattice returned the fire, the ball passing through Murgridge's body and striking Hart in the side. Hart denies that either he or Murgridge fired at the guard. General Kline has ordered Mattice to be turned over to the civil authorities for trial.

William Bellamy Dead.

New York, Dec. 21.—William H. Bellamy, for many years connected with the Republican organization in this country, died yesterday at his home here, aged 68. Mr. Bellamy was formerly secretary of the county commission. He was also a candidate on the Republican ticket for various offices during his political career.

Must Remain In Prison.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 21.—After a prolonged hearing Governor Ramsdell and council yesterday refused to grant a petition for the release of Dr. J. C. Moore of Manchester, who is now serving a term in state prison.

Threshing Old Straw.

Paris, Dec. 21.—The chamber of deputies indulged in another Dreyfus debate yesterday. M. Joseph Fourniere, socialist deputy from Aisne, moved a resolution conferring the franchise upon soldiers and demanded urgency for it. He then proceeded to expound his views, which provoked a great uproar. The motion for urgency was finally defeated by 477 votes, against 26. In the senate a stormy discussion took place over a bill increasing the penalties for espionage and treason. There were frequent references to Dreyfus. Eventually the bill, which prescribed death for state officials who are guilty of treason in time of peace, was adopted.

Trouble Still Unsettled.

Pana, Ills., Dec. 21.—Twenty negroes arrived here yesterday. They were held up by soldiers and relieved of arms before being allowed to proceed to the coal mine stockades. There are now about 400 negroes in Pana. The mines are operated about half the time. The white union miners remain out solidly for the state scale. They received $1800 yesterday from the national union. Two companies of state militia remain here, and Colonel Wells has a provost guard in every section of the city, fearing trouble may break out at any moment between the whites and blacks.

For a Brief Vacation.

Washington, Dec. 21.—The navy department is advised of the sailing of Admiral Sampson on his flagship, the New York, for New York. Commodore Philip, on the Texas, will be the commanding officer of the American naval forces at Havana, by virtue of his seniority, but Admiral Sampson retains command of the entire North Atlantic station. It is his purpose, upon arriving in the United States, to rest for two weeks, the first time he will have had the opportunity for a year and a half. It is not expected that the admiral will return to Havana, as the evacuation commission will have completed its work before the first of the year.

Tired of Jail Life.

Houston, Tex., Dec. 21.—Thomas Tinsley, a New York millionaire, who has been in jail here for 22 months, for contempt of court, yesterday partially purged himself, and will now be set free. Tinsley, as president of the Glenwood Cemetery company, refused to turn over the company's books to a receiver appointed by the court, and was jailed. Federal, circuit and United States supreme courts all upheld a district judge Tinsley contended that while, as president of the company, he might be in contempt, the books were his private property, and that Tinsley, the individual, was not charged with contempt.

Brotherhood of African Descent.

Cleveland, Dec. 21.—As a result of a meeting of colored citizens held here recently to protest against the treatment accorded colored people during the race troubles at Wilmington, N. C., a movement to form a national organization of colored citizens has commenced. The name selected is the Brotherhood of African Descent. The object is to bring about political action to prevent such occurrences as that at Wilmington. A meeting will soon be called to start the new society.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast

Sun rises—7:11; sets, 4:15.
Moon sets—2:09 a. m.
High water—6:45 a. m.; 7:15 p. m.

The foul weather promises to pass to the eastward today, and Thursday in New England will probably be fair, though unsettled; the temperature will continue high, though somewhat lower by Thursday morning; winds will shift to south and southwest.

King Alfonso XIII is still bracketed as lord of Gibraltar, the country never having officially admitted that the stronghold has gone out of its possession.

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FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL,	50c. to $1.25
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Fancy Suspenders,
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Wednesday	39	17	34	32
Thursday	—	30	28	26
Friday	—	28	32	32
Saturday	—	43	21	17

New Advertisements Today.

Quincy Clothing Co.
Thomas Crane Publice Library—Notice.
C. F. Carlson—Bibles.
J. F. Sheppard & Sons—Coal and wood.
L. M. Pratt & Co.—Your Christmas dinner.
C. F. Pettengill—Ladies' Watches.

Good Afternoon.

The City Council should emphasize the fact that it is first of all working for the advancement of Quincy. It is possible to get as fine a banquet at The Greenleaf as one is willing to pay for, with the best of service.

The administration of city affairs which accomplishes the widening of Coddington street, especially between Washington and Spear street, will have something to its credit. Now the entrance is narrow and blind, and was dangerous for school children and travel before a location was granted for street railway tracks. This important thoroughfare to the Coddington school, the beautiful Mount Wollaston cemetey, the Poor farm, and to Houghs Neck and Germantown should not longer be neglected. It will be one of the most important improvements for the new City Council.

It is now evident that the Sewerage Commissioners have made a grave error in allowing the attempts at sewer excavations to be carried on after November 1. The Ledger and a large number of our citizens protested against it at the time, but to no purpose. It could be easily seen at the beginning of the winter that it would be folly to allow new trenches to be attempted to be opened. The Commissioners failed to see it. The work was continued and not ordered discontinued until the heavy winter storms had set in and buried the streets under snow, and the frost had begun to work into the ground, thus not only effectually retarding work, but preventing the finishing of that which was already begun.

It is generally understood that any kind of street work undertaken after the first week in November is a hazardous undertaking, and nine times out of ten likely to result disastrously, not only to those who are doing it, but also to the general public, who have rights over such thoroughfares.

In the present instance every sewer trench in the city should have been filled and levelled by the first of November, and work suspended until spring. The rigor of a New England winter is not to be trifled with, even by Sewerage Commissioners.

A good example of this winter work policy can be seen at Brook street, Wollaston. From Farrington to Arlington streets all traffic is suspended, making a great inconvenience not only to the abutters, but to all people who have occasion to use the Wollaston loop of the Quincy & Boston street railway. As it now is, it is impossible for at least fifteen residences to be reached by wagons for the purpose of delivering coal or groceries. In case of fire the consequences are fearful to contemplate. Other streets in the city are similarly afflicted.

Provided the Wollaston sewer contractor was not in financial straits, it is extremely doubtful if the street could have been cleared for traffic until spring. When this embago will be raised is problematical.

The Sewerage Commissioners have a grave responsibility on their hands.

$5 REWARD.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Quincy, Dec. 20. tf

FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

English Ivy Lodge Celebrate With Entertainment and Dance.

Englishmen all, were they who gathered at Hancock hall, Tuesday evening, to help English Ivy lodge, No. 116, Order Daughters of St. George, celebrate the first anniversary of its institution. The weather was disagreeable and the walking something terrible, yet a goodly number braved the elements and the pleasure they had after arriving at the hall more than compensated for the difficulty of getting there.

As its name denotes, the society or lodge is the ladies branch of the well known fraternal organization known as the Sons of St. George. Being a ladies' affair, all the details were in charge of the ladies, and they left nothing undone that would add to the enjoyment of the occasion. The first hour was given up to a miscellaneous entertainment, which from the applause that greeted each number must certainly have pleased.

The entertainment opened with a selection of popular airs by Lyons & Hand orchestra. Mrs. Ellen R. Prout, chairman of the committee of arrangements, then welcomed those present in behalf of English Ivy lodge. Next came a pleasing vocal solo by Mrs. Albert Morton and recitations by Mr. Clark. Then came Dan Haley, the inimitable black face commedian, who was a whole show in himself; vocal solos by Mr. Edwin Glover, Mr. F. Craig and Mr. Walter H. Lyons, the lady impersonator. The entertainment closed with a farce by Messrs. Clark and Lyons.

Dancing was in order until 2 o'clock in the morning, the only interruption being at midnight, when the ladies served refreshments in the basement.

Annie C. Westland was floor directress, and Jeannie Spargo assistant, with Lizzie Johnston, Ellen R. Prout, Nellie Spargo and Elizabeth Spargo as aids.

The reception committee were: Ellen R. Prout, Lizzie Johnston and Emma Lark.

The committee of arrangements were: President Ellen R. Prout, Secretary Annie J. Pearce, Lizzie Johnston, Annie C. Westland, Jeannie Spargo, Elizabeth Spargo and Anna Davy.

Forefathers' Day.

Thoughout New England and wherever descendants of the Pilgrims dwell, tomorrow will be held sacred to the memory of the dauntless heroes, men, women and children, who braved the storms of the sea in the Mayflower and on Dec. 22, 1620, land at Plymouth. In Boston and in New York the usual memorial banquets will be held and these will be marked by speeches of special interest in view of the crisis through which the country has just passed.

In several New England cities the annual tableaux will be again presented showing the march of the sixteen men under Myles Standish, the first that landed on American soil from the Mayflower, the old fort, the treaty with Massasoit, etc.

It is also the annual meeting day of the so called societies of Mayflower descendants, the most noted of which are in New York and Boston, but branch societies exist in Pennsylvania and in many other states of the Union.

Peddler Arrested.

Another jewelry peddler from Boston was arrested this morning for peddling jewelry without a license. When arrested the fellow had a salesman's case of watches, chains and other forms of jewelry. He claimed that he was not selling the goods but simply taking orders.

It is claimed, however, that he had offered to sell an officer in citizens' dress a chain previous to his arrest.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

BORN.

PEACH—In Quincy, Dec. 21, a daughter to Rev. and Mrs. Robert Westly Peach of Quincy street.

MARRIED.

DEVINE—WELCH—In Quincy, Dec. 3, by Rev. F. A. Friguglietti, Mr. William Devine, to Miss Sarah Welch, both of Quincy.

JONES—SHACKELTON—In Boston, Dec. 15, by Henry E. Stimson, Esq., Mr. John L. Jones to Miss Mattie Shackelton, both of Quincy.

POLSON—BOWLES—In Atlantic, Dec. 14, by Rev. J. H. Whitaker, Mr. Angus Polson of Neponset to Miss Grace E. Bowles of Quincy.

O'CONNOR — LEVANGIE — In Braintree, Dec. 17, by H. A. Monk, Justice of the Peace, Mr. Frederick O'Connor to Miss Helen Levangie, all of Braintree.

DIED.

HOLBROOK — In Braintree, Dec. 19, Mr. Peter D. Holbrook, aged 73 years, 8 months and 16 days.

NOTICE!

THE Thomas Crane Public Library will close Saturday, Dec. 24, at 6 P. M., and will be closed MONDAY, Dec. 26.

Per Order of the Trustees.

Quincy, Dec. 21.—4t 24-1w

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Fair and cooler Friday.

Very slippery walking this morning.

Thayer academy closed today for two weeks.

Boys were s'a ing on the sidewalks this morning.

Blacksmiths were busy this morning sharpening horses.

Harold and Malcolm Graham are home from college.

Have you seen those Bibles at Carlsons for 75 cents?

Miss Annie Keenan is home from Warren for the holidays.

The Lafayette club hold a dance at St. Mary's hall next week.

Just for fun, read the advertisement of the Quincy Clothing Co.

The public library will be closed on Christmas eve and also Monday.

Frederick Souther has been taken to the hospital, being seriously ill.

The boys who were out early this morning had some grand coasting.

Miss Lucy Mitchell, who teaches in Grafton, is home for the holidays.

Rev. Robert Westly Peach received his Christmas present today, a little daughter.

Private T. F. Martell of Co. K arrived home Tuesday on a short furlough.

A dancing party is to be held in Poland's hall, Norfolk Downs, Friday evening.

L. M. Pratt & Co. have been thoughtful to secure the best for your Christmas dinner.

There are many who would appreciate a ton of Sheppards coal in their Christmas stocking.

Mrs. Patrick Colbert of Hancock street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Lawlor of Springfield.

Several coal carts were left on Washington street this morning while the horses were taken out to be sharpened.

C. F. Pettengill, jeweller, has some rare bargains in ladies' gold watches, silverware and Quincy souvenir china.

The New Haven railroad will change their semaphore lamps so that green will be the color to denote "all clear."

The Temperance society hold a Christmas party at St. Mary's hall, Monday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock.

The boys of today are a good deal better off than the boys used to be a generation ago. Nobody thought of flooding the public parks to make skating places for them then.

The Christmas sale of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church, to have been held Tuesday evening, was postponed until tonight on account of the bad weather.

The Board of Health will hold a meeting tonight to consider the petition to widen Town brook between Hancock and Canal streets and the petition of John Donovan in relation to the stable of J. J. Kerrigan at Atlantic.

Three masted schooner Joel F. Sheppard of East Braintree, more than a month out on a voyage from Brunswick, Ga., to New York, is reported by the French steamer Burgundia, at New York from Mediterranean ports, and was supplied with sufficient provisions to enable her to reach port.

People whom business or pleasure called out Tuesday evening found the walking something terrible. The temperature fell along toward nine o'clock, and the light rain froze as it fell, making the sidewalks and streets one glare of ice. Walking at best was slow and not a few sat down with a bump that made them see stars for a minute. This morning it was almost as bad until the city teams had thrown sand on the sidewalks.

Memorial Church.

Last Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Whitaker's sermon was on God's revelations to men. He believed in the Father's continuous revelation and that today His inspirations were even more potent than in the days of Abraham and David and the workings of His Spirit more manifest—that God's plan was eternal and when one recognized the true Christ spirit and gave himself up to its influence he came into harmony with the Divine plan.

The congregation enjoyed a fine solo by Mr. R. N. Van Buskirk.

Mr. Faxon's Christmas gift to the Sunday School was much appreciated and a vote of thanks was tendered him.

The evening service was conducted by Mr. W. F. Cummings, terminating in a talk by the pastor.

Herodotus says that Croesus was the first sovereign to make coins of gold.

☞ Advertise houses to let in the Ledger.

COAL and WOOD.

EVERY KIND OF COAL. KIND OF WOOD.

There is nothing in this line that cannot be delivered at your door at short notice, in large or small lots by

J. F. SHEPPARD & SONS.

Quincy, Dec. 21. tf

Bibles,

From 75 cents up.

C. F. CARLSON,

1 Faxon Block, Near the Depot.

Quincy, Nov. 29 1m

CHRISTMAS OPENING.

Our lines of Merchandise are now complete, and we can show the finest line of HOLIDAY GIFTS ever shown in this city.

USEFUL AS WELL AS ORNAMENTAL.

Gentlemen's

SILK MUFFLERS, 50c. to $3.00.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, 25c. to $1.50.
LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, all prices.
INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 12 1-2c., 25c., and 29c.
KID GLOVES, Lined and Unlined.
DRIVING and WOOLEN GLOVES.
NECKWEAR. Never did we show such a choice line, 25, 50, 75c.
POCKET BOOKS, 25c. to $2.00.
CIGAR BOXES, all prices.
SHAVING SETS.
Almost everthing that will make a man happy.

BOSTON BAGS.

1 lot leather ends, regular price 75c
Our price 50c
A Choice Bag for 75c
Real Alligator, 11-inch $2.98
12-inch 3.49
Best goods. Compare prices with Boston.

Ladies'

HANDKERCHIEFS and APRONS in great variety.
SILK SCARFS for the ladies in Plaids are very choice.
Ladies' POCKETBOOKS and PURSES.
Never was our line so complete and our prices so low.

LADIES' GLOVES.

Kid Lined and Unlined. Together wth the best line of any Gloves ever shown.

SILK WAISTS.

All prices and styles. Also Woolen in all colors.

STATIONERY.

We never sold so much Stationery at Christmas before, which shows that our line must be what the people want.

We are showing a complete line of Cut Work in Bureau and Sideboard Covers, Table Covers and Shams.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

Hancock Street, Quincy.

Merry Christmas.

JOHNSON BROS.

MARKET,

139 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Nov. 10. tf

LETTER FROM CO. K.

The Paymaster's Visit — Hammocks and Canopies Issued.

Co. K, 5th Mass., U. S. V.,
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 18.

Our boys are once more made happy. The appearance of the paymaster makes everyone feel glad. Money in this regiment has been at a high premium. The stores will now begin to feel the presence of the boys in blue.

The writer visited a store last evening in Greenville and ascertained that in the last two days, their business had increased 20 per cent. By the time all the regiments are paid off, business will be booming.

Companies L and M were left out in the cold. They expect to receive their pay on Monday. The boys of these two commands felt somewhat disappointed.

K Co. always manages to be on top and came out foremost.

The thermometer reads today just 60 degrees above, so that our Massachusetts friends must envy our delight in taking sun baths each day. The sun is very bright, and warm.

Private Frank Pierce left camp Friday for a 14 days' furlough. He will be followed on Monday by Private Daniel P. Lyons, who also expects to receive a 14 day furlough.

Hospital Sergeant Mathews formerly of K company, reported for duty Saturday, after being absent for a period of 20 days. The sergeant is looking well, and tells the boys many stories about the weather of Massachusetts.

Quartermaster Bucheneur has distributed among the companies about 50 large cases, containing hemlock hammocks, mosquito canopies, and bandages, which were presented to the regiment by the Massachusetts Volunteer Aid Asociation of Boston. Each man is suppied with one each of the above mentioned articles, so that when we arrive in Cuba, each man can hang out his own hammock, with a mosquito netted canopy.

We are sorry to mention that the 5th Massachusetts lost the foot ball game Saturday, the result being 6 to 0 in favor of the the New Jersey. The townspeople were again conspicuously absent at the game. Possibly this apparent indifference on the part of the citizens to contribute to and encourage the soldier's sport is explained to a great extent, if not altogether, by the fact that they are just now pretty busy serving the soldiers in business. It is a fact that every business man and his employes are rushed to keep up with the increase of trade. There was a large crowd of volunteers at the game yesterday, and the sport did not lack interest or snap. The 4th New Jersey team won in the second half, making a touch down and kicking a goal. Their opponents on the gridiron were our "Dandy Fifth eleven," who were the winners of the preceeding game. The prize of yesterday's game was a fine new foot ball presented to the winners by the police department of the city of Greenville.

We are now enjoying the beautiful strains rendered by our regimental band. The band concerts are exceptionally fine.

The guard detail for today are: Corporal Mahoney, Bugler Johnson, Privates Fitzgerald, Gillis, Gallagher, Gilbride, Hennessey.

Private Leslie is detailed as orderly to Major Morrison.

Private Jones was selected from yesterday's guard as orderly to Colonel Whitney. Volunteer.

New Telephone Rates.

As will be seen by our advertising columns, the New England Telephone Co. has established a new rate for residences and business houses under the call system.

This means that the company will connect six residences on a line for $30 each per year. This gives each the privilege of calling 500 times a year with parties connected with the local exchange. Any calls outside of the local exchange will be charged at the rate of ten cents per call. In order to have this system it is necessary that the six residences should be in the same direction from the central office and before the line is run the company must be assured of at least three of the required six.

The rate for six business houses is $48 with the privilege of calling 500 times with any parties connected with the Quincy exchange.

Because of the presence of the troops at Greenville, S. C., which has increased the price of fuel, the public schools are having an extra week of vacation at the Christmas season. The children would be pleased at this, but they must attend a week later in May.

MANY PEOPLE CANNOT DRINK

coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

Turkey for Co. K.

The Daily Ledger will continue to receive subscriptions for the Christmas feast for Co. K until Saturday night. The sum needed to give our soldier boys plenty of turkey and the fixings is $45, and it should have been raised before this. We have faith in Quincy people, however, and have directed Lieut. Whitney to draw on us for the amount. Who will add a dollar or a dime before tomorrow noon?

Previously acknowledged, $36.

The Co. K boys tell the Ledger that they get excellent beef, which is served up in roasts, fries, steaks, hamberg, soups and stews in good style by Corp. Tucker and his squad, but rations are one everlasting round of beef, bacon and beans. It is for this reason that the Thanksgiving dinner contributed by the people of Quincy was such a grand treat. It gave them variety. The boys have learned of our efforts to raise funds for a Christmas dinner, and are looking forward anxiously to it.

Cutting Down Prices.

To the Editors of the Daily Ledger:

I wish to publish a few lines for the good of the Stone Cutters' Union, the Manufacturers of Quincy and the New England States, and the public in general. I think it is my right as a citizen of the United States to publish the transactions of the Stone Cutters' Union. It seems to me that they want to cut down wages, they won't let a man who has served his time at carving and is worth $4.00 a day, speak for his rights in the hall.

There are Italians and others that are worth $4.00 a day working for $2.25 a day. These men were getting $4.00 a day until the Union put restrictions onto apprentices; then they all went in as apprentices on the pneumatic tools and cut themselves down from $3.50 to $2.25 per day. Then they went to work for other contractors where they are no better than slaves, and don't get their in money once three months, and have got business down so low that a boss could not afford to pay his own son $2.00 per day.

Why does not the Union enforce the rule made in 1895 and compel the manufacturers to pay the men on the 15th of every month? Or better still, enforce the new rule and oblige every manufacturer to pay once a week. This is in the power of the stone cutters to be done, and unless it is done business will never be any better in Quincy.

During Grant's term, T. H. Murch was elected to the House of Representatives. Previous to his election stone cutters were paid $4.00 a day, but he put the government work into contract work and by so doing cut the pay to $2.00 per day. Caps that they were formerly paid $600.00, for they got but $200.00 for. They had Mr. Barker, Mr. Churchill and the Railway Granite Co., sign a bill of prices from 16 cents to 25 cents per foot less than they had been paying their men eighteen years ago.

James McClafferty.

Now Chief Engineer.

Mr. Herbert W. Spear of this city, who went to Fort Barrow on the revenue cutter Bear to the relief of the ice bound whalers, in November, 1897, returned to Seattle last month and found awaiting him there a document which promoted him to Chief Engineer. Mr. Spear left the Bear at Seattle and went to San Francisco where he now is taking the examination for his new office.

Mr. Spear was born in Quincy in 1860 and was graduated from our High school in the class of '77, the well known F. F. F. class. He had an aptitude for machinery and the sea and early fitted for his chosen profession. By perseverance and merit he has progressed step by step, and Quincy friends are proud to see him advanced to the responsible position of chief engineer of a revenue cutter. They will expect to see him soon in a similar position on a battleship.

Atlantic Real Estate.

William F. Macy has sold for Charles E. Stratton a tract of eleven house lots comprising about 30,000 square feet of land on the westerly side of Newbury avenue, Atlantic, to Mathew Morton, of Dorchester. The terms of the sale are not made public, but the price paid by Mr. Morton is understood to be in the neighborhood of twelve cents per foot. Mr. Morton will improve the property by the erection of several single and two family houses at once. There is a good and increasing demand for desirable building land in Atlantic.

Hospital Sunday.

Contributions to the City Hospital of Quincy:

Amount previously acknowledged,		$1,278 49
C. N. Hunt,		1 00
John Johnson,		25
Emeline Adams,		1 00
C. F. Carlson,		2 00
Wollaston Unitarian Society,		20 39
First Congregational Society,		
Unitarian, additional contribution,		1 00
Total,		$1,304 13

Philadelphia has a greater mileage of electric railways than the whole of Germany.

CHRISTMAS.

How the Churches and Sunday Schools Will Celebrate.

The Christmas festival at the First church will be held Saturday afternoon and evening. The young people will gather in the afternoon for a good time and at 6 o'clock a Christmas supper will be served. At 7 o'clock there will be a brief entertainment and the distribution of gifts to the children.

The Christmas festival of the Sunday School of the West Quincy Methodist church will be held Monday evening. There will be a brief entertainment to be followed by a tree and distribution of presents.

The Christmas festival and tree at the First Presbyterian church, Water street, will be held Monday evening at 6.30. The entertainment will consist of the singing of carols, speaking, etc., to be followed by a tree. The children will bring funds and articles for distribution to the poor.

There will be a Christmas service at the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday moring at 5.30 and again in the evening at 7.30 with special Christmas music by the choir and sermon by the pastor. The Christmas tree and festival will be held Monday evening at 6.30. The programme will consist of recitations and singing by the Sunday School and a large tree which will be loaded with gifts for the school. The church will be gaily decorated in honor of the day.

The observancce of Christmas at Bethany church will be on Saturday. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock the kindergarten and primary departments will hold a festival. There will be a tree and exercises that will please the young people. In the evening at 7.30 the exercises for the Bible school, church and congregation will be held, and will take the form of an old fashioned Christmas festival with a Santa Claus and tree and brief exercises appropriate to the time.

Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon and there will be special music.

The Universalist Sunday School will holds its Christmas festival Saturday evening. At 5.30 a supper will be served to the members of the school. This will be followed by a tree and distribution of presents. In the evening at 7.30 there will be a Christmas concert by the Sunday School.

The entertainment at the Christmas tree of the Wollaston Methodist Sunday School Saturday evening will consist of a little cantata entitled,—"Santy is Coming!" The entertainment will begin at 7.30 o'clock and at the close Santa Claus will arrive. On Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon, and in the evening at 6.30 o'clock the Sunday School will give a Christmas concert.

The children's Christmas festival at Christ church will be held Saturday evening at 6 o'clock in the chapel. There will be the singing of carols, a brief address by the rector, and the distribution of presents from a large tree.

Pastors of churches, superintendents of Sunday schools, choirsters and others are requested to send full Christmas programmes to the Ledger for publication tomorrow.

McKinley Coming.

President McKinley's promise to attend the annual dinner of the Home Market club, which will be held in Mechanics building, Boston, the last week in January or the first week in February, has already brought requests

WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

for tickets from all over New England and some from New York. Our townsman, Hon. John Shaw, who is one of the directors, says the only sure way of getting a seat is to join the club, as of course, its members are entitled to invitations before others. Through his good offices several of our citizens have already joined.

WEYMOUTH.

The East Weymouth polo team was defeated at Plymouth Tuesday evening by score of 6 to 2.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

Are the Women Bashful?

Some Young women are bashful. They are afraid to go into a Clothing store to trade. Bless you! a clothing store is one of the easiest places in the world to get acquainted in. All you've got to do is to come in and you feel at home the minute you get in. You can go around and look at things all alone if you want to and you are always sure to find things that a man wants. The only trouble is you won't feel acquainted with such prices if you come into our store.

You'll see two thousand Ties strung out in all the swell styles and shapes at 25c.—Puffs, Techs, Imperials, Strings, Band, Bow and Four-in-Hands. These are the kind the dry goods stores sell for 37c, marked down from 75c. If you want the kind they sell for 25c, you'll see them here, too, only at 19c.

You'll see the swellest line of Umbrellas you ever saw at $3.00 for $5.00 ones, down to 98c. for $1.50 ones.

You'll see so many things that men want that you'll wish you had more friends to buy for. Come in and get acquainted—not with us particularly, but with our prices on Suspenders, Hosiery, Arm Bands, Mufflers, and the hundred and one things that men want. You'll be glad you saw us.

QUINCY CLOTHING CO. NEXT DOOR TO MUSIC HALL EXTRANCE.

Business Will Improve.

Our financial and revenue policies cannot be changed for at least four years, and whatever legislation may be had affecting them during that period will be to improve and strengthen not destroy them.

"The public mind must, therefore, repose in reasonable security, while business will proceed without apprehension of serious and suden changes so disturbing to the commercial world and so distracting to the business men. All of which is fortunate for the country, for every interest and every section of the country. Even those who desire other and different policies prefer permanence to constant change, or, what is almost as hurtful, the fear of change.—President McKinley at Savannah.

How to Send Presents.

Postmaster Thomas of Boston has issued these suggestions:

Be sure that you have sufficient postage on packages. Inquire if in doubt and avoid delay.

Packages sealed require letter rate.

Packages unsealed with writing inside in the nature of correspondence require letter rate.

Certain artices of merchandise sealed or unsealed to foreign countries are not transmissible unless fully prepaid at foreign letter rate.

Many articles of merchandise are absolutely forbidden transmission in the mails; therefore inquire before mailing.

Parcels to Canada or Mexico must never be closed against inspection.

Full payment of postage on foreign mail matter secures cheaper postage in all cases.

Enquire always if in doubt, and save money and prevent delay.

The name and address of the sender should be on each parcel before mailing. This is to facilitate a return to the sender in the event of non delivery.

Mail your packages early.

Were "Well Fixed."

Boston, Dec. 21.—Julian Frank and Edward Epstern, the two New York pickpockets who were arrested in the subway, were brought before an inspector yesterday for measurement by the Bertillion system. When the men were searched Monday night nothing was found to incriminate them, but while they were being disrobed yesterday hundreds of dollars dropped upon the floor from their clothing. They will be arraigned later.

Will Result Fatally.

Waterville, Me., Dec. 21.—Physicians state that the case of Henry Bushby of North Vassalboro is hopeless. He is alleged to have been assaulted on Dec. 10, at the barber shop of John Merrill, and then dragged home. The inactivity of the county officials in the case has caused the town to take up the matter and engage counsel for the purpose of prosecuting the men implicated by Bushby in a recent deposition.

Four Fire Victims.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 21.—Four bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the burned stables at Fort Adams. The following is a list of the dead: W. F. Butler, Frederick K. W. Kull, Henry I. Harris and an unknown private. The half dozen men injured at the fire are doing well. The bodies of Butler and Kull were found yesterday.

Heureaux Is Alive.

Port Au Prince, Dec. 21.—There is no ground whatever for the rumor that President Heureaux of the republic of San Domingo has been assassinated. General Heureaux arrived yesterday at Jacmel, about 30 miles southwest of Port-au-Prince, and is in excellent health.

☞The December Century is out of print, except for such copies as are now on the dealers' counters. No more can be supplied, as the colored covers were printed in France and a new edition cannot be had in time to be available.

Mrs. Lewes is sexton of the town of Lewes, England, and until recently she dug all the graves in the parish churchyard. She is described as a healthy old woman.

Watches	Clocks	Rings	Pins	Chains	Bracelets	
Fancy Sets						Pocket Books
Carving Sets		Having the largest line of Watches, Cloaks, Silverware, Jewelry and Fancy Sets ever before shown in Quincy for ladies's gents' and children's Xmas presents, will be pleased to have you examine my goods and prices before buying elsewhere.				Side Combs
Picture Frames						Hat Pins
Children's Sets						Paper Cutters
Shaving Sets						Ink Wells

A. A. LINSCOTT,

Formerly with John O. Holden,

154 Hancock St., - Quincy.

Opposite Post Office.

We make a specialty of repairing fine Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware of all kinds.

Ideal Gifts for Christmas.

Don't worry, don't lose sleep, don't make your brain tired trying to think *"What's best for Christmas."* You'll forget your troubles, and find just what you've been looking for if you'll only visit this splendid store.

It's better for you to give something useful, something that will not only delight and add to Christmas happiness, but something that will give continuous pleasure and comfort.

Here's a List of Suggestions.

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Easels,	.39 to 2.50	Banquet Lamps,	2.25 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 15.00	Parlor Lamps,	.98 to 5.50
Gent's Smoking Tables,	2.98	Bissell's Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Piano Stools,	2.98	Boot Black Stands,	.98
Piano Scarfs,	2.75 to 5.50	Alarm Clocks,	.89
Medicine Cabinets,	1.25 to 5.00	Cuckoo Clocks,	7.50
Foot Rests,	1.50 to 3.50	China Parlor Clocks,	1.00 to 10.00
Lemonade Sets,	.75 to 2.75	Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Wine Sets,	1.25 to 2.50	Fancy Rockers,	1.50 to 8.00
Beautiful Pictures,	.75 to 5.00	Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinieres,	.10 to 2.75	Jardiniere Stands,	.39 to 2.50
Brass and Onyx Tables,	3.75 to 10.00	Rugs,	.50 to 5.00
Oak Hat Racks,	1.25	Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	.42 to 1.00	Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Dexters, Rocking Horses,	.49 to 1.50	Portieres Per Pair,	.50 to 6.50
Express Wagons,	.50 to 2.50	Oak Side Boards,	10.00 to 35.00
Doll Carriages,	.50 to 2.00	Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Black Boards,	.10 to 1.25	Oak Dining Chairs,	.89 to 2.50
Bread & Milk Sets,	.25 to 1.00	Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
High Chairs,	.50 to 5.00	Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Rocking Chairs,	.50 to 4.50	Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
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Fancy Chairs,	1.00 to 6.50	Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
Beautiful odd pieces of New French and English China in Salad Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Cake Plates, Cheese Dishes, Pin Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Spoon Trays, Pickle Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Picture Frames, After Dinner Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Jardiniere, Vases, etc. etc. Hundreds of odd and dainty pieces from 10 cents to $1.50.		Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
		Piano Lamps,	7.50 to 10.00
		China Closets,	12.00 to 30.00
		Serving Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Hall Stands,	5.00 to 15.00
		Hall Settees,	7.50 to 15.00
		Ladies' Work Baskets,	2.50 to 5.00
		New Pianos. Cut prices for Christmas,	175.00 to 250.00
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		Cheval Mirrors,	10.00 to 15.00

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A WARNING TO OTHERS.

Engineer Getchell Sentenced to Two Years Imprisonment.

Conviction Important Because of Its Effect.

Judge Sherman Reviews the Case and Defines Criminal Negligence.

Dedham, Mass., Dec. 21.—As primarily responsible for the death of Franklin W. Waters in the railroad accident at Sharon last August, where four persons were killed and many injured, Daniel W. Getchell, convicted of manslaughter, was sentenced by Judge Sherman in the superior court yesterday to two years at hard labor in the Dedham house of correction.

Getchell was the engineer of a second section of a train on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, which at 7:30 p. m. on Aug. 21 ran into the front section of the train which was making a regular stop at the Sharon station. It was shown that Getchell disregarded and ran past a danger signal which was set behind the first section, and his responsibility for the accident was clearly shown.

Before the sentence, his counsel, Thomas E. Grover, made a short plea for mercy on the ground that there was nothing malicious in his conduct. Contrary to his usual custom, Judge Sherman made a few remarks before passing the sentence, saying:

"The defendant is charged by indictment with manslaughter by criminal negligence in causing the death of a passenger, and he has been convicted of that offense, after a fair trial before a conscientious and intelligent jury. The law of criminal negligence, involuntary manslaughter, is not very well understood, especially by persons whose attention has not been called to this branch of the law. Indictments for this offense are not very common. The following are some of the cases where indictments have been found by grand juries:

"Against a physician, not qualified to act as such, who with a foolhardy presumption of gross recklessness causes the death of his patient; an apothecary who is reckless in filling a prescription which causes death; a hunter who recklessly discharges his gun across a highway, killing a traveler; a builder who carelessly throws material upon a traveler in the street below; a teamster who recklessly drives over a child in the street, causing death; a switch tender who fails to turn his switch, thereby causing the death of a passenger.

"In this class of cases it is not claimed that there was "malice" or intent to do wrong. Such negligence is of omission as well as commission. The persons who are indicted for this offense are generally of good character. The object of the law is to protect the innocent from injury or death by the wrongful and negligent acts of others.

"The defendant is 39 years of age and has been in the employ of railroads for many years as brakeman, fireman and engineer. He has run an engine on freight trains, a switch engine at Mansfield, and an engine on passenger trains more or less and over this same section of road. He admits that he understood the rules of the road and his duty as such engineer. He knew that he was to run the train of five cars from Mansfield to Boston, following the first section of the train with the same number of cars, and that it was his duty not to run into the train ahead; that he started from Mansfield four minutes behind, knowing that the first section might have to make two stops (neither of which he made) before reaching Sharon, an intermediate station; that when he reached the banjo signal, about one mile outside of Sharon, he saw the red signal indicating danger, and that, under the rules of the road, a copy of which he had in his pocket, it was his duty to bring the train to a full stop, and then proceed at a rate of speed not exceeding six miles an hour with his engine under control, so as not to come into collision with the train ahead.

"Instead of obeying the rules, he passed the danger signal at the rate of 30 or more miles an hour, until he came around the curve near the Sharon station and in view of the signals of the train in front, at which time he did all he could to stop, applying the emergency brake, reversing his engine, and then jumping off the train; but it was too late and his engine crashed into the train, killing five persons and injuring many others. He had a friend riding with him on the engine in violation of the rules of the road.

"What is his excuse or defense? He says that his brake did not work very well, and that he could not stop at the banjo signal without, at that time, applying his emergency brake or reversing his engine, neither of which he thought himself required to do.

"Locomotive engineers generally are entitled to the respect and confidence of the public. They have the lives of a great number of passengers in their care. They are generally careful, faithful and brave, sometimes being compelled to act upon the instant, and acting coolly and with the best judgment. Their own lives are constantly in danger. A jury always hesitates to convict one of their number, except when compelled to do so where they have been guilty of gross carelessness. The jury were here instructed not to find the defendant guilty if they believed his evidence, nor unless they found him guilty of gross negligence. I am informed by the district attorney that the railroad corporation took no part in the prosecution.

"What sentence should be imposed upon the defendant? He is a man of good character and standing. Probably he has already suffered much from the fact that these lives have been lost on account of his negligence.

"The importance of a conviction and sentence where the facts and law require it is more valuable for its effect and warning 'to others in like cases not to offend' than upon the defendant. The sentence may do him no good, nor make him a better citizen, but it will have a tendency to warn other engineers not to be guilty of criminal negligence."

CONGRESSIONAL DOINGS,

Acquisition of the Philippines Discussed In Both Branches.

Washington, Dec. 21.—The house yesterday listened to the first speech on the subject of the annexation of the Philippines. Mr. Williams of Mississippi, a Democratic member of the foreign affairs committee, in an hour's speech, stated his opposition to a policy which would bring the islands under the sphere of United States influence. He contended that it would be hostile to the spirit of our institutions to assume control over 9,000,000 unwilling subjects, that annexation would cost us $140,000,000 a year, that the annexation of the islands met none of the tests which applied to our past acquisitions of territory, and would be a mistake from a social, political and material standpoint. Mr. Williams' remarks received careful attention, and several times drew applause from his Democratic colleagues.

The agricultural appropriation bill was passed without material amendment. It carries $3,696,322, or $187,120 more than the current law. Several resolutions from the river and harbor committee, calling upon the secretary of war for estimates as to the cost of certain proposed river and harbor work, were adopted.

The commerce committee of the house decided to take up the Nicaragua canal question upon the second Tuesday in January. There will be no hearings. The committee fixed Jan. 6 for passing upon the pure food bill.

Mr. Hawley of Texas introduced a bill to amend the act incorporating the Maritime Canal company. It has been approved by a majority of the sub-committee of interstate and foreign commerce. The bill follows other bills in many particulars.

The house committee on postoffices yesterday authorized a favorable report on the bill introduced by Representative Loud of California, providing for the amendment of the laws relating to second-class mail matter. No changes were made in the bill by the committee.

Senator Teller occupied the first half of yesterday's session of the senate with a speech in advocacy of the theory that there are no restrictions upon the right of the United States to expand its borders so as to include far distant territory. He went quite thoroughly in the legal points bearing upon the question and also incidentally discussed at some length the form of government for the Filipinos, saying that he would encourage self-government among the islanders, and would give them the most liberal government which they were able to conduct, but that he would not take down the American flag where once planted.

The remainder of the session was given up to the Nicaraguan canal bill. Senator McCaffery was the only speaker on this subject, and he opposed the Morgan bill.

Von Der Ahe's Attitude.

St. Louis, Dec. 21.—Talking about the move to bring the Cleveland Baseball club to this city, Chris Von Der Ahe says that he has not opposed it. "I am willing to make any sacrifice," he says, "to give St. Louis a first-class team, even to giving Mr. Robinson an interest in the club, but I am not willing to turn my whole business over to Robinson and let him come here and run it. Besides that, there is plenty of St. Louis capital lying around that can be invested to strengthen the club without calling on an outsider."

Got Out In a Hurry.

New York, Dec. 21.—The plant of the Chrome Patent Leather company in Newark was destroyed by fire last night. One hundred girls and 300 men were at work in the building when the flames broke out. They had not even time to secure their street clothing. The girls screamed and jostled each other while getting out, and the escape became a panic. No one seems to have been severely hurt, but several were knocked down and badly bruised. The loss is $100,000.

Had Rough Experience.

Boston, Dec. 21.—Bark J. H. Bowers arrived yesterday from Rosario, after a long, trying voyage, during which time the provisions became almost exhausted, and the crew lived on one biscuit a day for three weeks, until the steamer Waesland came along and supplied the deficiency. The long passage of the Bowers caused considerable anxiety concerning her, and many feared she had suffered disaster in the great blizzard of Nov. 27. Her cargo is valued at about $200,000.

Superintendent True's Case.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 21.—The resignation of Superintendant of Public Buildings True, who is under suspension, was presented to the board of aldermen last night, and acceptance was refused. The Democrats voted against acceptance, thereby preventing the election of a successor.

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N. W. IN BRIEF.

The Wheeling and Lake Erie railway is to be sold under foreclosure.

Ex-Congressman Tom L. Johnson is said to wish to succeed Mr. Brice as Democratic leader in Ohio, and also to secure the gubernatorial nomination.

James McKenna, owner of the steam whaler Fearless, presented a petition in bankruptcy at San Francisco. Liabilities, $80,000; unattached assets, $1000.

Thomas K. Avery, for over 31 years president of the Elgin National Watch company, has resigned, on account of his advanced age. Charles H. Hubbard has been elected his successor.

James Stillman, president of the National City bank of New York, has been elected, in addition, president of the Second National bank, which latter office has been vacant for some time.

Captain Charles E. Hawley, retired, U. S. N., died at Wilmington, Del., aged 65. He was born in Connecticut, and was appointed from Connecticut in 1849. The last 14 years he had spent abroad in the hope of benefiting his health.

The White machine works and foundry at Northbridge, Mass., employing several hundred men, went on full time yesterday. The schedule for two years past has been from four to five days a week. The works are rushed with orders.

Mrs. Caroline W. Scovel, aged 61, wife of Rev. Silvester F. Scovel of Wooster university, died at Wooster, O., after a long illness. She was the first president of the woman's home missionary board, and a pioneer worker in home missions.

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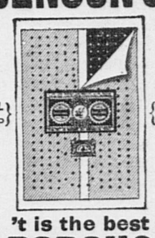

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Willing to Meet Gompers.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 21.—S. H. Howe has reconsidered his previous decision concerning a conference with national representatives of the American Federation of Labor, to which he gave his consent in compliance with a request from President Gompers. He considers the difficulty as local and therefore withdraws his consent previously given for such a meeting. He has sent a message to President Gompers, which reads: "Should be pleased to meet you personally and explain position."

Cady and License.

North Adams, Mass., Dec. 21.—H. Torrey Cady, Republican, was yesterday re-elected mayor of North Adams by a plurality of 387 over William Dobson, the Workingmen's Municipal league candidate. Four Republican and three Democratic councilmen were elected for three years, and one Republican-Democrat to fill a one-year vacancy. The license vote: Yes. 1523; no. 1280.

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

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Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	5 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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Quincy, Dec. 21. tf

A GREAT MYSTERY.

Burglar's Body Found This Morning at Residence of Hon. John Shaw.

Shot Dead Probably About 2 A. M., But By Whom is the Question.

Had Been Over House Without Disturbing Family---Something Heard to Fall.

At the undertaking rooms of John Hall is the dead body of an unknown burglar, who met his death from a wound in the right breast made by a bullet from a revolver, but who fired the fatal shot is a mystery that is puzzling the police and others.

It was about 7.30 this morning when the coachman of Mr. John Shaw drove to the police station and notified Officer Holloran that there was a dead body of a man in Mr. Shaw's house. Medical Examiner Gilbert was also notified and they immediately went down.

Mr. Shaw and family are residing this winter in Benjamin F. Curtis' house, at the corner of Washington and Elm streets, and it is here that the affair happened.

Upon the arrival of the medical examiner and the police, the body was ordered removed to Hall's morgue. The fellow when found was laying on the library floor, beneath the window, and under him was a flat piece of curved iron about eighteen inches in length, with which the window had evidently been pried open from the outside. Outside the house on the piazza was the fellow's hat, coat and shoes, of which he had probably divested himself.

The story of the finding of the body is, that Mrs. George F. Pfaffmann, Mr. Shaw's daughter, came down stairs shortly after 7 o'clock this morning, and feeling a draft as from an open window began to look about, and upon entering the library beneath an open window saw the body of a man. Her screams quickly aroused the family. Mr. Shaw quickly perceived that the fellow was dead, and sent word to the police, medical examiner and undertaker.

Mr. Shaw then recalled the fact that he had been aroused by hearing a heavy body fall about 2 o'clock and had also heard sounds previous to that hour. Although his wife had told him he had better investigate he did not do so, but went to sleep. He heard no pistol shot during the night.

Neighbors of Mr. Shaw, however, state that they distinctly heard the sound of a pistol shot about 2 o'clock.

The fellow had been dead some hours when found and must have died soon after receiving the wound. Just what direction the bullet took is not known for it is still in the body. It entered the body three and one-half inches above the right nipple and was a clean cut wound. Appearances, however, were that the revolver was near the body when the shot was fired.

Burnt matches were found in several of the rooms which showed that the fellow had ransacked the house.

After the fellow was removed to Hall's undertaking rooms Medical Examiner Gilbert made a more thorough investigation of the fellow and his effects.

He was apparently 35 years of age; 5 feet, 7 inches tall; and of slim build; his hair, which had recently been cut, was of a dark brown color. He had a week's growth of beard on his face, and a heavy sandy moustache.

He wore an almost new suit of dark brown clothing, and upon the inside of the coat collar was a tag with the price mark, $15, upon it. In the fellow's pockets were a lady's gold watch and chain, and a diamond pin, afterwards identified as belonging to Mr. Shaw's family. Three bunches of matches, $21.60 in money, a knife, and thirteen ball cartridges. Another article that may lead to his identity was a piece of paper upon which was written "James Emerson, Green street, Jamaica Plain."

No revolver was found upon his person or at Mr. Shaw's house and the whole affair seems to be shrouded in mystery.

The most plausable theory advanced is that the fellow had a pal on the outside of the house and that as the now dead man was about to leave the house he was accidentally shot by the pal from the outside, or that the pal mistook the burglar for an inmate of the house. The body was viewed by a number of persons at Hall's undertaking rooms this morning, several saying that the fellow's face looked familiar, although they could not place him. He was later photographed by Skinner.

This noon Inspectors Wise and Robinson of Police Headquarters, Boston, visited Quincy and took a look at the dead body, but could not recognize him. The piece of iron found under the body, which proved to be a railroad brake shoe key, was taken down to the house and tried on the marks on the window but did not fit them, the marks evidently having been made with smaller instrument. Two sets of foot prints were found in the snow outside of the house which may be evidence that the dead man had a pal, although the foot prints might have been made by others this morning.

Chief Litchfield and Inspector Ferguson went in town this noon to see what could be learned from the address found on the body.

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IN COLLISION.

Wife of Quincy Man Injured in Electric Car Accident.

The wife of Mr. Philip Pfaffmann, a former resident of Wollaston' was among those seriously injured in an electric car collision at Leicester on Wednesday. Mr. Pfaffmann is a son of Mr. Martin Pfaffmann of the Wollaston Park nursery, and now resides at Valley Falls. His wife's left foot was crushed and she was taken to the Worcester City Hospital. It is feared that it will be necessary to amputate the member. Others did not escape so fortunately, as two have died. Five other passengers were injured, and also the two motormen and one conductor. A heavy fog prevailed at the time.

The collision took place near St. Joseph's Catholic church, only a few rods from the place where the line branches off from the main road to run through the fields, making a circuit to get up the steep hill which is covered by the village of Leicester. To accommodate the Christmas week traffic, extra cars had been put on the Leicester branch of the Worcester & Suburban road, and one of these, an ordinary box car, running on 10-minute headway left the Leicester car barn at 2.15.

One of the regular cars of the line, a new heavy vestibule car, left Worcester at 1.40. It should have waited on the turnout opposite St. Joseph's church for the extra from Leicester, but apparently the motorman, Thomas Hiney, thought he could reach the next switch, at the curve where the track leaves the main road. He accordingly started along in the fog at a high rate of speed, and just before he reached the switch he saw the Leicester extra coming down the grade.

A moment later the collison occurred. The heavy vestibule car fairly ploughed its way into the Leicester extra, mashing it into kindling wood.

Cyclist Taylor Fined.

Warren F. Taylor, the bicycle record breaker, pleaded not guilty in the district court at Dedham Wednesday to a charge of riding a bicycle faster than 10 miles an hour within the limits of Norwood, Nov. 13, 1898. At the time Taylor rode at a speed alleged to be faster than the law allows he was engaged in the task of establishing a new straightway record for from one to 100 miles.

The defence called Warrren F. Rhodes, Chief of Newton's police. He testified that he saw Taylor prior to Nov. 13. Taylor said he was going to ride over certain roads in Norwood. He told Taylor that if he rode over certain streets over ten miles an hour he would probably be arrested.

Taylor was found guilty and was fined $10. He appealed and was allowed to go on his personal recognizance in the sum of $200, pending trial in the Norfolk Superior Court.

$5 REWARD.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Quincy, Dec. 20. tf

Are the Women Bashful?

Some Young women are bashful. They are afraid to go into a Clothing store to trade. Bless you! a clothing store is one of the easiest places in the world to get acquainted in. All you've got to do is to come in and you feel at home the minute you get in. You can go around and look at things all alone if you want to and you are always sure to find things that a man wants. The only trouble is you won't feel acquainted with such prices if you come into our store.

You'll see two thousand Ties strung out in all the swell styles and shapes at 25c.—Puffs, Techs, Imperials, Strings, Band, Bow and Four-in-Hands. These are the kind the dry goods stores sell for 37c, marked down from 75c. If you want the kind they sell for 25c., you'll see them here, too, only at 19c.

You'll see the swellest line of Umbrellas you ever saw at $3.00 for $5.00 ones, down to 98c. for $1.50 ones.

You'll see so many things that men want that you'll wish you had more friends to buy for. Come in and get acquainted—not with us particularly, but with our prices on Suspenders, Hosiery, Arm Bands, Mufflers, and the hundred and one things that men want. You'll be glad you saw us.

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Nov. 2. tf

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MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Frank A. Noyes to the Wollaston Co-operative Bank, dated July 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 792, page 469, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the premises therein described, on FRIDAY, the 30th day of December, 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, viz.:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, called "Montclair" and being Lot numbered Fifty-one (51) on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated March 16, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 664, and bounded: Northerly by lot numbered Fifty-two (52) on said plan, one hundred eighty-six 4-10 (186.4) feet; easterly by a curved line at the junction of Montclair avenue and Pope street, fifty-six and 46-100 (56.46) feet; southerly by lot numbered Fifty (50) on said plan, one hundred eighty-four and 3-10 (184.3) feet, and westerly by land of owners unknown twenty-five (25) feet, containing seven thousand five hundred and fifteen (7,515) square feet, being a part of the same premises conveyed to said Frank A. Noyes by Arthur D. McClellan, by his deed dated Oct. 12, 1896, and recorded with said deeds, Book 770, Page 564, and being subject to the restrictions therein set forth.

The premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes thereon. $100 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the sale; other terms to be made known at the sale.

THE WOLLASTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.

By Herbert W. Pinkham, Treas'r.

Walter S. Pinkham, Solicitor, 5 Tremont street, Boston, Mass.

Quincy, Dec. 8. 8 15 22

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

PETER A. FREDETTE or FREDERICKS, late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank E. Fredette of Quincy without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Dec. 15. 3t—15-22-26

THE CHRISTMAS BRIGADES.

Blare o' the trumpet and roll o' the drum,
A glitter of little tin blades,
And, led by their cute little captains, they come—
The curly haired Christmas brigades!
Was ever an army so fair to view?
And it's marching straight to the hearts of you!

What shall we do 'gainst an army like this,
That is blest of the angels above?
It comes but to challenge a mother's sweet kiss,
And its beautiful banner is love!
Sure, never was army so fair to view,
Or marched so straight to the hearts of you!

Come on with the trumpet, the little toy drum!
Come on with the little tin blades!
Our hearts beat a welcome and cry to you, "Come,
Oh, curly haired Christmas brigades!"
Come on, little heroes in gray and in blue,
And we'll capture and kiss every soldier of you!

—F. L. Stanton.

BRAVE LITTLE BORRIOBOOLA GHA.

It wasn't so very happy to begin with. Christmas eve was a little dreary. Maggie only hummed a carol because it was more her way to sing than to cry, and the carol was the only thing she could think of just then. It was the first carol she had ever learned. She could remember just how sweet her mother had looked while teaching it to her and Jimmie, the brother, who would keep his seventh Christmas tomorrow—keep it in heaven, she thought, with a gleam of sorrowful joy. The dear mother who was in the hospital now, whose Christmas would be spent in a whitewashed ward, clean, bright and tender, with kindly care, but still not so bright as the little attic room would have been if only she could have been there. Maggie's song grew very queer at this point of her reflections, and her voice was a trifle unsteady, but she persisted in humming "It came upon the midnight clear," and even smiled a little as she laid down the cheap little doll she had been dressing for Sweetie, the dear little sister who was her darling, and who was now being cared for by kind friends of her mother's youth.

In another moment she was dashing down newspaper alley at full speed, elbowing her way a trifle more gently than the average habitue of that far famed locality, but pushing to the front with a dogged resolution none the less, and no sooner had the bunch of papers which came in answer to her warcry of "Twenty-five specials—throw 'em along quick, Jimmie!" reached her arms, than she was off with a bound, and a cry of "Papiers! Papiers! Here is yer extry!" which sounded startlingly loud and harsh to come from that girlish throat. Down Mason street she flew, anxious to reach the "stand" which the boys of that corner had unanimously ceded to her with rough chivalry when she had first appeared upon the scene, timid, nervous, afraid to cry her wares. She was the first of all the crowd to reach State street. "Papier, papier! Here is yer extry! All about the accident at Borrioboola Gha!" she shrieked in the voice which would have been sweet and clear but for its hard treatment and out of doors use, or rather abuse, and a queer little smile curved the corners of her mouth as she gave vent to her peculiar "trademark," as the "other boys" were wont to call the odd name which invariably closed her exhortation to buy an evening paper.

That exclamation had quite a history. When Maggie had been driven by her mother's illness and the want of food in the home cupboard to try paper selling, she had been afraid to cry loudly, and her conscience, home taught and tender, had forbidden her to invent news announcements after the fashion of others of her "perfesh." For some days she had sold very little in consequence, and the capital she had each morning invested in papers seemed in a fair way to be lost, when Irish Pat, the toughest boy in the gang, had taken her to his heart and shown her the mistake which spoiled her sales.

"Yer don't know nothin, yer don't," he had said contemptuously, striding along by her side with an exaggerated imitation of the walk of the last actor he had admired from the "peanut heaven" of the Academy and keeping level with her as she dejectedly started homeward, crying softly and wiping the tears away with her ragged but clean handkerchief.

"Yer too bloomin scared," he said, again copying the Academy actor, both in speech and gesticulation, "an yer'll never do no good till yer makes yer roar more like a better feller than yerself."

He paused and looked at Maggie expectantly, but Maggie had no idea that the "better feller" was Pat himself, and she never dreamed that the pause should have been filled with a compliment, well deserved, in Pat's opinion, so she said nothing, and the boy took up his parable again.

"Now, this yer's the way yer calls," he said, imitating her weak little cry to the life, "an this yer's the way yer oughter yell." And he let out a shout of "Paper here! Paper! All about the great fire on the west side! Many lives lost! Nineteen firemen go down in the ruins!" which startled Maggie and rang down the street for a block or more.

Maggie soon found this to be true, if she was to equal the sales of the other paper sellers. But still, as has been said, her conscience rebelled against the deceit. So she decided with one of the compromises possible only to innocent souls upon inventing a cry about an event which could not possibly happen, and, having read "Bleak House," she chose the words "Borrioboola Gha" as her "roar." She said nothing to her mother of all this, although the struggle in her mind was long and severe, and she longed sorely for sympathy and advice. She had grown so accustomed to using the "yell" that she no longer thought of it at all. She called out the long word as she did that of "Paper!" and it had no more significance to her.

But on this particular day, this dreary Christmas eve, as she stood mechanically repeating it, thinking meanwhile of the added pleasure for her mother and Sweetie which every penny meant, she was startled by a light touch on her shoulder and turned her head to see a kindly face looking down into hers.

"Where do you say the accident happened?" queried the tall, pleasant faced man who owned the hand which still lay on her arm. "Did you say Borrioboola Gha? I have heard a great many queer cries used by newsboys," he said with a whimsical smile at the pretty face, which bent away from him, "but yours is the most peculiar I have ever known. Did you borrow it from Dickens?"

"Yes, sir," she whispered, blushing still deeper, and hurrying breathlessly into her explanation. "Yes, sir. You see, the boys said I'd have to make up a roar if I was going to sell papers, and I thought that was honest anyway."

"Poor little kid!" he thought later, as he heard her cry ring out under his window as he sat in his comfortable room at the hotel. "Poor little kid! I wish I could do something for her. She reminds me of Jennie, somehow. Poor Jennie!" And in reveries of his dear, lost sight of sister he forgot all about Maggie, and thought no more of her until he heard her again the next morning—Christmas morning.

"Not a cheerful day for a fellow who's got nothing but money to help him enjoy himself, and no on to share that with," he thought as he dressed slowly, drearily, for the day promised to be long and barren. "If I only had Jennie and her babies to help me out. By Jove!" and he quickened his movements with a look of sudden interest, "I'll hunt up Little Borrioboola Gha and give her a jolly Christmas. She looks as though it wouldn't do her any harm, and I can 'play pretender,' as Jennie's baby used to say, play that she is one of Jennie's children."

Hastily completing his toilet, he disposed of a hearty breakfast, his pulses quickening as he thought of the pleasure which lay before him, the pleasure of giving happiness to another, the one pleasure which neither the world, the flesh, nor the devil has the power to mar or spoil.

Meanwhile the object of his thoughts had finished selling her papers the night before and gone slowly homeward, resisting the temptation to stay out in the brilliantly lighted streets because of her mother's well remembered request to this effect, and after buying as much candy and fruit for Sweetie as was consistent with saving a few pennies to buy a flower to go to the hospital with her and the baby tomorrow afternoon and laying enough away to buy her stock the next day she had got straight into bed.

When she awoke, it was broad daylight, the shining light of Christmas day, which has never seemed quite like that of ordinary days since that first wondrous dawn nearly 1,900 years ago, and she sprang up with the sweet Christmas joy in her heart and face, in spite of her aching toes and lonely condition.

"Now for a cup of coffee and a doughnut," she thought as she hurriedly fastened her garments, "and then for my papers."

"Well, Little Borrioboola Gha," said the same kindly voice which had greeted her the day before, "merry Christmas to you."

"Same to you, sir," she answered shyly, glancing up at him with the eyes which reminded him so forcibly of his sister. "Paper, sir?"

"Well, yes, I suppose so," he responded, reaching in his pocket for a $1 bill. "How are you going to spend your Christmas?"

"I'm going to the hospital to see mamma after I get through selling," said Maggie, who, with a child's quick intuition, had divined that this was a man to be trusted. "And I'm going to take Sweetie with me."

"Who is Sweetie?" was the next question, asked with a sympathetic intonation which somehow expressed all the kindly words he did not say about her mother. And Maggie, whose heart opened easily to any one who used the key of "Sweetie" wherewith to unlock it, grew talkative at once.

"Sweetie's my sister," she prattled, forgetting her wares in the joy of telling her love to some one. "My baby sister. And she's been specially mine ever since mamma got sick and had to go to the hospital. Auntie and Uncle Stewart have got her now," she went on, not noticing the start the gentleman gave, "but I'm going to get her back to live with us just as soon as mamma can come home."

"Is Auntie Stewart your real aunt?" queried her listener, a strange interest in his tone and manner. "And what is your mamma's name?"

"No. Auntie Stewart is an old friend of mamma's and papa's," answered Maggie, tucking her papers more tightly under her arm, "and mamma's name is Jennie Brownell."

"Jennie Brownell!" gasped the man at her side, grasping her arm so tightly that the tender flesh was bruised. "Jennie Brownell! And what was your papa's name?"

"Papa's name was Arthur Brownell," said Maggie, wondering more and more at this man's odd behavior. "But he's been dead a long, long time, and mamma took care of us until she got sick and I was big enough."

"You big enough," exclaimed her listener excitedly. "You big enough, you poor baby! Why, how old are you?"

"I'm just 13," said Maggie proudly, "and, indeed, sir, I'm big enough. Why, I've taken care of us for nearly a year now, and Sweetie would rather stay with me than with Auntie Stewart. I give her such nice things to eat," she finished innocently.

"To say nothing of the love you evidently lavish upon her," murmured the gentleman to himself. "Well, Little Borrioboola Gha, what do you say to a change? I think you must be my niece."

"Oh, then you must be Uncle Jack," said Maggie, accepting this new and wonderful state of affairs with a child's innocent faith and belief in all things wonderful and bright and good. "Yes, you do look like mamma. She's talked of you so much that I feel I quite know you," she added quaintly.

"You're not going to sell papers any more," said her uncle, as they crossed the street to his hotel. "And now for a merry Christmas. It won't be possible to do anything about clothes today," with a rueful look at Maggie's garments, "but we'll do something nice anyway. What hospital did you say your mother was at?"

"St. Luke's," answered Maggie, smiling as happily as though the griefs of the morning had never troubled her. "Are you going to see her too?"

"Yes," said Uncle Jack, smiling down at the eager face, "we're going there right away, but we'll stop and buy some flowers first."

And they set forth, only to find disappointment awaiting them at the hospital. Mrs. Brownell had left the hospital that morning in the care of a strange gentleman who had brought a carriage for her.

"Was it Uncle Stewart?" asked Maggie, and the kindly girl hesitated before replying, catching the busy nurse as she turned away.

"Uncle Stewart!" she said at length. "The old gentleman who came here with her and sometimes brings the little girl? No, it was a much younger man."

"Did mamma know him?" asked Maggie, with a shade of sadness darkening her expressive face in a manner which did not escape her uncle's notice, and again the good natured nurse staid her steps to reply.

"Yes," she said, with a pleasant, if hasty, smile, "she was delighted to see him and went with him at once."

Maggie turned away sadly, a tear falling on her shabby frock, and she did not refuse the comforting pressure of her uncle's hand as they walked down the long ward together.

"Let's go to Sweetie," suggested her uncle, with a view to distracting her. After making inquiries and finding that Mrs. Brownell had left no address Maggie, who felt that all the world was sad and her doll stuffed with sawdust with a vengeance, assented drearily.

"Maybe she'll be gone, too," she said mournfully, her lip quivering with a pitiful sorrow, as they stepped into the carriage again, and she did not speak again until the horses drew up at Mrs. Stewart's door. Her uncle lifted her out. She sprang up the stairs and rang the bell, and then—then the world resumed its normal coloring, and her doll was once more worth loving, for Sweetie had leaped to her arms, and there in the hall behind was mamma.

"Jack!" she said softly after kissing Maggie frantically. "Well, this must be Easter day instead of Christmas. Two resurrections from the dead!" and she drew his attention to another man who had seized upon Maggie as she released her and was embracing her as though he would never let her go again.

"My darling! My own little girl!" he kept repeating, and it suddenly dawned upon Maggie that it must be her papa, alive again in some wonderful, mysterious, Christmas kind of way and come back to care for her and mamma and Sweetie.

"We won't waste time upon long explanations now," said this gentleman as he put Maggie down at last. "I have been prostrated by an accident which caused me to lose my memory until a week ago and my name was mistakenly sent to Jennie here," indicating his wife by a tender glance, "as among those killed by the collision which only injured my brain. When my memory returned to me, I made all speed to come back to her, and not being able to find the smallest trace of her I thought of dear old Aunt and Uncle Stewart. I knew they would be kind to my poor darlings. And then I went to the hospital and brought her away. We never thought of Maggie going there so early, and I was to wait for her there this afternoon. We hardly knew how to reach her sooner."

"Well, I lost all trace of you all while I was out west," said Uncle Jack, taking possession of Maggie again, "and I only found this little girl by the merest accident." And he lifted Maggie lovingly to his knee, for they had reached the parlor by this time.

And after that? Well, it was Christmas day, and all the stores were closed, but money will do a great deal, and it wasn't long before Auntie Stewart's scantily filled larder was plentifully supplied, and an immense turkey was roasting in the oven.

And when the dinner had been eaten and everybody had told everybody else how glad and happy and surprised they were they sat close together and made plans for the future, lovely, wonderful plans, which seemed almost too good to come true. But they did come true, many of them, and, the best of all, perhaps, was Uncle Jack's plan for Maggie.

"This little girl is going to be a beautiful singer by and by," he said, with a tender good night kiss as he carried her up to the little attic room Auntie Stewart had insisted upon their using for the night, while papa followed with Sweetie, "to say nothing of being a noble woman if she grows up as brave and unselfish as she is now. I noticed how strong and sweet her voice bade fair to be the moment I heard her giving the 'roar' which astonished me so much. And I am going to see that it has the best of training. And my pet name for her will always be 'Little Borrioboola Gha.'"—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Ideal Gifts for Christmas.

Don't worry, don't lose sleep, don't make your brain tired trying to think *"What's best for Christmas."* You'll forget your troubles, and find just what you've been looking for if you'll only visit this splendid store.

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3 Fold Screens,	$ 1.98	Umbrella Stands,	$ 1.00 to $ 5.00
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Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50	Hanging Lamps,	2.75 to 5.50
Easels,	.39 to 2.50	Banquet Lamps,	2.25 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 15.00	Parlor Lamps,	.98 to 5.50
Gent's Smoking Tables,	2 98	Bissell's Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Piano Stools,	2.98	Boot Black Stands,	.98
Piano Scarfs,	2.75 to 5.50	Alarm Clocks,	.89
Medicine Cabinets,	1.25 to 5.00	Cuckoo Clocks,	7.50
Foot Rests,	1.50 to 3.50	China Parlor Clocks,	1.00 to 10.00
Lemonade Sets,	.75 to 2.75	Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Wine Sets,	1.25 to 2.50	Fancy Rockers,	1.50 to 8.00
Beautiful Pictures,	.75 to 5.00	Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinieres,	.10 to 2.75	Jardiniere Stands,	.39 to 2.50
Brass and Onyx Tables,	3.75 to 10.00	Rugs,	.50 to 5.00
Oak Hat Racks,	1.25	Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	.42 to 1.00	Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Dexters, Rocking Horses,	.49 to 1.50	Portieres Per Pair,	.50 to 6.50
Express Wagons,	.50 to 2.50	Oak Side Boards,	10.00 to 35.00
Doll Carriages,	.50 to 2.00	Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Black Boards,	.10 to 1.25	Oak Dining Chairs,	.89 to 2.50
Bread & Milk Sets,	.25 to 1.00	Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
High Chairs,	.50 to 5.00	Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Rocking Chairs,	.50 to 4.50	Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
White Iron Cribs,	5.00 to 7.50	Oak Chamber Sets,	15.00 to 35.00
Fancy Chairs,	1.00 to 6.50	Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
Beautiful odd pieces of New French and English China in Salad Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Cake Plates, Cheese Dishes, Pin Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Spoon Trays, Pickle Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Picture Frames, After Dinner Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Jardiniere, Vases, etc. etc. Hundreds of odd and dainty pieces from 10 cents to $1.50.		Christmas Ranges,	15.00 to 30.00
		Piano Lamps,	7.50 to 10.00
		China Closets,	12.00 to 30.00
		Serving Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Hall Stands,	5.00 to 15.00
		Hall Settees,	7.50 to 15.00
		Ladies' Work Baskets,	2.50 to 5.00
		New Pianos. Cut prices for Christmas,	175.00 to 250.00
		Dressing Tables,	7.50 to 10.00
		Cheval Mirrors,	10.00 to 15.00

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OTIS IS SATISFACTORY.

Will Continue In Command of Military Forces In Philippines.

Cabinet Sends a Message of Peace to Filipinos.

Assurance of Civil Rights and Fair and Impartial Justice.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Secretary Alger said yesterday that Major General Otis had rendered most satisfactory service in command of the military forces in the Philippines, and would be retained in that position. Whether he will be appointed governor general of the archipelago depends upon future events.

MAJOR GENERAL OTIS.

The cabinet discussed the instructions to be sent to General Otis at Manila, which will be promulgated there as a proclamation by the president. These instructions are similar in import to those sent to our officers at Santiago upon the occupation of that city by United States troops.

They assure the Filipinos that the United States assumes military control of the Philippine islands in a spirit of peace and friendship, and that all civil rights and privileges that they hitherto have enjoyed will be continued, and that it is the purpose of this government to relieve in all possible ways the unjust burdens they have borne, and ask for the co-operation of all good citizens in maintaining order, to the end that peace and prosperity may be restored.

So far as is practicable all efficient civil officers will be retained in the official positions they now occupy, and fair and impartial justice will be administered to all.

The instructions also make temporary arrangements for coasting trade, much as in the case of Cuba.

New Laws.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The president yesterday signed the following bills: Providing for a national exposition in Philadelphia in 1899 and appropriation therefor; amending the laws relating to American seamen for the protection of such seamen, and to promote commerce; concerning sailing vessels of over 700 tons and for other purposes; to regulate the sitting of the United States courts within the district of South Carolina; to amend the revised statutes relating to consuls and vice consul generals, consuls and vice consuls and commercial agents.

Will Give Wheeler a Chance.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Chairman Henderson of the house judiciary committee says the inquiry into the right of a member to hold two offices ordered by the house yesterday will not be taken up until after the holidays. It is expected that General Wheeler, whose status is involved in the inquiry, will be given every opportunity to present his view of the question.

In Congress.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The absence of a quorum of the senate yesterday saved Senator Proctor's resolution, providing for the appointment of a committee of senators to investigate the conditions in Cuba and Porto Rico during the approaching long recess of congress from decisive defeat. An effort was made by Mr. Daniel of Virginia to obtain consideration of the resolution, but his motion mustered only 8 of the 38 votes cast. No business of importance was disposed of at yesterday's session. Only some routine business, including the passage of a few private pension bills, was transacted.

Acting under the provisions of the act of April 2, 1898, the president sent to the senate a long list of military nominations covering promotions in the volunteer army, announced notwithstanding the fact that the troops have been mustered out. With the exception of the nomination of Major Philip Reade, to be lieutenant colonel and inspector general, all the nominations, covering about 200, are of officers of the following regiments: The First, Second and Third volunteer cavalry and the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth volunteer infantry. The nominations range downward from lieutenant colonel.

The last session of the house before the holiday recess lasted but an hour. The Bailey resolution, directing an investigation of the right of the members who volunteered in the Spanish-American war to seats in the house was adopted, and several bills of minor importance were passed.

Battle With Moonshiners.

Richmond, Dec. 22.—A Big Stone Gap special reports a fight yesterday near Flat Top, Ky., between revenue officers and moonshiners, in which Sam May, one of the revenue officers, and two of his companions were killed. The fatalities among the moonshiners are not known. The moonshiners are thoroughly organized and have served notice that all informers will be ambushed.

Spain, Pope and Carlos.

London, Dec. 22.—The Rome correspondent of The Daily Chronicle says: In response to another appeal from the queen regent of Spain, the pope has confidentially written to Don Carlos, asking him to stop the Carlist agitation.

CAINE ON AMERICA.

An Englishman Who Apparently Finds Nothing to Complain Of.

London, Dec. 22.—Mr. Hall Caine, the novelist and playwright, who returned from the United States by the White Star steamer Majestic, which reached Liverpool on Tuesday, interviews himself this morning in The Daily Telegraph to the extent of four columns, giving his "personal impressions" of America.

Of American journalism Mr. Caine speaks highly, though he is "surprised at the small and fleeting impression the war has made on the minds and condition of the American people." He thinks there is "no great life in the controversy on the expansion question," for he doubts "whether anybody feels keenly either way."

Regarding the relations between Great Britain and the United States, Mr. Caine says: "I believe that the feeling in America toward England is the same as it was three years ago. Certainly there has been no such extraordinary change as can be observed in England toward America. Nobody in the United States appears to want an alliance or an understanding. Good feeling for England is deep and widespread; but the English traveler in America is made to feel that we in England are much more vocal on the union of the Anglo-Saxon race than our compatriots in America are yet prepared to be."

Mr. Caine discusses pleasantly and admiringly most American institutions.

Suicide In a Church.

Boston, Dec. 22.—Miss Margaret Dodge was found dead in the gallery of St. John's Episcopal church on Bowdoin street by the janitor yesterday. Lying beside the body was a small vial, which had contained poison. As the church had not been opened since Tuesday evening, it is supposed that while services were being held there Miss Dodge went to the church and remained there afterwards to commit suicide. She had been ill and despondent for some time. She was 29 years of age. Miss Dodge graduated from the college of liberal arts, Boston university, with the class of 1890. She soon became well known in literary circles. She had figured quite prominently as a writer of magazine articles.

An Alleged Embezzler.

Providence, Dec. 22.—John B. Calder, bookkeeper for S. S. Sprague & Co., grain dealers, who disappeared two weeks ago, returned to the city and was arrested yesterday by detectives. Later he was arraigned on the charge of embezzling $1300. He waived examination and was held in $5000 bonds for the action of the grand jury. Nearly 20 years ago Calder was indicted for embezzlement from the Grocers and Producers' bank of this city. He was tried three times, but each time the jury failed to agree, and finally the case against him was dropped.

A Rubber Combination.

Boston, Dec. 22.—The Globe says: It is probable that a trade combination among the mechanical rubber manufacturing companies will be announced within a short time. Mr. Charles R. Flint is forming the new company, and the Mechanical Rubber company of New York, the largest manufacturers of mechanical rubber goods in the United States, will be the nucleus of the combination. Boston is largely interested in the combination, two of the principal companies in the trade being owned and located here.

Secret Cable Work.

St. John's, Dec. 22.—The French cable steamer Contre Amiral Courbet, which has been engaged during the last two weeks in altering the positions of the French cables across the Grand Banks, appeared off this harbor Tuesday evening. She did not enter and, when dawn came yesterday, it was found she had disappeared. The impression is general among marine people that she is engaged in cable work of a secret character, which is carried on after dark.

In Comptroller's Hands.

Boston, Dec. 22.—Bank Inspector McDonald is on his way from Washington under orders from the comptroller of the currency to examine into the condition of the Howard National bank, and proceedings in connection with the liquidation of the bank have come to a standstill until such time as the inspector can file a report as to the exact condition of the bank. The whole situation is now in the hands of Comptroller of the Currency Dawes.

Spaniards Warned.

Havana, Dec. 22.—Printed papers insulting the Spaniards and threatening to kill them after Jan. 1 continue to be circulated in various parts of the island. The alcalde of Santiago de las Vegas has seized large quantities of such clandestine prints and burned them. The Cuban patriotic committees are planning for a five days' feast after Jan. 1, during which all business will be suspended.

Not Guilty.

Boston, Dec. 22.—George Bedame was acquitted by a jury in the United States circuit court yesterday on a charge of passing two counterfeit $2 bills. He was supposed to have been connected with a gang of counterfeiters. John S. Menter was discharged by United States Commissioner Fiske upon a complaint charging him with passing a counterfeit $2 bill. No evidence was introduced against him.

Brother Led the Mob.

Decatur, Ala., Dec. 22.—William Sims, a soldier who unprovokingly murdered Robert Norton, a prominent citizen of Town Creek, six miles from here, while at a country dance, was dragged from the county jail by a mob of 500 men and lynched. He was hanged on a tree near the jail and his body riddled with bullets. A brother of the murdered man led the mob.

Hounded to Death.

St. Louis, Dec. 22.—David Shea, an ex-convict, deliberately committed suicide here yesterday by shooting himself in the head. In a pathetic letter left by Shea and addressed to the editor of The Post-Dispatch he says he was driven to death by the hounding of a private detective agency.

Erne and Hawkins Matched.

New York, Dec. 22.—Frank Erne of Buffalo and Dal Hawkins of San Francisco were matched yesterday to fight 25 rounds at the lightweight limit, 133 pounds, before the club offering the best inducements, and also a side bet of $2000. Several California clubs have made bids to secure the contest.

MAGENTA FRENCH CLOTH GOWN FROM HARPER'S BAZAR.

Another gown, in which the bolero jacket (to which Parisians cling in spite of the steady approach of long coat-like effects), is of light magenta French cloth, combined with sable trimming and rich green peau de soie under a guipure lace.

The circular skirt shows a slight fulness at the back, and a decided demi-train. The front breadth and border of the silk and guipure are outlined by narrow ribbon threaded through the net which forms an unobtrusive but finished heading. The skirt is 4 1-2 wide.

The bodice is trimmed with a border of guipure, and the close leg-o'-mutton sleeve, fitted to the arm by an elbow dart, is treated correspondingly. The slight flare at the wrist is lined with black satin, which material also forms the draped girdle. The revers of deep green peau de soie are covered with white raised lace, which is again employed over white silk for the collar and chemisette.

With this bodice is worn a French knotted fichu of silk fichue, the ends of which pass under the jeweled clasp which fastens the bolero, and are caught under the latter at each side seam. The proper cut of this gown can be obtaind only with the use of the cut paper pattern furnished by Harper's Bazar.

It will require 6 yards of French cloth 54 inches wide to make this costume also 6 yards of silk, and 4 3-4 yards of sable trimming. The quantity of lace required will vary according to the width of the variety chosen.

The accompanying hat is of dark green felt, with magenta velvet bands and bow, and lighter green ostrich tips.

Hawkins Whips McPartland.

New York, Dec. 21.—Dal Hawkins, the lightweight pugilist from the Pacific slope, made short work of "Kid" McPartland of this city, whom he met in the arena of the Lenox Athletic club last night. The bout was decided in the third round, the New Yorker being knocked out with a left swing on the jaw. In the first round McPartland was forced to his knees with a hard blow in the stomach. The second round was rather tame, with Hawkins on the defensive most of the time. When McPartland was knocked down in the third round, he came up rather groggy, but he succeeded in getting in one good punch on Dal's jaw. Dal was after him like a shot, and swung on the mark and McPartland went down with a crash. Hawkins opened favorite in the betting at 100 to 80, but these odds did not last long, and even money ruled when the men donned the gloves.

Chicago's Latest Sensation.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—In order to save a repetition of the Luetgert experience, it is probable that the body of Mrs. Theresa Rollinger, for whose alleged murder and partial cremation her husband is under arrest, will be exhumed by the police, and complete identification established. The body was identified only by the woman's clothing, and the police wish to secure a ring which she wore and which will prove beyond doubt her identity. Lena Hecker, the waitress, for the love of whom Rollinger is believed, by the police, to have murdered his wife, is expected to arrive in Chicago, and interesting developments are looked for. It has been learned that Rollinger passed himself off as a single man, not only to Miss Hecker, but also to other women.

In Railroad's Favor.

Buffalo, Dec. 21.—The coroner's jury which investigated the recent accident on the New York Central railway by which eight men engaged in shoveling snow from the tracks were killed, brought in a split verdict yesterday. Eight jurors found a verdict holding the railroad blameless for the accident. The other four brought in a verdict to the effect that the company had not taken necessary precautions to avoid an accident. Coroner Kennedy signed the verdict holding the company blameless.

He Became Blind.

Nashua, N. H., Dec. 21.—H. E. Farnum of this city has brought a suit for $10,000 against A. L. Worthen of Tilton, a fireman, for personal damages. The plaintiff alleges that Worthen sprinkled sulphuric acid from an extinguisher on a crowd of people who were witnessing a fire in Tilton on Dec. 17. Farnum bases his claim for damages for the reason that he has become totally blind. Attachments have been placed on Worthen's property.

☞ Advertise houses to let in the Ledger.

HAWAIIAN "CROWN LANDS."

Queen Lil Protests to Senate That They Are Her Private Property.

Washington, Dec. 21. — Ex-Queen Liliuokalani yesterday sent to the senate the following protest against the appropriation of the crown lands of Hawaii by the United States:

EX-QUEEN LILIUOKALANI.

"To the Senate of the United States:

"I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, named heir apparent on the 10th day of April, 1877, and proclaimed queen of the Hawaiian Islands on the 20th day of January, 1891, do hereby earnestly and respectfully protest against the assertion of ownership by the United States of America of the so-called Hawaiian crown lands, amounting to about 1,000,000 acres, and which are my property, and I especially protest against such assertion of ownership as a taking of property without due process of law and without just or other compensation.

"Therefore, supplementing my protest of June 17, 1897, I call upon the president and the national legislature and the people of the United States to do justice in this matter and restore to me this property, the enjoyment of which is being withheld from me by your government under what must be a misapprehension of my right and title.

"Liliuokalani."

There are about 2.000 persons in France who are set down as anarchists and are under the constant watch of the police of the various European countries.

Pockets in ladies' dresses first appeared in this country during the reign of Edward III.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

Plenty to Do.

"I thought you told me, Witson, that you intended to do business just the same after you had moved into the suburbs. I know you have plenty, but I always thought you one of those men who insist upon dying in the harness."

"You were right about it, my old friend. I believe that it would be impossible for me to avoid spending at least two or three hours a day on 'change, but my time is completely taken up, and I haven't looked at a market report for a month."

"Wouldn't believe it if any one else told me. How do you exist?"

"I'm having young trees set out, getting a garden ready, superintending the building of a barn, watching them pave the street and having a continued kick with the assessors, who seem to think that my property is worth all I paid for it."

"You'll soon have all that off your hands. I was afraid you might have left us permanently."

"Oh, I've only commenced. I have a Jersey cow, a pointer pup, a tandem, two Berkshire pigs and a kodak, besides"—

"Never mind. The cow, the pup and the kodak are enough. I'll just tell the boys that it's all off, so far as trade with you is concerned. You have three fads that will keep you busier than a coon in a bee tree."—Detroit Free Press.

The Undertaker's Chairs.

"I see in the windows of undertaking shops," said Mr. Staybolt, "a placard which says that campstools and folding chairs are to hire there, delivered by express wagon. I infer from this that chairs must be hired out for other than funeral purposes, for festive occasions, in fact, as indeed I know of no reason why they should not be.

"But they must lead a varied life, the chairs—funeral one day and wedding, it may be, the next. They know when they start where they're going—that is, they know the nature of the occasion. They can tell that by the wagon they go in. If when they are carried out they find themselves put into the black wagon of the undertaker, they know it's a funeral they're going to. If they are put into just a plain, ordinary delivery wagon, they know that they are going to a wedding or a party or some gathering of more or less gayety, but they cannot tell what will happen next.

"Well, I don't know that there's anything so very remarkable about this after all. The experience of the chairs is like that of the people who sit on them. They have their days of smiles and their days of tears."—New York Sun.

Her Impressions of Angels.

The wife of a well known senator took her little daughter, a 4-year-old damsel, to a matinee once to see "Jack and the Beanstalk." A week or so afterward she was discovered pirouetting and lifting her petticoats before a cheval glass. Her father reproved her and told her it wasn't a pretty way to do.

"Why," said the child, "I saw the angels do it."

"The angels!" exclaimed her father. "Why, where?"

"When mamma and I went to heaven that day," said the child.

The father explained that the fancied heaven was only the theater. The little girl's face fell.

"And wasn't they angels?" she asked.

"No," said the father; "they were just girls."

The child put on an air of intense disgust.

"Well," she said, "I fink they ought to be taked home and spanked, 'cause they wasn't dressed any more than angels."—Lewiston Journal.

Queen Victoria's Marked Poem.

Here is a funny story told of a happening at the English court: Sir Theodore Martin had been requested by Victoria to read aloud from "The Ring and the Book." Sir Theodore was courtier enough to make a cautious study beforehand of the poem, and he placed marginal notes as danger signals against passages of doubtful propriety.

The marked copy chanced to come into the hands of a rather thoughtless court lady. "I have so enjoyed this wonderful work," she said to a friend, "and it has been such an advantage to read it after the queen, for she has placed marks against the most beautiful parts, and, oh, what exquisite taste the dear queen has!" she added, pointing to the danger signals of Sir Theodore Martin.—Quiver.

Practice.

"Stand anudder, Chimmie! I ain't got nuttin against yer, but I gotter improve every opportunity t' git me hands hard for me comin championship fight wid Dooley's boy."—New York Journal.

The Heiress.

Askey—Where's the rich heiress you're engaged to?

Tellum—You see that lovely girl in pink at the other side of the room?

Askey—Yes. I say, old man, what a superb—

Tellum—Well, it isn't she. It's that grand old ruin in yellow sitting next her.—London Tit-Bits.

Feeding the Fire.

The most powerful engine must stop if the fires are not fed. Man is the most wonderful piece of machinery in the world, yet no matter how strong and well-made his bodily frame may be, if the fire of life within him is not constantly fed his limbs and muscles become powerless and useless.

The reason men become helpless and diseased is because the food they eat, which is the fuel of life, is not properly digested and appropriated by the stomach and nutritive organs. It is not completely transformed into the strength and working power which is to man what steam is to the engine.

That wonderful power-making "Golden Medical Discovery," invented by Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., imbues the human digestive juices and blood-making glands with capacity to extract abundant nourishment from the food. It builds up organic tissue, nerve fiber, hard muscular flesh and working force. It gives a man *steam*.

What it did for Mr. F. S. Hughes, of Junction, Hunterdon Co., N. J., is given in his own words. He writes: "I received your kind letter, and in reply would say that mine was a bad case of kidney and liver trouble, and that six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and four bottles of little 'Pellets' effected a complete cure. It is well known that almost every engineer is troubled more or less with kidney trouble, especially on our fast express trains. I run one hundred and forty-four miles on these trains every day in the week, and have had no return of the trouble since taking the remedies, nearly three years ago."

The Whole Family.

Mary told them all about it and now the whole family goes there to trade. The store is filled with

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Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

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New Citron,	12c lb	Finest Chocolate Goods,	40c lb
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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	45	31	37	36
Monday	29	32	23	32
Tuesday	38	31	31	29
Wednesday	39	17	34	32
Thursday	44	30	28	26
Friday	—	28	32	32
Saturday	—	43	21	17

New Advertisements Today.

Single house to let.
C. Patch & Son—Coal.
Boston Branch Grocery.
G. F. Wilson & Co.—Christmas goods.

Presbyterian Sale.

The weather prevented a large attendance at the second night of the Christmas sale of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening, yet there was quite a good number present. The sale was held in the vestry of the church which has recently been adorned with a number of Scripture mottoes, and banners upon which are the Lord's prayer, Beatitudes, Commandments and the 23d Psalm, making it quite attractive. A goodly number of articles were displayed upon the tables and many met with a ready sale.

These tables were in charge of the members of the Ladies' Aid society of which Mrs. George Bowman is president; Mrs. George O. Shirley secretary; and Mrs. Robert Phillips treasurer. The ladies in charge of the several tables were as follows:

Apron, Mrs. R. C. Allen.

Skirt, Mrs. George Bowman and Mrs. Neil McFadyen.

Bakers, Mrs. Robert Phillips and Mrs. Robert Stewart.

Ice cream, Mrs. James Milne and Robert C. Allen.

Candy, cake, books, etc., Miss Mary Milne, Miss Jennie Howie, Miss Jennie McDonald, Miss Bessie McMillan and Miss Annie Shirley.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Dec. 17:

Jas. Thomas, John A. Weber. Mr. J. W Shepherd, Oswald C. Haley, Mrs. Francis Bush.

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Dec. 19. 6t

NOTICE!

THE Thomas Crane Public Library will close Saturday, Dec. 24, at 6 P. M., and will be closed MONDAY, Dec. 26.

Per Order of the Trustees.

Quincy, Dec. 21.—4t 24-1w

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Auctioneer and Appraiser.

Prompt Settlement.

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Feb. 26 tf

SCANDINAVIAN CLUB.

Representatives Sheppard and Sprague Among the Guests.

Henry H. Faxon Present and Speaks at Length.

Mr. Sheppard Would Restrict Immigration to Desirable Citizens.

The Scandinavian Republican club held a meeting Wednesday evening at Wilson's hall to which a few invited guests were bidden. The first part of the evening was devoted to a business session in which the advisability of continuing the club was discussed.

The doors were then opened and in came Henry H. Faxon, Representatives elect Sprague and Sheppard, Councilman-elect John L. Johnson of Ward Three, and Corporal Hermanson of Co. K.

E. J. Sandberg presided. Representative Sprague read a paper on immigration, in which he said he was in favor of restricting immigration, that is to admit only those who were intelligent and were good citizens.

Representative Sheppard had no prepared speech and spoke briefly.

Councilman Johnson thanked the members for what they had done toward his election and promised to do what he could for good government.

Corporal Hermanson spoke on the camp life of Co. K.

Mr. Faxon had his speech all prepared which he read.

Brief remarks were also made by several members of the club after which refeshments were served and an hour passed in social intercourse.

Mr. President and Gentlemen:

As this club has become a very important factor in the municipal affairs of this city, it may be fitting, upon this social occasion, for one who is an Independent in politics to review some of the causes which led to the recent defeat of the Republican candidate for Mayor.

As I was instrumental in helping to place in municipal power the young man who was denied a second term of office, a few words from me relative to the campaigns attending both his election and defeat may not be out of place here.

After Mayor Sears had been nominated last year I wrote him a letter of advice and inclosed a check to help pay the expenses of the campaign. At that time I was led to suppose, although Mr. Sears made no such promise, that he would retain in office the competent and efficient Commissioner of Public Works and the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. In a public letter to the press on this subject I said:

"The citizens owe a debt of gratitude to Mayor Adams for appointing our present honest and efficient Commissioner of Public Works: and I desire to have it distinctly understood that I will vote for no candidate who, I have reason to believe, will displace Mr. Knowlton or Chief Williams of the Fire Department."

Mr. Sears was elected and then, when the subject of appointments came up, I learned that he was wavering and, to encourage him against the wire-pullings of those who were seeking him constantly, I wrote to him as follows:

Quincy, Mass., Dec. 18, 1897.

My dear Mr. Sears:

If rumors are correct, one of the most perplexing appointments which you may have to wrestle with is the selection of Chief Engineer. Let us calmly review the situation. The present incumbent has proved his fitness for the position by four years of faithful service with results most gratifying to the taxpayers. There is no doubt that the holders of ninety per cent. of the property of the city desire the retention of Mr. Williams. He has also the hearty endorsement of leading insurance men who recognize his superior qualifications, not the least of which is his experience as a carpenter and builder, valuable alike in fighting a fire and in being able to judge correctly of the damage when one occurs. On the other hand, the vociferous opposition simmers down to a few disgruntled engine men who have either been removed or censured for neglect of duty.

In view of these facts there should be no hesitation in making your decision. Remember, too, that if the present Chief is displaced to make room for some wire-pulling politician, you will be most severely criticised by those who have at heart the best interests of our municipality.

I want it distinctly understood that I court no favors which do not benefit the whole people. As the largest taxpayer of Quincy, it is both my duty and my right to demand that those who contribute to the city's needs should be served by honest and capable officials.

Very truly yours,

Henry H. Faxon.

I must confess that I was disappointed when the appointments were made to learn that Mr. Williams had been displaced. However, a majority of the other officials appointed by His Honor were courteous, obliging and efficient; and, believing that if a new Mayor was elected there would be a complete turnover in City Hall, I supported Mayor Sears to prevent a radical change, because I do not think si things are good for a city of our size, especially when they come too frequently.

If Mayor Sears had remained fearlessly independent and had treated the demands of the wire-pulling politicians as they should have been treated, he would, I am sure, have been re-elected.

I hope our new Mayor will be judicious in his appointments, and that he will consider his acts not with a view of ereating political power for himself, but as the chief magistrate of Quincy he will regard the welfare of all the citizens, whose interests are committed to his care.

Quincy Music Hall, Monday Evening, Jan. 9.

The Thrilling Experience of a War Correspondent.

An Illustrated Lecture by **PETER MacQUEEN, M. A.** Views Taken by Himself on Field of Battle.

☞ Mr. MacQueen was Frank Leslie's Special Correspondent at Santiago and Porto Rico.

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Almost everthing that will make a man happy.

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Best goods. Compare prices with Boston.

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HANDKERCHIEFS and APRONS in great variety.
SILK SCARFS for the ladies in Plaids are very choice.
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Never was our line so complete and our prices so low.

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SILK WAISTS.

All prices and styles. Also Woolen in all colors.

STATIONERY.

We never sold so much Stationery at Christmas before, which shows that our line must be what the people want.

We are showing a complete line of Cut Work in Bureau and Sideboard Covers, Table Covers and Shams.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

To all who favor us with an inspection of our offerings, we will endeavor to make it a Merry Christmas, both to the giver and receiver of Holiday Gifts.

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Plain Hemstitch,	10c., 3 for 25c.
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Plain Hemstitch,	20c., 3 for 50c.
Plain Hemstitch, extra fine,	25c. each.
Initial, Linen or Silk,	from 15c. to $1.

FANCY ARMLETS.
25c., 50c., 75c.

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For everybody, all kinds, fancy and plain—
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We have the latest novelties in Silks and Satins, made especially for us in all the latest shapes.
50 dozen to select from.
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FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL,	50c. to $1.25
FOR THE LADIES,	75c. to 4.00
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Fancy Suspenders,
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OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

Don't Forget

To bring the children and have them look over our varied stock of

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Here you will find a good selection of many HOLIDAY GOODS suitable for all, both young and old. An abundance of Toys, Games, Sleds, Skates, and Oh! I cannot for want of space describe the wonders from Toyland.

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All the residents of Quincy are cordially invited, but please don't all come at once.

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JOHNSON BROS.
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Additional Programmes for Christmas.

Special Music a Feature of Sunday Services.

Trees, Festivals and Sunday School Concerts.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

The order of the Sunday morning services at the Universalist church will be:

Organ voluntary.
Anthem, "Lift up your heads," Fillmore.
Gloria Patria.
Scripture reading.
Anthem, "Praise Be to God," Rinke.
Prayer.
Solo, "Jerusalem."
Christmas sermon by pastor.
Hymn.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

There will be a Christmas service Sunday morning at 10.30; the programme;

Doxology.
Prayer by the Pastor.
Hymn, "While the Shepherds watched their flocks."
Scripture Reading.
Solo, "The Prince of Peace," Mr. J. Fraser
Hymn, "Hark! the Herald angels sing."
Prayer.
Anthem, "Glory to God in the Highest."
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Doctrine of the Incarnation"
Hymn, "O come, all ye faithful."
Benediction.

In the evening at 7 o'clock the order of service will be similar to that of the morning, with Gospel hymns. Offertory anthem, "The Angels' Song," by the Choir. Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "Jesus Sanctified Infancy."

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL.

At 5.30 A. M. Sunday morning there will be a Christmas service in the Swedish Congregational church on Garfield street, with songs and preaching; subject for preaching: "The tidings of great joy." At 6 o'clock P. M., the Sunday School will begin its festival, which will consist of recitations, declamations and singing. A choir of children will sing several songs. The church will be decorated with evergreens, candle lights and Christmas trees.

SWEDISH M. E.

At the Swedish M. E. church, corner Granite and Fort streets, Rev. H. Larsou, pastor, there will be the "Julotta" at 5.30 A. M. Christmas day. The church will be decorated and illuminated. The programme will include:

Song by the congregation, "Vas helsad skona morgonstund."
Reading of the Scriptures and prayer.
Choir, "Jesus, star of the morning."
Announcements.
Solo, "Cantique Noel."
Sermon.
Song by the Congregation.
Prayer.
Choir, "Hosanna in the Highest."
Doxology,

The children's festival will be at 6 o'clock Christmas day evening.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

At the Wollaston Congregational Church at the Sunday morning service the Christmas musical programme will be:

Cantata, "The Hope of the World," Schnecker
"Little town of Bethlehem," Neidlinger
"O Holy night," Adam
Miss Hastings and Mr. King.
"Rejoice greatly," Reed

The choir now includes:—Miss Mary V. Hastings, soprano; Miss Eva A. Dickey, contralto; Mr. Charles A. Jameson, basso; Mr. Samuel M. King, tenor and director. The organist is Miss Ada F. Hinckley.

PARK AND DOWNS.

The Park and Downs church will have its Christmas tree festival on Saturday evening and extends an invitation to all the families in the vicinity to unite with the Sunday School. It was a happy thought of the pastor, Rev. F. T. Knight, to substitute a Christmas story at the Christmas morning service in place of the sermon. It will be an original story for the children.

A Christmas concert by the Sunday School will be given Sunday evening to which the public is invited.

Unity Club.

The regular meeting of the Unity club will occur Friday evening, and will be in charge of Mrs. H. W. Lull. Papers will be given as follows:

The Borgias, Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith.
Savonarola, Rev. Blanche Pentecost Bagley.
Columbus, Mr. H. W. Lull.
Luigi Pulci, Mr. Frank A. Page.
Ariosto and Tasso, Mr. W. E. Simmons.
Cellini and Paul Veronese, Mrs. Frederick H. Bishop.

Musical selections will be given by Mrs. F. A. Page and by Prof. J. H. Marceau.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

At the regular meeting of Maple Lodge, No. 313, held Wednesday evening, Dec. 7, in Plumer's hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Past Protector,—Walter H. Cobb.
Protector,—Charles Crane.
Vice Protector,—Mary Fox.
Secretary,—Mary A. H. Crane.
Financial Secretary,—Francis P. Loud.
Treasurer,—Angie D. Loud.
Chaplain,—A. Cora Curtis.
Guide,—Pheobe Shackley.
Guardian,—Howard Rogers.
Sentinel,—Samuel Knight.
Captain of the Guard,—M. L. Furnald.

☞ A. A. Linscott, Jeweler at 154 Hancock street, will be open tonight until 10 o'clock, and he has the finest line of watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware in Quincy at the lowest prices.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

BORN.

STODDARD—In Quincy, Dec. 15, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Stoddard of Baxter street.

MARRIED.

HAYDEN—MANHIRE—In Quincy, Dec. 21, by Rev. C. W. Wilder, Mr. Charles Henry Hayden to Miss Lena Ann Manhire, both of Quincy.

CROTTY—TAYLOR—In Quincy, Dec. 21, by Rev. W. W. Dornan, William H. Crotty of Boston to Miss Agnes M. Taylor of Quincy.

DIED.

THOMPSON—In Asheville, N. C., Dec. 17, Mr. William Thompson of Quincy, aged 56 years.
Funeral from late residence, 163 Granite street, Friday, Dec. 23, at 2 P. M.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Unsettled weather today.

Christmas in the public schools today.

Mr. George Charnock of Atlantic, is in New York.

Mr. Warren Reed and Miss Jennie Reed of Montclair are quite ill.

The Steamer "John J. Hill" was moved a few inches more, laterally, on Wednesday.

The old reliable firm of G. F. Wilson & Co. have all the "fixin's" for the Christmas dinner.

They say the red ash shamokin coal just received by C. Patch & Son is the best range coal in the market.

Tracks have been laid across Brook street so that the electrics now go over the Wollaston loop without a break.

William Lawry, while chopping wood at home on Wednesday afternoon, had the misfortune to severely cut his left hand with the axe.

A dispensation has been granted by the Grand Lodge of Masons to the petitioners for a new lodge at Wollaston. Mr. John F. Neil, who has just been appointed a member of the Grand Lodge, will be the Worshipful Master.

Last Sunday evening Mr. H. B. Bailey of Wollaston addressed the congregation at the Park and Downs Congregational church, on the subject of his foreign travels. Miss Feather and Mr. Hitchcock both of Boston rendered solos in a very acceptable manner.

To Muster out 50,000.

The Journal reports that the Cabinet at a meeting in Washington on Wednesday decided that existing conditions justified a further reduction of the miliary forces of the United States, and the Secretary of War was instructed to arrange for the immediate muster-out of 50,000 volunteers. The details for the execution of this order have not yet been arranged and it is impossible as yet to ascertain what organizatinons will be first selected for discharge from the miliatry service. Several of the volunteer organizations in the Philippines undoubtedly will be included in the number. It is said that the volunteers to be mustered out will be distributed as equitably as possible among the several States and in a general way the first regiments mustered in will be the first to go out.

Contemporary Figures.

The Elliot club of Wollaston held a very delightful evening with Mrs. Nickerson on Wednesday. The subject was, "Contemporary figures in prose and poetry."

Mrs. Jameson spoke of the life and works of Alfred Austin, England's poet laureate, Mrs. W. E. Simmons told of Zangwill and read from his Ghetto Books, Paul Dunbar was spoken of by Mr. W. P. Bailey, and Stephen Crane by Mrs. George Bailey. Mrs. Nickerson had charge of the music which was taken from Schubert's writings with a short sketch of his life by Mrs. Sherman

Overture Rosemonde, Miss Olney and Mrs. Bailey.

Songs, by Mrs. Kayes.

Duet, "Serenade," by Mrs. William Rowe and Mrs. Collyer.

The Wanderer, by Mr. Wilde.

Piano solos, by Mrs. Leavitt.

Song, "Who is Sylvia," by Mrs. Rowe.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

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FOUND—A St. Bernard Dog. Had collar but no name on it. Owner can have by paying charges by applying to WILLIAM S. LYONS, 9 Hayden street, West Quincy, or at the Quincy Police Station. dec20-3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street. Nov. 9. tf

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Dewey Suggested Formation of Watson's Squadron.

Admiral Montijo's Report of Terrible Effectiveness of American Guns.

Washington, Dec. 22.—While the official reports of all commanding officers of the navy during the war treat of events that have already figured in published official reports, the documents still contain many minor reports that throw side lights on interesting phases of the war.

In the brief record of the proceedings of the naval war board, an unknown hero is brought to light in the person of Ensign H. H. Ward, who at the beginning of the war was on duty in the navigating bureau. He volunteered for secret service duty, and his exploits, about which nothing has been said in the past, may well be placed on record beside those of other heroes. Within a week after the declaration of war, Ensign Ward disguised himself and went straight into the heart of the enemy's country, making his headquarters at Cadiz, the principal Spanish naval station, and informing the navy department here of the actual strenght of the Spanish naval vessels and their movements. Then he went to the West Indies and reported everything that was going on there of importance to the American navy. Next he went, in disguise, to Porto Rico, where he was arrested as a suspected spy. By adroitness he managed to secure his release, and, escaping from San Juan, cabled the navy department a full account of the defenses there and the preparations making for the reception of the Spanish squadron under Cervera. All this time even the officials of the navy department were under the impression that Mr. Ward was engaged in installing a system of coast signals on the New England coast. While Ward was in Porto Rico, Ensign Buck, another attache of the navigation bureau, was on the shores of the Mediterranean, in disguise, watching every movement of the squadron under Admiral Camara, which started for the Philippines, but turned back.

Of the strategy board itself, it is said that it was part of its duty to keep informed of all of the movements, resources and plans of the Spanish naval forces through secret agents, and it is now known that the navy was thus informed of all important movements. At times, however, information was conflicting, and decisions had to be made as to which report was true.

The reports of the famous naval battle at Cavite include one from Consul General Wildman. Following it is a report to his government on the same engagement by Admiral Montijo, the commander-in-chief of the ill-fated Spanish fleet. The admiral depicts the bad condition of the Spanish fleet and defenses. He says that the cruiser Castilla was incapable of maneuvering on account of her bad condition, while the defenses at the entrance of Subic bay were very backward. With much disgust he found that the guns which should have been mounted were delayed a month and a half, and he was no less disgusted to find that reliance was had for the defense of the port upon a few torpedoes, not properly placed. Finding Subic bay defenseless, the Spanish squadron repaired to the bay of Manila to meet battle under less unfavorable conditions. The admiral avoided the city, not wishing to draw fire upon it, and prepared his fleet for action, painted his vessels a dark grey, and having the fires spread and springs on all the cables. He says that the forces of Dewey's vessels, leaving out transports, amounted to 21,410 tons, 49,290 horse-power, 163 guns, many rapid-fire; 1750 men, and an average velocity of 17 miles. Against this power of his only five effective ships was 10,111 tons, 11,200 horse-power, 76 guns, very short of rapid-fire; 1875 men and maximum speed of 12 miles.

The admiral describes in vivid language the terrible effect of the American onslaught on the Spanish vessels. He says: The Americans fired most rapidly. There came upon us numerous projectiles, as the three cruisers at the end of the line devoted themselves almost entirely to fighting the Cristina, my flagship. A short time after the action commenced, one shell exploded in the forecastle and put out of action all those who served the four rapid-fire cannon.

"Meantime another shell exploded in the orlop deck, setting fire to the crew's bags. At 7:30 one shell destroyed completely the stearing gear, another destroyed the mizzen, bringing down my flag and ensign. Another shell exploded on the poop and put out of action nine men. A fresh shell exploded in the officers' cabin, covering the hospital with blood, destroying the wounded who were being treated there. Another exploded in the ammunition room. I had to flood the magazine when the cartridges began to explode. One large shell penetrated the fire room, putting out of action one master gunner and 12 men serving the guns; another rendered useless, the starboard bow gun, and, while the fire increased astern, another fire started forward from another shell. The boardside guns continued firing until there were only one gun and one seaman remaining unhurt for serving them. The ship being out of control, the hull, smoke pipe, and mast riddled with shot, or confused with the cries of the wounded, among whom were seven officers, I gave the order to sink and abandon the ship before the magazines exploded."

The story of the loss of the Castella was substantially the story of the loss of all the other Spanish ships, and Admiral Montijo sums up his account with this statement:

"The inefficiency of the vessels which composed my little squadron, the lack of all classes of personnel, especially master gunners and seamen gunners, the inaptitude of some of the provisional machinists, the scarcity of rapid-fire cannon, the strong crews of the enemy and the unperfected character of the greater part of our vessels all contributed to make much more decided the sacrifice which we made for our country, and to prevent the possibility of the horrors of a bombardment of the city of Manila, with the conviction that with the scarcity of our forces against the superior enemy we were going to certain death and could expect a loss of all our ships. Our casualties, including those of the arsenal, amounted to 381 men killed and wounded."

An evidence of the strategy exhibited by the navy department in sending reinforcements to Dewey is shown in a dispatch of June 27, informing him of the coming of the Monadnock. Probably with a view to preventing him from falling into a trap, she was not dispatched directly to Manila, but was ordered to a point 600 miles due east from Cape Engano, where she was to meet one of Dewey's ships.

Apparently the first suggestion of the organization of the flying squadron which was to divert Admiral Camara's squadron from its voyage to Manila came from Dewey, for in a dispatch of June 27, he says: "In my judgment if the coast of Spain is threatened the squadron of the enemy will have to return," and that was exactly what happened.

The report of the operations of the north Atlantic fleet comprises the larger part of the printed matter. Most of the facts have already appeared, but there is an interesting exchange of letters between Secretary Long and Admiral Sampson, showing that even before the outbreak of the war, the admiral had worked out a complete plan for the immediate reduction of Havana with his own squadron, unsupported, and was only prevented from carrying out that plan by orders from the department, which wished to protect the big ironclads.

There is a lively report from Captain Sigsbee of the engagement between the St. Paul, under his command, and the Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror, which resulted in the flight of the latter in a sinking condition into the harbor, where she was run aground to prevent her from sinking. Captain Folger of the cruiser New Orleans testifies to the damage done by the shot of the St. Paul, repeating the testimony of an English resident of San Juan, who examined the Terror.

An unpublished report up to this time is one of Admiral Schley, dated June 1, giving an account of the bombardment by his fleet of the fortifications of Santiago, the day before Sampson arrived on the scene. The report says in part:

"None of our vessels were struck, although the shots fell over and around them. I have learned from the insurgents that the Reina Mercedes was struck by a shell and eight men were killed; also that a number of shots struck the Morro. The reconnaisance developed the fact that the Spanish vessels are in the harbor, and that the fortifications are well provided with long-range guns of large calibre."

The other features of the report have been previously covered, from time to time, in the reports of various officers.

Was "Sweet" on Lena.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Lena Hecker, the girl who was formerly employed in Rollinger's restaurant, appeared at police headquarters yesterday and told of her relations with Rollinger. The police believe her statements give a motive for the crime which Rollinger is accused of—that of murdering and partly cremating his wife. According to Miss Hecker, Rollinger always represented himself as a single man, and when she discovered he had a wife and daughter she gradually broke off relations with him. This made Rollinger angry, and soon after, according to Miss Hecker, Rollinger began to maltreat his wife, and several times accused her of being too careless with the lamp she was accustomed to carry around the house.

The Tariff Squabble.

London, Dec. 22.—The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News says: If symptoms are not deceptive, new tariff controversies are imminent between the United States and Germany. The protectionists here assert that Dr. Von Holleben, German ambassador to the United States, has been instructed to demand a reduction in the duties on sugar, wine and textiles. With regard to wine, Germany claims on the ground of the "most favored" treaty arrangement the same reduction as is granted to France.

The Telegraphers' Fight.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—General Manager Hays of the Grand Trunk road has issued a statement concerning the telegraphers' case. He denies that the company has refused the demand of the men for shorter hours and more pay. He is willing, he says, to adjust individual grievances, but declares that the road will not make a uniform minimum scale, as the telegraphers desire. Mr. Hays says that putting all operators on the same scale would be an injustice to those at important stations.

Weyler Hanged In Effigy.

Havana, Dec. 22.—Effigies of General Weyler were hung yesterday, surrounded by jeering crowds, while small processions marched and countermarched along the streets, shouting constantly. Business is virtually suspended in consequence of the rejoicing over the evacuation. In some instances, bands of Cubans have visited Spanish shopkeepers and compelled them to shout "Viva Cuba Libre," and to wave Cuban flags.

Poolroom Buncoed.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—The National Horse Exchange poolroom in this city has been "done up" for about $3000 by a man who called himself Von Spiegel of New York. It is supposed that the wires were tapped, as the wrong horses, the ones upon which the stranger placed his bets, were sent in.

Moore Trial Is On.

New York, Dec. 22.—The work of getting a jury for the trial of Mrs. Fayne Strahan Moore, codefendant with her husband, William A. E. Moore, convicted of "badgering" Martin Mahon, in a hotel here, was completed yesterday, and the trial was commenced.

Pops In a Hurry.

Topeka, Dec. 22.—The special session of the Kansas legislature was convened yesterday for the purpose of passing a railroad bill and other measures the Populists want enacted into law before Governor Leedy retires from office.

A MILITARY SUCCESS.

General Shafter's Estimate of the Santiago Expedition.

He Took Chances on Crowding Transports.

War Investigating Commission Calls Upon General Miles to Appear.

Washington, Dec. 21.—General Miles yesterday communicated to the war investigating committee his unwillingness to volunteer testimony, and a message was sent to the adjutant general directing him to request the appearance of General Miles before the board. No reply had been received up to 2 o'clock, when General Shafter unexpectedly appeared.

General Shafter gave a detailed account of his preparations for the Santiago expedition. His plans were changed three times by the department and once he started, but was called back by the report of Spanish warships off the coast. The transport fleet was not sufficiently large to accommodate 17,000 men for any length of time at sea, but all were so anxious to go that he risked considerable crowding to take all the men possible. He admitted that he took chances in doing this, but said the weather was good and there was no mishap to regret. The men were regulars almost entirely, fully equipped, and he saw that they were made as comfortable as circumstances permitted.

As to medical supplies, General Shafter said: "You know medical supplies are the one thing that a commanding officer or a line officer never knows anything about. The surgeon is supposed to know what he wants. My medical officer said he thought he had enough medical supplies for the temporary service to which we thought we were destined. Events proved, however, that the surgeon was mistaken. The ammunition supply was ample."

As to supplies, General Shafter said there was nothing essential left behind.

"As to the ambulances, I take the whole responsibility myself. I ordered and supervised their loading. After events proved that it would have been better to take 10 or 15 more, and left that many wagons behind. But wagons can be used for two purposes, and ambulances for but one. I took the wagons, and the wounded had to be transported in them after the first day's fighting."

Of the landing facilities, General Shafter said they had two large barges, one of which was lost en route, and a small tug, the Captain Sam, whose captain deserted during the night. The boat capacity of the transport fleet was sufficient for the landing.

General Shafter had arranged with the Cuban general, Castillo, the day prior to the landing, to have 1000 men back of Baiquiri to catch the Spaniards when they were shelled out by the navy. Castillo was three hours late, however, and all the Spaniards got away.

"How about getting supplies to the front for the men?" asked General Beaver.

"It was the one problem of the campaign, and it taxed us to the utmost," said he. "If it had not been for the pack train we could not have done it, and the expedition would have been a failure."

General Shafter regarded the landing of the expedition as eminently successful. They lost only two men and 30 animals out of a total of 20,000 men. It was a remarkable record.

"A majority of the regimental surgeons left their medical chests on their vessels. When I found this I put Dr. Goodfellow aboard the Mantee and had him collect these chests. As soon as they were landed they were put on four wagons and distributed at once to the men."

At one time, with an army of 21,000 men, he had to issue rations to 40,000 people, the excess being the refugees from Santiago, whom he could not allow to starve. The wounded were cared for as carefully as the circumstances would permit.

"The doctors worked like Trojans, till they were sick and worn out. You can't get very old and experienced surgeons to go on a summer campaign for $100 a month. Compared with the Civil war the wounded were better cared for in Cuba than they were then."

Asked if he thought his own sickness had any effect on the success of the Cuban campaign, General Shafter said:

"No, most decidedly. The campaign was carried out as planned from the start, and my health or sickness did not alter the campaign plan. I knew I was going to have a sick army on my hands in the country pretty soon, and I simply rushed matters to an issue as soon as possible. For myself, I was not seriously sick."

Governor Woodbury asked how the staff officers appointed from civil life turned out. General Shafter said: "They were men, as a rule, who had no previous military experience and might not have been much use in executing a military maneuver. But I had three of them on my staff, and for carrying orders, distributing rations to the refugees and a thousand necessary things, they were invaluable.

"Beginning with Colonel John Jacob Astor, who was perhaps the most inexperienced, they were splendid fellows and did what they had to do. Astor fell in with the work, ate his beans and did his duty as cheerfully and expeditiously as though he had not a dollar. Captain Brice, son of Senator Brice, was an excellent officer, and did fine work in feeding those hungry people at Caney. At times he had to take an axe helve and stand off some of the men who were keeping back the weaker women and children. And he did it effectively."

Worked Too Hard.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 21.—George E. Smith, a Harvard graduate and tutor, was found wandering about the streets here yesterday. He was taken to a police station, and, after being examined by physicians, was declared insane, and committed to the Worcester insane asylum. Smith's companions and fellow students say he had been working altogether too hard of late, and has been cast into melancholia. He is 27 years old.

The Woman and the Directory.

"I have been amused many a time," said a clerk in a drug store, "to note the way women consult the directory. They never turn swiftly to a name like a man, skipping down through the alphabetical subclassification, but pore over it by sections, as if it were a novel. If a man doesn't find a name exactly where it ought to be, he stops instantly and walks off, but a woman will examine everything under that letter before she gives up. Moreover, she is sure to be reminded of other people in the course of the search and never fails to look them up also.

"A lady came in one morning, sat down and opened the book. She would linger over one part for awhile and then turn to another, keeping the places with her fingers and bent apparently on reading the whole thing. Meanwhile at least half a dozen men collected behind her, all waiting impatiently to get a chance at the volume. At last she turned around and was startled to see the crowd. 'Are you quite through, madam?' asked one of the men. 'Oh, yes,' she replied, 'I was just running through it to see who was there.' It's an everyday occurrence for women to come in to wait for a car and get so interested in the directory that they miss a dozen or so. The book seems to have a weird fascination for the sex."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

"A Dangerous Man."

Here is a story illustrative of the ignorance of the colonies that once prevailed in the colonial office and is not yet entirely banished from Downing street. As we all know, the late Lord Carnarvon, when colonial secretary, officially recorded his opinion of Sir Gorge Grey as "a dangerous man." Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, on one of his visits from Victoria, called upon Lord Carnarvon in Downing street, and in conversation chanced to introduce a reference to Sir George Grey.

"A very strange and comprehensible character," said Lord Carnarvon, with a shake of the head. "I hear he has now withdrawn to an island off the coast of New Zealand and surrounded himself with a number of wallabies."

"Oh, yes; I think that is not at all improbable," replied Sir Charles.

"You surprise me," rejoined Lord Carnarvon. "What must be the state of morality in a country where you make light of such a proceeding?"

"Why, my lord, what do you suppose a wallaby to be?"

"A half caste female, of course. Is that not so?"

"Certainly not; a wallaby is simply a small kangaroo."—London Chronicle.

Statistics of Marriage.

The chances at birth that baby will eventually marry are 9 in 20, or rather less than one-half. This result may seem surprising, but it is largely accounted for by the great mortality of persons under marriageable age, especially of infants up to the age of 5. No fewer than 38 per cent of babies die before they are 5 years old, and 44 per cent of the whole population before the age of 18. In England, as in this country, according to belief, the females outnumber the males.

Out of every 100 persons now living, 60 are single, 35 are married and 5 are widowed. So that on the average 1 person in every 20 you meet in the streets, in the train, or wherever it may be, will be either a widow or a widower, and 3 out of 5 will be unmarried. In England an average husband and wife on their wedding day may expect to live together for 27 years, in France only 26, in Holland and Belgium 23, but in Russia 30.—New York Home Journal.

The Hebrew Flag.

One of the results of the Zionist congress at Basel is the reappearance of the Hebrew flag. At the meeting place of the delegates a flag was hoisted which had two blue stripes on a white field, and between these the six pointed star, or sign of David. It was explained at that time that a similar flag was used as the standard of the Hebrews in the days of the Hebrew nation. Pictures and descriptions of the flag came to the United States with accounts of the proceedings of the congress, and dwellers in the New York Ghetto began to look for Hebrew flags. The consequence was that the American Flag company turned out a quantity, for which there was ready sale.—New York Tribune.

Digging For Fish.

The natives of Kottiar, in Africa, are in the habit of digging every year, in the summer, the dry banks of the Vergel river for fish, which they dig out by hundreds, just as they would potatoes. The mud lumps are broken open and the fish, perhaps 8 or 10 inches long, will always be found alive, and often frisky, as if just removed from its supposedly native element—the water. In the dry beds of several African rivers a similar practice is often pursued. A kind of mud fish buries itself while the bottom is still moist, and remains there all the summer, waking up when the rains commence again.

Sandy's Criticisms.

A young Scotchman went to a London school of music, where he learned to play the violoncello fairly well.

On his return to his native village he gathered his friends together to hear his new instrument.

When he had played one or two tunes, he looked up expectantly.

After a slight pause his old grandfather spoke.

"Eh, maun!" he said, "it's a maircy there's na smell wi' it!"—Liverpool Mercury.

His Opportunity.

"I'd like something to eat," said the frazzled pilgrim at the kitchen door. "I'm that tired and hungry I don't know which way to turn." "I'll show you how to do that," encouragingly replied Farmer Haycraft, picking up a dull ax and leading him in the direction of the grindstone.—Chicago Tribune.

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THE HORSE SHOW.

Bourbon Bonnell, 2:16¼, is a new 2:15 trotter for the same sire.

It cost nearly $600 to send Directina, 2:16¾, from Dublin, Cal., to New York.

Two hundred additional box stalls were built during the past summer at Selma, Ala.

Richard Curtis recently drove the 3-year-old pacing filly The Maid, 2:16¼, by Hal Index, a mile in 2:12.

The Iowa pacing mare Jeska, 2:14¼, won five out of eight races the past season and was never unplaced.

The pacing stallion Happy Coaster, 2:16¼, by Happy Wanderer, has been added to the list of geldings.

The Maine pacer A. E. S., 2:21¼, by Pickering, started in 15 races the past season, won ten, was twice second and three times third.

Lucy Gilbert, 2:25¼, record taken last year as a 2-year-old, goes into winter quarters with that record untouched. She started but twice this season.

The Jersey Wilkes pacing mare Colleen, 2:15¼, has won nine out of 15 races the past season and been unplaced but once. Her operations were mostly confined to New England half mile tracks.

J. B. Haggin has purchased the farm of Thomas Muir, near the Elmendorf stud farm, now owned by Mr. Haggin, near Lexington, Ky. The Muir farm contains 600 acres, and the price paid was $60,000.

Captain S. S. Brown has decided to retire from breeding and will sell his entire stud, with the exception of the stallion Troubadour. He has a choice lot of mares, among them Mona, Senorita, Matinee and Performance.

Another winner of the English Derby is coming to America, J. B. Haggin having purchased St. Gatien, who ran a dead heat with Harvester for the Derby of 1884. He is the sire of imp. Meddler, to whom Nancy Hanks was bred last spring.

PERT PERSONALS.

It may even become necessary to hold annual elections in order to satsify the appetite for voting for Pingree.—Detroit News.

As soon as Tod Sloane realized that he had to take second place to General Kitchener as a popular hero he sailed for America.—New York Times.

Weyler says he will now treat the United States with silent contempt. That will be a refreshing change from his usual noisy arrogance.—Denver Post.

Commissioner Peck may not speak French, but he has made the Paris exposition managers understand clearly the magnitude of the interests that the United States will represent in 1900 A. D.—Boston Journal.

By the time Ann Odelia Diss de Bar gets through with her latest aggregation of followers they'll certainly be in appropriate financial condition to carry out her system of open air living on fruits and nuts.—St. Louis Republic.

Admiral Dewey stands today confessed by his own and other countries as the first naval officer of the world, and his ability as a commander and a diplomat is exquisitely blended with the modesty that ever gives the chief adornment to heroism.—Philadelphia Times.

Athletics ought to flourish up in Canada as never before under the new governor general, who has won renown as a gentleman jockey, as a varsity oarsman and as a good man to hounds. As to his qualifications for the governor generalship—well, those are yet to be demonstrated.—Boston Herald.

THE CYNIC.

When people become good to you, look out.

A woman's favorite criticism of a man is that he is "coarse."

A woman seldom discovers the good points of her husband until after he is dead.

Don't call a man's attention to the fact that he has gray hairs in his head; he knows about them.

The average man makes it a point to hear every new minister once, in order to be in position to state his opinion of the man.

A traveling man's honeymoon lasts four times as long as that of the average man, for the reason that he is not at home so often.

We have noticed that when it is announced that a singer's voice is failing the neighbors are not as sorry as they should be.

After a woman gets literary notions she has her picture taken with her head resting on one hand, to give the impression that her brain is heavy and needs support.—Atchison Globe.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES.

There were $7,000,000 given to colleges last year.

Judson college, Marion, Ala., has had the largest opening in the history of the institution.

Barnard college has succeeded in paying a debt of $125,000. At the opening of the fall term 308 young women entered.

German university students have increased in number from about 10,000 25 years ago to 82,241 last year. The increase is out of proportion to the population.

It has been legally decided in Illinois that children may enter school at any time after reaching the proper age, regardless of local regulations requiring attendance to begin at the opening of a school term.

A few weeks ago Briggs S. Cunningham of Cincinnati gave $60,000 to the University of Cincinnati for the erection of a building, and now Asa Van Wormer of Cincinnati has given to the university stock valued at $60,000 for a library hall.

THE MARIA TERESA.

By declining to sink the second time the Maria Teresa shows she is become somewhat Americanized. — Washington Post.

The British talk of picking up the Maria Teresa as a derelict. Have a care, John Bull. She's no horseshoe. — St. Paul Globe.

Cat island is the last resting place of the Maria Teresa. It was thought she had gone to the demnition bowwows.—Syracuse Standard.

After its recent experiences the Maria Teresa is, in spite of all assurances, somewhat shy about getting mixed up with this country's naval organization.—Washington Star.

If the Maria Teresa crew really forsook it on the old ground of even rats leaving a sinking ship, her going to Cat island is quite a commentary on their action.—Philadelphia Times.

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Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs. h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e. Pope's Hill, r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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S. A. Pierce, corner Hancock and School Sts.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 85 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand.
Loring's Pharmacy, Wollaston Park.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—W. E. Cunningham.
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NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

TROOPS IN CAMP

The States Represented and Station of Regiments.

The following interesting announcement of the distribution of troops in camp throughout the United States and our new possessions has just been received. It shows not only where the troops are located but the number of regiments each State has in service. These announcements are issued monthly:

Albany, Ga. — 3d Mississippi, 2d Missouri and 1st Territorial infantry.

Americus, Ga. — 8th Massachusetts, 12th New York and 3d North Carolina infantry.

Annsiton, Ala.—2d United States, 3d Alabama, 2d Arkansas, 4th Kentucky, 3d Tennessee and 4th Wisconsin infantry.

Athens, Ga.—3d New Jersey and 15th Pennsylvania infantry.

Augusta, Ga. — (Headquarters 2d troops)—C and H, 2d United States volunteer engineers, 1st Indiana, 35th Michigan, 15th Minnesota, 10th Ohio, and 8th and 13th Pennsylvania infantry.

Columbia, S. C.—1st Rhode Island and 2d Tennessee infantry.

Columbus, Ga.—160th Indiana, 3d Kentucky and 1st West Virginia infantry.

Greenville, S. C.—4th New Jersey, 203d New York, 2d West Virginia, 4th Missouri, 5th Massachusetts and 21st New York.

Honolulu, H. I.—I, K, L and M, U. S. V. engineers and 1st New York infantry.

Huntsville, Ala., (Headquarters 4th corps)—A and F 2d United States artillery; 2d, 6th, 7th and 10th United States cavalry; 1st, 8th, 10th and 16th United States infantry; F and G 2d United States volunteers engineers and 69th New York infantry.

Macon, Ga., (Headquarters 1st corps)—7th and 10th United States volunteer infantry, 3d United States volunteer engineers, 2d Ohio and 6th Virginia infantry.

Manilla—A, United States engineer battalion, C, E, G, I, K and L, 3d, and D and G 6th artillery; Astor battery; batteries A and D, California, and B, Utah artillery, and 1st Wyoming battery 14th, 18th and 23d United States infantry; 1st California, 1st Colorado, 1st Idaho, 51st Iowa, 20th Kansas, 13th Minnesota, 1st Montana, 1st Nebraska, 1st North Dakota, 2d Oregon, 10th Pennsylvania, 1st South Dakota, 1st Tennessee, 1st Washington and 1st Wyoming infantry.

Knoxville, Tenn. — Thirty-first Michigan and 6th Ohio.

Ponce, Porto Rico—C and M 7th United States artillery, and 9th United States infantry.

San Juan, Porto Rico—Fifth United States cavalry; B and G 5th United States artillery; 11th United States infantry, 6th United States Volunteer infantry and 47th New York infantry.

Santiago, Cuba—Fifth United States infantry, 23d Kansas and 8th Illionis infantry, 2d, 3d, 5th and 9th United States Volunteer infantry.

Savannah, Ga. — (Headquarters 7th corps;—B, C, D, E, G, H, I, K, L and M, 2d; C and F, 3d; B, 4th, and D, 5th United States artillery; B, 2d, and H, 6th United States cavalry; 2d, 4th and 9th Illinois 161st Indiana, 49th Iowa, 2d Louisiana, 3d Nebraska; 1st North Carolina, 2d South Carolina, 1st Texas and 4th Virginia infantry.

Summerville, S. C.—Third Connecticut, 14th Pennsylvania and 9th Ohio batttalion, infantry.

TODAY'S COURT.

Patrick Murphy was fined $8 for assault at Quincy.

Matthew Wagner was fined $5 for peddling jewelry without a license.

Nicholas Gribby and Alonzo Jones were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

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TESTIMONY OF MILES.

Some One In Washington Responsible For Food Experiment.

Rations and Medicines at Santiago Inadequate.

Beef With an "Odor Like an Embalmed Body" Forced Upon Troops.

Washington, Dec. 22.—General Nelson A. Miles and General Wesley Merritt, commander of the American forces at the capture of Manila, were the principal figures before the war investigating commission yesterday. General Miles responded to the summons of the commission only after several days' consideration. He was accompanied by his own stenographer. His examination was comparatively brief.

General Miles was fortified with a large package of papers and had his own stenographer. He opened by describing the railroad confusion in getting war munitions to Tampa, pointed to the lack of government storehouse facilities there and said the cars at one time were held back as far as Columbia, S. C.

He said when the transports were loaded it was found impossible to put more than 15,000 men aboard, and they were equipped as well as possible under the circumstances.

The commissary stores taken, he said, were sufficient, but the medical supplies were inadequate. He had left the loading, except for general directions, to the corps commander, General Shafter. He found, just before sailing, that there were a number of pontoon boats being taken which would be useless for the purpose and he himself had secured two barges from the owners there and had taken other steps, but the supply of such boats taken was very inadequate.

He said before the first fleet sailed from Tampa estimates had been definitely made of the number of boats to be furnished the transports and the number to be furnished by the navy to assist. The most cordial assistance, he added, had been promised on the part of the navy. At Santiago the supply of tentage and food was very limited.

General Beaver—From what you learned and observed while there do you think there was at any time a sufficient medical supply?

General Miles—No, sir.

The witness stated that the hospital accommodations were only of a temporary character. He said that the shelter was bad. The shelter tents did not shelter.

Questioned as to the character of the facilities for transporting the wounded, he said that they were taken in wagons. "Some were exposed in being sent down to the hospitals. I saw one train of wounded men driving along in the drenching rain with nothing to shelter them."

General Miles said the transportation facilities were used to carry supplies to some 15,000 to 20,000 refugees from Santiago and about 5000 Cuban troops. "This," he stated, in answer to a question, "was not expected, because I had cautioned General Shafter to keep the men away from the natives and out of the Spanish buildings of every character. Had he not done as he did, the army would have been much better supplied." He had taken measures personally to correct matters, and on July 12 had telegraphed for a well-equipped corps of pier and bridge builders, etc., and had ordered places burned.

His army in Porto Rico, he said, had been supplied in a way with quartermasters' and commissary stores, but not in the best way. At Porto Rico he had asked that fixed rations be sent, but instead they were sent down in bulk, without invoices or bills of lading, and in many instances stores were spoiled in the hold and thrown away. This caused great embarrassment and loss of stores and deprived troops of food and, he asserted, the scarcity of food largely caused the distress of the troops. He had advised against the shipping of beef to Porto Rico, both because there was abundance of it on the island as well as his belief that it was defective.

"Who fixed that beef as an army ration?"

"You'll have to ask some one here in Washington. You had better ask the secretary of war or the commissary general. It was sent as food. If they had not taken that they would have had to go hungry. If they had sent paymasters down there, as I asked, we could have bought food, but they did not do that."

General Miles suggested that the food was sent to his large army under pretense of an experiment.

General Miles called attention to the fact that good fresh beef could be bought in Porto Pico for 6 cents a pound, American money, and he suggested it might be interesting to compare the cost of the refrigerated beef together with the expense of transportation. He said he did not know but what the chemicals used in treating the beef was responsible for the great sickness in the American army. Reports which he had received concerning it were to the effect that this beef had an odor like an embalmed dead body.

Captain Howell—Were these reports ever brought to the attention of the commissary general?

General Miles—Reports were frequently sent in to him, but he seemed to insist that the beef be used. He said he had never complained to the secretary of war as to the condition of the beef, but had asked that the supply be stopped.

Warner Is Sick.

Northampton, Mass., Dec. 22.—Lewis J. Warner, the defaulting bank president, is confined to the bed in the county jail. He is sick and may not be able to appear in court when his case is called next week.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast

Sun rises—7:11; sets, 4:16.
Moon sets—3:14 a. m.
Full sea—7:30 a. m.; 8:15 p. m.

Fair weather is now indicated for New England, beginning by tonight and probably continuing through Friday. It will be somewhat colder Friday night and Saturday morning; variable winds, becoming westerly by tonight or Friday.

ELECTRIC CARS COLLIDED,

Two Persons Killed and a Dozen More or Less Injured.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 22.—In a electric car collision on the Worcester and Suburban road near Leicester yesterday afternoon, John Kerrigan, aged 45, and Walter H. Holbrook, aged 19, were killed, and a dozen other passengers were more or less seriously injured. The accident was due largely to a thick mist. A large vestibuled car leaving this city for Leicester at 1:40 o'clock had reached the top of what is known as Leicester hill, where it is supposed to wait on a switch for the regular Worcester-bound car So far as can be learned the men in charge of the car attempted to steal the switch and meet the usual in-bound car on the next turnout. This car was in charge of Conductor Michael J. Gallen and Motorman Thomas Hiney, and was fairly speeding over the icy tracks when the other car loomed up in the fog.

The next instant there was a mighty crash and without a moment's warning or an opportunity for escape, 20 people were involved in the horrors of a wreck.

Both of the persons killed and those most seriously injured were upon the city-bound car in charge of Motorman George Hutchins and Conductor George Matoon. Kerrigan was pinned between the seats and instantly killed. Holbrook, who was riding upon the front platform, was thrown under the wreckage and was suffering intense agony when extricated. He was removed to a hospital, where it was found that both legs and one arm were broken, and that he had sustained severe internal injuries. He died two hours later.

Motorman Hutchins jumped just before the collision and saved himself from almost certain death. His car was telescoped while the vestibule car was not badly damaged.

No arrests have been made. This is the third serious accident that has happened upon the line during the past year.

From Capital's Standpoint.

Boston, Dec. 22.—The New England Shoe and Leather association, although 40 years old, had its first banquet last night in this city. Governor Wolcott was there for a few minutes and spoke briefly, laying stress on the prospects of new markets in the territory over which our flag is now flying for the first time.

The after dinner speeches touched upon trade prospects and also upon labor troubles. President Rice criticised labor unions and their action towards manufacturers, and such workmen who refused to obey their dictation. He said: "It is our duty, individually and unitedly, to make a stand against this interference between employer and employed until the evil is removed.

"As conducted now, these organizations, or the secret councils which claim to represent them, are daily violating the principles on which New England government was founded. If we do not eliminate this baneful influence that plants itself in the path of industry, the manufacturing establishments which have made New England what she is will, one by one, be transferred to more favorable localities."

Among the many other speakers were Ara Cushman of Antrim, Me., who declared that the tariff question, if left in politics, would never be settled. S. H. Howe of Marlboro and others also spoke.

Mails Delayed.

Santiago, Dec. 22.—Considerable annoyance is felt here because the postmaster did not forward the mails by the United States cruiser Cincinnati, which left here Tuesday night for Havana. They could have been transferred at Havana to the Plant line steamer, so as to reach New York by Tuesday next. As it is, they must await the steamer Seneca, which will not leave Santiago until next Monday. In this way three weeks elapse between mails.

Killed by Steam.

Ansonia, Conn., Dec. 22.—George Boyd, aged 30, employe of the Farrell Foundry and Machine company, died last night as the result of burns received while working in the inside of one of the company's upright boilers. The fire had been out several hours, but in some manner there was a rush of steam which enveloped him, and he was severely scalded, and inhaled some of the steam.

Will Aid Canal Project.

Colon, Dec. 22.—Dispatches received here from J. M. Marroquin, vice president of Colombia, now at Bogata, and from Senator Zubleta, confirm the report that the Colombian congress will grant the Panama canal company such an extension of time under its concession as may be necessary to complete the canal.

Children Have Grip.

Nyack, N. Y., Dec. 22.—One hundred and fifty pupils of the public schools of this city were kept from school yesterday on account of the grip. Tuesday the number was only half as large. The disease is spreading rapidly in this section, but so far no fatalities have been reported.

Lottery Office Raided.

Boston, Dec. 22.—Captain Gaskins descended on an office in a Washington street building yesterday and nearly 5000 lottery tickets were seized, and Hibbard Debill was arrested on the charge of setting up and promoting a lottery.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Railroads are to make a $100,000 exhibit at the Paris exhibition.

EugeneRoach was killed by an express train at Boston. He was 50 years old, and leaves a family.

Thomas Barrett and Solomon Schultz, laborers, were badly hurt by the caving in of an embankment at Brookline, Mass. Schultz may die.

J. M. Emerson, president of the Brotherhood Wine company of New York, died at Plainfield, N. J., aged 75. He was born in Methuen, Mass.

Lieutenant General Sankey, K. C. B., of her British majesty's service, arrived at New York on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. He wears many decorations.

The Broom Manufacturers association of the United States met at Chicago and unanimously voted to advance the price of brooms 25 cents a dozen. The opinion is expressed that an additional advance is certain to be made.

Ebeneza A. Tibbetts, one of the most prominent citizens of Somersworth, N. H., is dead, aged 74. Mr. Tibbetts was the senior member of the firm of E. A. Tibbetts & Son, and had been engaged in business for 57 years. He represented Somersworth one term in the legislature.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Georgie A. and Charles C. Rich of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Wilmot V. Everson, dated Dec. 20th, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 804, page 430, which mortgage has been duly assigned to Charles W. Glidden, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, January 17, 1899, at 9 o'clock in the morning, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in said Quincy on the westerly side of Bennington street, being lot numbered twenty-nine (29) on a plan of lands of George H. Field, made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, and duly recorded in Norfolk County Registry, and dated May 4th, 1892, it being the same premises conveyed to Georgie A. Rich by deed of even date from Wilmot V. Everson. Said lot numbered twenty-nine (29) is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Bennington street and running southeasterly fifty (50) feet; thence turning at an angle of ninety degrees and running southwesterly one hundred twenty-five (125) feet; thence running at a right angle northwesterly fifty (50) feet; thence running northeasterly one hundred twenty-five (125) feet to the point of beginning, containing six thousand two hundred fifty (6,250) square feet.

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THE MURDERED BURGLAR.

The Mysterious Shooting Still the Talk of the Town.

Metropolitan Dailies All Over the Country Give It Considerable Space.

All Efforts to Identify the Dead Body Futile---Suspicious Party Locked Up by Officer Larkin.

The mystery surrounding the dead burglar found at the residence of John Shaw on Thursday morning is as deep today as the hour when he was found.

Chief Litchfield, Inspector Ferguson, Boston police, and dozens of wide awake newspaper men were hard at work all day Thursday until late at night, chasing up this clue and that clue, but as to the dead man's identity and who fired the fatal shot are still unsolved mysteries.

That the fellow was shot by someone on the outside of the house no one now doubts, in view of the facts that have come to light. This conclusion was arrived at from several circumstances, and the hour that the shooting took place has been fixed beyond all doubt.

Mr. George H. Brown, the well known real estate man, resides on Elm street almost directly opposite the residence of Mr. Shaw. Mr. Brown says that he had been having trouble with his teeth and was somewhat wakeful all night. During the night he and Mrs. Brown were aroused by the sound of a pistol shot, followed by a sharp cry. The next he heard was someone run down the plank walk at Mr. Shaw's house. He has no doubt about its being Mr. Shaw's walk as there are but two plank walks upon the street, his own and Mr. Shaw's. The boards on his walk are loose and for that reason he could readily tell by the sound which walk it was.

Mr. Brown immediately got up, and raising the window shade, looked out, but saw nothing. He then looked at the clock and the time was 3.15.

The men employed at Ring Bros., bakery on Washington street also heard the shot at the same hour. They rushed out but saw nothing. This leads to the belief that the party who fired the fatal shot was on the outside.

This is further established by the autopsy held Thursday afternoon at Hall's undertaking rooms by Medical Examiner Gilbert, Assistant Examiner Jones, Dr. Hunting and Dr. Hayford. This showed that the bullet entered 3 1-2 inches above the right nipple in an upward direction, and passing through the upper lobe of the lung severed an artery. It then deflected toward the right and lodged in the spine. The bullet proved to be a 38-calibre, which was also the size of the cartridges found in the mitten on the dead man's body.

Medical Examiner Gilbert gave it as his opinion that the bullet had been fired by some one who was below, that it was fired in an upward direction, and that the man could not have lived three minutes after being shot, and probably died on the spot.

Following up the clue of the party who was heard running down the walk comes the story of the fellow held up on Mill street by Officer Larkin. This was at 3.30 and had the fellow who fired the shot ran down Washington street, then gone down Pond street into Mill street to the spot where he was held up by Officer Larkin, the time required would have been about fifteen minutes. This is the direct line he must have gone in for had he gone toward City Square or up Elm street he must have been seen by the bakers or Mr. Brown.

When Officer Larkin overhauled the fellow he was trembling as though chilled. Upon being questioned he gave his name as Fred Clayton and said he had been down to the lake and was on his way to Boston.

Officer Larkin was suspicious and took the fellow to the police station, where he was searched. Some money was found in his pockets but there was no revolver. The fellow remained at the station until 5.30 when he was released and took the 6 o'clock train for Boston.

This fellow the police would now like to find. He is described as being about 20 years of age, large eyes, 5 feet 8 inches tall, dark hair and light complexion. He wore a dark brown mixed suit, dark overcoat and black derby hat.

Thursday afternoon it was learned that a stoker of the Cunard steamer Catalonia was missing. The story was that two stockers, one by the name of Timothy Smith, had gone away the night before, but while Smith had returned the other fellow had not. As Smith answered the description of the fellow who gave Officer Larkin the name of Clayton, he was placed in irons and the police notified.

Chief Litchfield, Inspector Ferguson and Officer Larkin took the 10.08 train for Boston Thursday night, and visited the steamer, but Officer Larkin failed to recognize Smith as the man he held up. This exploded that clue.

It was also learned, Thursday that a clerk in the Globe Clothing Co.s' store in Boston had on Dec. 12 sold the suit of clothing worn by the dead man to a man who gave his name and address as James Emerson, Green street, Jamaica Plain.

It was further learned that letters addressed to J. Emerson had been delivered at the stable of Alfred Paperieau, on Green street, Jamaica Plain.

Mr. Paperieau was away all day Thursday but upon his return that night said there was a John Emerson who had received letters there, but he had been dead a year.

In the pockets of the dead man was a ticket from Boston to Waltham. This was overlooked in the description of the articles found upon the dead man published Thursday.

This morning Inspector Tryder of Boston and Inspector McKenny of Waltham visited Quincy to see if they could identify the remains. Inspector Tryder did not recognize them, but Inspector McKenna of Waltham said he thought he had seen the fellow about Waltham but could not recall under what circumstances.

This morning Officer Newcomb searched the meadow along the canal on Pond street to see if he could find the revolver in case Clayton had thrown it away but although he searched several hours he found no trace of it or anything that could be connected with the so-called Clayton.

As the case stands now the police believe that the dead man is James Emerson, and that he was shot by his pal, who was possibly, the missing Clayton, and Clayton is therefore a much wanted man.

LATER.

This noon, Mr. Noah Smith of the Globe Clothing Co. of Boston came to Quincy and viewed the remains. As soon as the man's face was uncovered he stepped back a few paces and after gazing intently at the face a minutes said, "Yes, that is the man to whom I sold a suit of clothes, Dec. 12th."

Mr. Smith then examined the clothnig and positively identified the suit and to prove it, showed where he had shortened the sleeevs of the coat and the trousers legs to fit the fellow, who waited he said in the store while the alterations were being made. He also said the fellow gave the name of James Emerson, Green street, Jamacia Plain as before noted.

While Mr. Smith, the officer and reporters were gathered, a tall gentleman entered the room, and going up to the body looked at the right cheek where there is a little discoloration as though caused by powder. He then stepped back and took a good look at the man, and was then about to walk off when he was stopped and questioned by Inspector Ferguson.

To the Chief and Inspector, the gentleman said he felt certain that the man was a party who worked for him six years ago, but he had not seen him

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GIRL MISSING.

Anxiety for Viola Brooks, a Coddington School Pupil.

Viola Brooks, a grandaughter of Mrs. E. J. Carr of 8 Adams street, with whom she lived, has been missing since Thursday afteroon, and although the police and her friends searched nearly all Thursday night for her they were unable to obtain any trace after 4.30 o'clock, when she was seen on Newcomb street.

From what can be learned, the girl had taken some money that did not belong to her. Part of it she expended for a gold bracelet for one of the teachers at the Coddington school. She also gave a playmate $1.50, who says that she still had quite a roll left. The girl went to school in the afternoon, as usual, and after school instead of going home she wandered about the streets and called upon some friends. When seen on Newcomb street at 4.30 she said that she was not going home that night, but intended to sleep in some out-building at the school.

It was about 8 o'clock when the police were notified and Officers Lyons and Denward were detailed to search for her. They obtained the keys to the Coddington school building and searched there and also the out-buildings in that vicinity. They also visited the homes of her playmates, but no trace was found after the hour she was seen on Newcomb street.

She was 12 or 13 years of age, with light hair. When last seen she wore a red tam-o-shanta hat, brown sack and a lansdown dress with white stripes.

FIRE ALARM SOUNDED.

At 11.45 this noon an alarm was sounded from Box 26 to assemble a crowd to search for the missing girl. The central station apparatus was notified that the box was to be sounded, but Hose 4 and Engineer Ripley were not, and they responded to the alarm. Parties of children were made up and went out looking for her.

The police think that the girl will turn up before night.

Henry White, a schoolmate, tells the police that he saw her on Granite street this morning and tried to catch her but she ran away from him.

A Clever Job.

Mr. Dorety, janitor at the Massachusetts Fields school, impersonated "Jack the steeple climber," Thursday afternoon. The flag halyards on the 52-foot staff in the school yard were broken during the late storm, and it was necessary to run another through the block at the top, before Old Glory could be seen in its accustomed place. Some time ago also, the brass eagle which perched so proudly upon the top of the staff was blown down and since then has been stored away, but today it can be seen in its lofty position again with its wings proudly spread and looking down upon the—perhaps — future city fathers and schoolmarms as they daily pass to and from their studies. It required steady nerves and a cool head to do this job, but Mr. Dorety is nothing, if not cool.

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NOTICE!

THE Thomas Crane Public Library will close Saturday, Dec. 24, at 6 P. M., and will be closed MONDAY, Dec. 26.

Per Order of the Trustees.

Quincy, Dec. 21.—4t 24-1w

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

Teeth, $10.00 per Set.

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All work and materials the best.

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Quincy, Nov. 1. 1p 6m

IN PEACE.

A track of moonlight on a quiet lake
Whose small waves on a silver sanded shore
Whisper of peace and with the low winds make
Such harmonies as keep the woods awake
And listening all night long for their sweet sake,
A green laved slope of meadow, hovered o'er
By angel troops of lilies, swaying light
On viewless stems, with folded wings of white,
A slumberous stretch of mountain land, far seen
Where the low westering day, with gold and green,
Purple and amber, softly blended, fills
The wooded vales and melts among the hills;
A vine fringed river, winding to its rest
On the calm bosom of a stormless sea,
Bearing alike upon its placid breast,
With earthly flowers and heavenly stars impressed,
The hues of time and of eternity.
—J. G. Whittier.

HER DIAMONDS.

"Sir! Lady to see you on most urgent business. Waiting in the library—a Mme. Otterburn."

My knife and fork were down in an instant—a fatal, never forgotten instant. Perhaps I alone knew that it was madame's unexpected deposit of $300,000 which not so long before had saved the collapse of our private concern by the most thrilling margin. And madame herself was—well, the most impressive and fascinating woman that had ever swept through the bank doorway.

"Close the door!" she whispered quickly, then leaned across. "Dear Mr. Henry, I had such a vital reason for intruding so late. There, take them!" She whisked a battered morocco case from her seal muff and sank back with an indescribable relief.

"Thank heaven, now I can dare to breathe! I trust you, and—well, you may have guessed by this that I am not so sure of my husband. Deeds? No; they're part of the family jewels. My aunt is dead, you know, and they only came into my hands today. I came here like the wind. Look for yourself. Lock them away, and—mind—give them up to no one save myself in person. The key—here. Mr. Henry, aren't they maddeningly superb?"

My lips parted simultaneously with the lid. I stared down with a sort of sick feeling that I had certainly never experienced at sight of treble the value of coin. There were a few opals and a little packet of seed pearls—but it was the diamonds, a necklet and a tiara of them. I snapped the lid and looked across at madame incredulously. Did she mean it?

"Not here—why, no!" she exclaimed, guessing. "To be lodged at the bank, in the safe, you understand. Mr. Henry, if my husband had the barest idea, he would come flying back from his shooting in Scotland at once, so I place them with you in case of anything. Poor Otterburn!" she sighed. "It is his temperament, but he would realize upon himself, if he could!"

"To be given up to no one save yourself? Very good, you will lock it and retain the key, please. Till morning—yes, for the time being they ought to be safe enough in this cabinet. One moment, madame. You must have a receipt."

I was conscious all the evening of a vague uneasiness—12 o'clock. My wife had retired—the servants also. It was the queerest coincidence that I decided to smoke another cigar in solitude, and that the weed burned for nearly an hour, for just at the end of that time the strangest thing happened.

The hall bell gave an uncertain tinkle. So down I went, turned on the electric switch there, opened the door—and there stood—

"Mme. Otterburn!" I said just above my breath.

"Me!" Looking past me, she said it in a dull, mumbling voice. "I have come for my jewels. Let me have them, please."

Her carriage—where was it? And madame herself, as she stepped past me into the hall, seemed somehow a different person. How? I could not sum it up till afterward, but the richness was missing from her voice, she was strangely white and haggard, and she stared ahead as if some nameless trouble had overtaken her in that six hour interval. Could it be—no, it was madame herself.

"My jewels, please!" she repeated, just a break in her dull voice. "He says—he says I am to bring them back, or something will happen. I must."

She followed me into the library. "There, madame, just as you left them," and I handed her the case.

"Thank you, thank you." As she said it I noticed a striking fact: Her teeth were gone—the two white rows I had often admired. False, then. That explained the alteration in her voice. But she was moving off without another word.

"Madame!" I gasped. Her hand was actually upon the door catch. "Really, I must insist upon seeing you safely home in the circumstances. If you will wait one second"—

I ran up the stairs for hat and boots. But I had barely reached my room when I heard the door below click and close.

And it was not until I had got back to the smoking room that I recollected I had actually omitted to ask her for the return of that receipt.

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A week passed. I had heard nothing of madame or her jewels. Another week. When at last she was announced one morning, I felt positively nervous for the moment. Then in she swept, her teeth as white, her step as stately, her smile as fascinating as ever. Dear Mr. Henry! About those troublesome mining shares—should she sell or hold?

"Hold, by all means." I sat back, with a smile of relief. "Er—I see I need not ask as to whether you reached home safely with your treasure. Do you happen to have that receipt with you, madame, or did you destroy it? For the jewels, I mean."

"Jewels? Destroy it?" Not in a dozen years shall I forget my sensations as madame repeated that, her smile fading into a fixed stare. "Mr. Henry! Whatever do—why, you have my jewels in the bank here!"

"W-what!" Was she really mad? How long we sat gazing at each other I do not know. "Indeed!" I got out at length. "You surely—Mme. Otterburn, I cannot appreciate jokes of this order!"

"Jokes?" She had swayed to her feet. "Jokes?" she whispered again. "Mr. Henry! I put them into your own hands in your own house."

"Certainly you did. And you called at my house an hour after midnight, on the same day, and took them away again."

"I called at your house again and—Mr. Henry, explain yourself, do! I was never at your house but the once in my life. I gave you the case and took your own receipt. Really, I—this is too ridiculous!"

"Mme. Otterburn, think! It was about 1 o'clock. You rang the bell twice. You seemed to be in trouble—your husband, you simply said, had told you to get back the jewels. I gave them to you, and you left the house before I could get my hat. You don't remember—that?"

"I've been robbed!" She put out a shaking hand. "Mr. Henry, as heaven hears me, I have not touched that case since I put it into your hands. I did have words with my husband that night when he came home, but for you to say—I go straight to the police. Please allow me to pass!"

"Madame, one moment!" I was gathering my wits. I must not let her go off impetuously like that. "Will you wait—just three days? If in three days nothing transpires, I'll call in the first detective in London at our own expense. Madame, you must. It there is any mystery behind this, it is the most extraordinary one that ever saw the light. Will you promise that?"

She did eventually, and walked out to her carriage like a person thoroughly dazed.

Those three days went by—how I could never say. I had done nothing. Was merely waiting in an agony of suspense. And then on the third evening I received a telegram. It was from madame. "Come here instantly."

I stood in a sweat of hesitation for awhile, and then took a cab direct to the office of a well known private detective. By the merest chance he was in. Five minutes later the pair of us were bowling along toward madame's house and—what?

A maid, looking scared, showed us up at once to madame's boudoir. There lay madame on a couch, and there was a stench of eau de cologne, and a doctor, stooping over her, held up a finger in warning, but madame had seen me. She sprang up, with almost a scream, and held something out.

The jewel case!

"Mr. Henry! Mr. Henry! It was there in my duchesse drawer under some rubbish, and it was not there three hours ago. See, they have not been touched. But—oh, heavens!—it was not there three hours ago! Mr. Henry, come here! I never called for them—I never did in this world."

I took the case mechanically. Yes, there were the pearls and opals safe enough—and the diamonds, above all. The one thing that seemed clear now was that madame's mind had gone. What else?

"Er—let me see those." It was the detective's quiet voice at my shoulder. "H'm! I suppose the lady knows that these stones are only the very best paste?"

"It's false," came madame's husky whisper. "It's"— she broke off.

The door behind had opened and a small, dark, pale man stood staring in the opening.

Before we could think or he could turn a husky whisper hissed across the room and made us all start.

"Ah-h!" it said, and her finger reached out at him. "You—you dare to move. Otterburn, you got the case from Mr. Henry. You know how it was got, how it was put back there."

"Don't be a fool," he said, leaning toward his wife. "The case—you got it yourself. Oh, you may stare. I saw you with my own eyes. You never walked in your sleep, did you?"

"There's Mr. Marsh. He'll tell you that he has known about madame's insomnia for years. Her brain impels her to do outrageous things in her sleep, but she'll always deny it."

"Quite so." The doctor, looking round from the couch, was the first to speak. "I know Mrs. Otterburn too. If I may say so, this gentleman here says—well, he states that the real stones have been extracted. Perhaps that can be explained away too."

He halted, looking around. No one smiled. No one spoke. Of a sudden he snatched a small packet from his vest pocket and flung it toward the couch.

"All right, then, there's her real precious stones. Now she can say and do what she likes, can't she?"—Tit-Bits.

Poland's Salt Mines.

The salt mines of Wieliezka, near Cracow, Poland, were mentioned in 1044, and have been worked since 1240. The first map of the mines was made in 1638 by Martin German, a Swedish mine surveyor. The eight shafts now in existence are from 207 to 985 feet deep, and the length of the levels now open is 345,000 feet, with 115,500 feet of underground tram lines. Between 1772 and 1892 about 3,000,000 cubic yards have been excavated of salt. Machine drills are now used, and compressed powder is employed in blasting. About 1,187 pounds of powder are used per ton of salt produced. The present levels are 7¼ feet high by 6¼ feet wide.

Easy Enough.

The old man sighed as he took the golden haired, laughing little boy upon his knee, and, stroking his shining tresses, said, "Ah, how much I should like to feel like a child again!"

Little Johnny ceased his laughter, and, looking up in his grandfather's face, remarked, "Then why don't you get mamma to spank you?"—Exchange.

The Clever Burglar.

The burglar who does several "jobs" and eludes the officers of the law is a keen observer, a man of forethought, and one whose executive ability is unquestioned. Houses are not entered because they have brownstone fronts, nor are stores broken into by the professional thief without an investigation. When the skillful burglar is to do a "job," he studies the habits of the resident or proprietor. In a case in Troy a few years ago a jewelry store was robbed. Apparently there was not a clew. Detectives were placed on the case and named the thieves by the method employed in getting into the store, and subsequently the thieves were convicted. Certain burglars always enter a cellar and come up through stairs, floor or trapdoors. Others have skeleton keys. Others go above and come down stairs. Some break in rear and others front doors. In the robbery above referred to the two thieves had been in Troy three successive Saturday nights. They had fastened a silk thread on all entrances in such a way that if any one entered or left the store the thread would be broken. Thus the burglars learned that the proprietor and clerks did not visit the store after closing Saturday night until Sunday. The fourth Saturday night they "cracked" the safe. Except for their methodical way of entering (by the cellar) no suspicion would have attached itself to them.—Troy Times.

A Disgusted Hero.

The story of Sergeant Walker, who was kept prisoner for six weeks by the Afridis and was court martialed for being "absent without leave," reminds me of an Indian tale of 1757, when a man-o'-war's man, Strahan by name, captured almost single handed one of the forts on the Hoogly. The fort, which was strongly situated, was invested by the admiral, and Strahan, during the time of midday repose, wandered off "on his own" in its direction. Gaining the walls without discovery, he took it into his head to scale a breach made by the cannon of the ships, and on reaching the platform he flourished his cutlass and fired his pistol at "the niggurs," shouting, "The place is mine!"

The native soldiers attacked him, and he held his own with indomitable pluck till re-enforced by one or two other tars who had straggled out of camp and heard his huzzas. The enemy, unprepared from this ill timed attack and fearing further invaders, fled from the fort upon the opposite side, leaving 20 cannon and a large store of ammunition. Much to Strahan's surprise, he was lectured by the admiral for his breach of discipline, and he was dismissed with hints of future punishment. "Well," said Strahan, "if I'm flogged for this here action, I'm d——d if I ever takes another fort as long as I lives!"—London Sketch.

Horsepower.

Watt, the great improver of the steam engine, introduced into the vocabulary of machinists the term horsepower. When he first began the manufacture of steam engines, he experienced much difficulty in ascertaining from his distant customers what sized engine they required, and they were not less puzzled how to communicate to him the information. He was frequently guided, however, by their mentioning the number of horses which the engine ordered was designed to replace. Acting upon this hint, he ascertained by experiment that the very strongest of the London brewers' horses (animals of wonderful size and strength) could exert a force equivalent to raising 33,000 pounds one foot in a minute. This force he called one horsepower, and adopted it as the standard in regulating the size of steam engines. Now, not one horse in 100 is able to exert that degree of strength. A steam engine of ten horsepower can, in reality, do the work of about 20 horses. —New York Ledger.

Legend of the Tea Plant.

Dharma, the ascetic priest, was the son of a king of India. He went into China, and for the space of nine years he remained in contemplation in a temple. Later he went to Japan, and he died on Mount Katavka. He imposed upon himself, as the first rule of his life, privation from sleep. One day, indignant at falling asleep, he cut off his eyelids and threw them away as miserable sinners. From the spot where the eyelids had fallen sprang up a bush which is the tea plant, affording the perfumed beverage which chases away sleep.—Vick's Magazine.

An English Dozen.

I was in a well known lampshop with a friend the other day. He was seeking some of those stubby candles of generous diameter which are used as night lights in sickrooms. The price was 50 cents a box. "A dozen in a box?" he asked. "No, 11." "But why not a dozen?" "Box isn't big enough," said the shopkeeper. "But why don't they make the box big enough?" asked my friend. "Because they're English." That was all.—Time and the Hour.

A Detective Agency.

Sweet Girl—Pa, the house next door was robbed last night.

Pa—Mercy! Next door!

Sweet Girl—Yes, and the burglars have been in two or three houses on this terrace within a week.

Pa—I know it. I know it. It's terrible. But what can we do?

Sweet Girl—I was thinking it might be a good plan for Mr. Nicefellow and me to sit up a few nights and watch for them.—Pearson's Weekly.

Many of the convicts in French prisons are paid for their labor and earn about 1s. 5d. a day. Half of this they are allowed to spend for extra food, postage, etc., and the rest is saved, to be given to them on their discharge.

Every day 200,000 cigars are smoked in London.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Dec. 25—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—"Truths taught by Christmas."—Luke ii, 8-20.

The topical reference is Luke's story of the birth of Christ—the story of how when born He was laid in the manger, of the coming of the shepherds, their fear and their joy, of the angels' song of heaven, "Glory to God In the Highest," and of the wonderment of the people; matchless, marvelous, joyous story, that has brought hope into the heart of millions of human beings and that will continue to do so while the world stands.

Christmas teaches many important truths, and the search for truth at Bethlehem is singularly appropriate on a Christmas day that comes on the Sabbath. The truths of Christmas are hopeful, inspiring and joyful. They fill us with joy. They inspire us with hope. They make the world look brighter and rob the future of its terror. The birth of the Son of God as the Saviour of the world was enough to dispel even the despondency and gloom of the world in the time of Christ. It should be enough to make the present age ring with joy and gladness.

1. Christmas teaches a lesson on God's love. "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son" for it. This "giving" had its first actual demonstration on the first Christmas day. The birth of Christ at Bethlehem was the first earthly step toward Calvary and its great gift. It was the beginning of the fulfillment of prophecy, which declared the greatness of the love of God for the world. It was as much the love of God that gave Christ at Bethlehem as it was at Calvary.

2. Christmas teaches a lesson on faith. It teaches us to trust and believe in God, although we cannot understand all about God. As we look at the Babe of Bethlehem and see in Him both God and man we are astounded at the miracle before us. Who can fathom the mystery of the incarnation of the "word made flesh?" Who can understand it? Who can explain it? No human mind, but we can believe it. The future life of the Babe of Bethlehem proved Him to be both God and man. We can believe it, but not fathom it. God, both in His attributes and in His dealings with men, is unfathomable. The great doctrines of Christianity are beyond finite human understandings. "Now we see through a glass darkly." But we can believe in God, though we cannot fully understand Him.

3. Christmas teaches a lesson on salvation. It teaches us that the world is to be saved from sin. "Unto you is born * * * a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord." The world is to be saved. What a glorious, hope inspiring truth! The Son of God is the Saviour; therefore the salvation will not fail.

4. Christmas teaches a lesson on the faithfulness of God to His promises. Christ was promised. Christ came. God has been and always will be faithful to His promises.

Bible Readings.—Gen. iii, 15; Isa. ix, 6, 7; xi, 1-9; Math. ii, 1-12; Luke, ii, 1-14; xv, 1-24; John iii, 16; I Cor. vi, 19, 20; xiii, 12; Heb. x, 23.

Christ's Example.

He was always teaching them good and sending them in the strength of His teaching to do good, thus nourishing their souls unto eternal life, and when they had done their service of love He loved to break bread and give to them for the nourishment and refreshment of their bodies, and now all along the road He had been sharing with them His own joy in the fulfillment of the Scriptures and in the new fullness of the divine love in His heart. They listened and got from His glowing words a new inspiration of Christian love and thought—an inspiration which is still in the words, and will never leave them, and when they were come into the house and were set down to meat it was but the outward form of the same thing to take bread and bless and break and give to them. He did it as He had ever done it, only now with a new fullness of love springing from His own new joy. —Helper.

Begin Now.

We shall spend the eternal ages in glorifying the Lamb that was slain. Would it not be seemly to begin now upon that which is to be our real life work? How vain it is to spend our few years on earth in magnifying our foolish selves and trying to make for ourselves a name that will be forgotten long before our tombstone crumbles into dust when instead we might share in the noblest work of the highest archangel in heaven—the exaltation of Jesus the Christ.—William T. Ellis.

Be Not Discouraged.

Often a minister is discouraged, and, as he thinks, with reason. Yet let him take heart; God sees results that are not apparent to him. If he is faithful to his commission, he cannot wholly fail, for the preaching of the gospel is a most sensible business. It is the employment of a divinely appointed means, a means thoroughly calculated to reach the desired end, the use of means exactly adapted to meet a want that is the deepest want of the human soul.—Moravian.

My Name.

There is a hand—a bleeding hand—
That graves my name and makes it stand,
An unerased and glorious thing,
Among the records of the King.

God, bending from his throne above,
Takes up his pen that's dipped in love
And signs on page of fairest scroll
The names of those whom Christ makes whole.

And there—e'en there—my poor, weak name,
That merits an eternal shame,
He writes in characters so bright
That angels cannot bear the sight.

O blessed hand, O sacred heart,
That wills that I should have a part
In rapt'rous scenes of heavenly bliss,
What wonder could be more than this?
—New York Observer.

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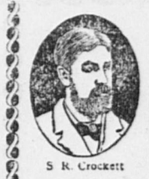
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CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

No Ledegr on Monday next.

The public schools have closed for the holidays.

Mr. F. E. Leines has gone to Dorchester to reside.

Christmas eve and New Years eve dances are not in it this year.

The Norfolk Downs depot is being brightened by the painters brush.

This soft weather is causing streets and sidewalks to cave in at places.

A gang of laborers are at work filling up the Brook street sewer trench.

The American Telegraph Co. are putting in a line of new poles on Willard street.

Grip is very prevalent in the city, and the doctors report several cases, some of them severe.

The frame work for the new house of George Elcock on Copeland street, was raised this week.

H. Coran, the West Quincy Ledger agent, has a large line of Christmas goods at rock bottom prices.

Continued unsettled weather, but the prediction is fair and colder Saturday and probably Christmas day.

Mrs. William Sidelinger is coming to Quincy Point to spend Christmas with Councilman Sidelinger.

Mrs. Warren G. Comey of Greanleaf street died suddenly this morning after only a few days' illness.

It was not the Quincy fire alarm whistle which blew so frequently last night, but the Braintre system.

The City Square stores including the markets will be closed on Monday, which will be observed as a holiday.

The Rev. Walter Russell Breed has a bright little boy, only two years old who speaks French as well as English.

Mrs. E. W. H. Bass and Mrs. C. C. Hearn received the prizes at whist, given by the Granite City club on Wednesday evening.

Dr. Pattee's History of Quincy would make an appropriate Christmas or New Year's present. A few copies are for sale at the Quincy Patriot office.

Bethany church believes in patronizing home industries. So far as possible the Christmas presents for the tree tomorrow evening have been purchased in Quincy.

One of our local citizens will impersonate Santa Claus at the Park and Downs Congregational church on Saturday evening and a good time is promised for the little ones.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dexter of Randolph, who have been seriously ill with diphtheria, have fully recovered. Mr. Dexter formerly resided at West Quincy.

All of the presents and the candy for the Christmas tree at the Universalist church were purchased in Quincy. The stores should certainly feel grateful to Mr. Faxon as the Snnday schools for his generosity.

The steamer "John J. Hill" was hauled off of Wollaston beach by Boston Tow Boat Co.'s tugs on Thursday morning. Another haul will land her in deep water She was moved about 500 feet. The tugs Vesta, William Sprague and Curlew did the work.

MURDERED BURGLAR

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since that time. He also gave the fellows name and where it was he had employed him. He also gave the officer his own name but he made them promise not to tell, as he did not want to get mixed up in the affair.

The police kept their word, but one of the reporters recognized him as a Mr. Johnson of Waltham, formerly connected with the Law and Order League.

The name of the fellow, that the gentleman gave, the police also refuse to divulge until they have made some further investigation, but they feel quite confident that they are now on the right track.

Chief Litchfield and Inspector Ferguson left for Boston on the 1.12 train, to follow up the clue, promising to telephone the reporters as soon as they had seen the parties they were after.

Pilgrim Fathers.

It was a very appropriate date, Forefather's day, for the new colony of Pilgrim Fathers to be known as Greenleaf colony, No. 217, to be instituted in Quincy. It was through the efforts of J. P. McColough that the new colony was instituted, and J. Scolly Taft of Keene, N. H., the Supreme Governor and Dr. Emory L. White of Somerville the Supreme Medical Examiner, set the wheels in motion at French's hall, Thursday evening.

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—The chicken house of John Mackin, a millionaire cock-fighter of Chicago, is one of the wonders of the West. It is a stone mansion, said to have cost about $250,000. The millionaire makes his home with his chickens. The house has thirty-four rooms. A large staff of servants divide their time between Mackin and his feathered pets. Mackin is a big, athletic man, who made his money in real estate, and boasts of his love of cock-fighting.

MILTON.

The fire department had quite a stubborn fire to fight last week Thursday night in the old "Granite House," formerly known as the "Blue Bell." The fire was discovered about 6 o'clock and when the department arrived a brisk blaze was found in progress in one of the rooms on the top floor, occupied by the servants. There had been a strong smell of smoke about the building for two hours, and as the fire had been burning all that time it had made good headway. A hole was burned through the roof before the fire was extinguished, The cause of the fire is a mystery but may have been caused by rats and matches. The loss will not be over $500.

Mr. Randall of Boston delivered a lecture, on Spain, illustrated with the stereopticon, at the meeting of the Thursday Evening club, at Ellsworth hall on Thursday evening.

Schools closed Thursday until after-New Year's.

The Rugby Associates are arranging for another dance to be held in Ellsworth hall in January.

Mr. A. S. Green who has been quite sick with the measles is recovering.

There will be no Chrismas tree at the Baptist church this year, but there will be special Christmas services on Sunday.

John Shields has five children sick with scarlet fever.

Patrick Maguire has returned from a brief business trip to New York.

All of the scarlet fever patients and there are quite a number are reported as doing well.

Special Christmas services will be held at the East Milton Congregational church Sunday morning, with preaching by Rev. Mr. Mulnix of Hyannis. In the evening there will be a Christmas concert by the Sunday School.

On Christmas afternoon, at 4.30 P. M., the Sunday School of St. Michael's church, Milton, will unite with that of the Mission of Our Saviour, in Ellsworth hall. The service will consist of carols by the children, and with the aid of a stereopticon the Christmas story will be told from the world's great masterpieces of art. The evening service is at 7.30. Every one is most heartily welcome. The Christmas tree and sociable for the whole mission will be held in the Ellsworth building on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, at 8 o'clock. There will be speaking and the singing of carols and a Santa Claus who will distribute presents to all the children. Cake and coffee will also be served.

—A precious pair has been operating in Brockton. They advertise to give women pleasant work at home, and when the applications came in, and come in lively they did, there was a charge of a dollar for the instructions. There was also a promise to return the money when the customer had learned the business. In each case the project proved to be a swindle.

—The rubber mills have been started into unwonted activity lately. No wonder. A pair of so called rubber shoes, as now made, says the Mansfield News, are about as transitory as a soap bubble.

DIED.

NIGHTINGALE—In Quincy, Dec. 22, Mr. John F. Nightingale, aged 44 years and 9 months.

COMEY—In Quincy, Dec. 23, Mrs. Mary E., wife of Mr. Warren G. Comey of Greenleaf street, aged 75 years, 6 months and 21 days.

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To all who favor us with an inspection of our offerings, we will endeavor to make it a Merry Christmas, both to the giver and receiver of Holiday Gifts.

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For everybody, all kinds, fancy and plain—
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FRIENDSHIP OF RUSSIA

Must Be Retained If We Would Profit by Open Door Policy.

Central Asia Will Be World's Greatest Market.

A Glimpse at the Present and Future Conditions of the Slav.

London, Dec. 23.—Unusual facilities for observing what is going on in Russia have been enjoyed by John W. Bookwalter of Ohio, who has just returned from a three months' journey through that country.

Mr. Bookwalter was allowed to go everywhere, to see everything and to take hundreds of photographs, thanks to special permits issued to him by the minister of the interior on the application of the United States ambassador at St. Petersburg. During his journey he conversed with the governors of provinces and with military and civil officials of all kinds.

"Everywhere I found," said Mr. Bookwalter, "the kindest and most friendly feeling towards America and Americans, and heard many expressions of satisfaction over America's success in our war with Spain. To this there was not a single exception. Wherever I went everything was thrown open to me simply because I was an American.

"America's best open door to Central Asia and China is through Russia. Already all the locomotives and rolling stock on the railways are of American manufacture. Central Asia will in the near future be the greatest market in the world for markets of all kinds, and our obtaining the virtual monopoly of this market depends on our retaining the friendship Russia now has for us. A great surprise to the world is in preparation in that part of the earth, and it will come, I believe, very soon. Not many years will elapse before the world will see Russia, England and China combining for the partition of Asia. The very force of circumstances will bring this about. England and Russia will never be able to agree on a partition of China between themselves. Still less will they allow the other powers to share with them in the spoils of that empire. They will be forced to defend China, which alone is helpless, against the rest of the world and to share with her the domination of Asia.

"The alliance of England, Russia and China, or two-thirds of the human race, will be such an alliance as history has never yet seen, and it will be one which will give peace to the world for centuries. All its interests will make for peace and it will be able to dictate terms to the rest of the world.

"America has very little to gain by an open door to China. That country is an industrial one; and whatever we may now be able to sell to them the Chinese will soon be able to make for themselves. One day, and that day is near at hand, whatever China buys from the rest of the world will reach her through Russia and Central Asia.

Russian Energy.

"Russia in the last three years has done more to open the doors to China than England and all the rest of the world has done in 50 years. No one who has not seen it with his own eyes can have the faintest conception of what Russia has done and is still doing in Central Asia.

"I have traveled over 1200 miles of railway which she has built from the Caspian sea to Tashkend, in Turkestan, over a branch of this line which runs to the northern frontier of India, over another branch which goes from Merv to the border of Afghanistan. This last branch was not completed when I was there, but it will be open to traffic next week. There are also Russian lines all along the Persian frontier and penetrating into that country, either completed or rapidly approaching completion. All the work on these lines has been done by soldiers who, in their way, are not in Russia as elsewhere, nonproducers.

"All this tremendous Asiatic railway system is owned and operated by the government. All the lines are admirably built and splendidly equipped. Why, I saw a bridge across the Amudaria, in Central Asia, at a point where the river is three miles wide, that cost 20,000,000 roubles, and is the greatest piece of engineering work ever accomplished. There is nothing like it anywhere else in the world, the celebrated Forth bridge, near Edinburgh, not excepted.

"Wherever I went I saw cities and towns springing up, such as Askobad, in Turkomania, for example, which already has 25,000 inrabitants. Near Merv the czar is building a magnificent palace. New Bokhara, 12 miles from Old Bokhara, has 12,000 inhabitants. The Russian policy in Central Asia is not to bring the new and old into too close contrasts, and she builds her railway stations a few miles away from the old centers of population, thus forming new and entirely modern centers.

"Where do the people come from to inhabit these towns? Why, from European Russia. The government is turning her surplus European population into Central Asia, just as the United States turned the surplus population of her Atlantic states into her great western territories. What I have just seen in Central Asia is almost an exact reproduction of what I witnessed years ago in Illinois, Indiana and Missouri, when the emigrants from the east were pouring into the west. No human power can stay the onward march of the Slav through Russia which will be the feature of the 20th century, just as the march of the Anglo-Saxon through America has been the feature of the 19th.

"Already, thanks to the railways, Russia can at any time pour her armies across the frontiers of India by the same routes that Alexander, Tamerlane and Kubla Khan marched to the conquest of eastern Asia. Russia today has 25,000,000 teserves, all of whom have served in the army from three to five years.

"The United States will be committing a woeful mistake if she fails to retain the friendship of this great world power of the future."

SWORD VALUED AT $4200

Presented to Rear Admiral Schley by Admirers in Three States.

Philadelphia, Dec. 23.—Rear Admiral Schley is the recipient of a handsome and costly sword, scabbard and belt, presented to him in behalf of the people of this city and other cities in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, who contributed to a fund established for the purpose. The ceremony took place in the Temple Baptist church, and Colone A. K. McClure presided. The formal presentation was made last night by Miss Rene McNeall, the 15-year-old siste. of Private Harry McNeall of the marine corps, who distinguished himself during the battle of Santiago by clambering out on the muzzle of one of the cruiser Brooklyn's big guns during a heavy fire and removing a loaded shell which had become fastened in the breech.

There was a large and enthusiastic audience present and speeches were made by Governor Hastings and Mayor Warwick on behalf of the state and city Governor-elect Stone also spoke in high terms of Admiral Schley and his achievements. The admiral, in accepting the gift, thanked the people, and said: "Let us hope with you that in God's providence it may never be drawn without reason, but if it ever should be so willed that it must be, it will never be sheathed except in your greater honor."

The sword, scrabbard and belt represent a cost of $4200. The blade is of fine Damascus steel, appropriately engraved and the hilt is elaborately decorated with diamonds and other precious stones.

Call For Conference,

New York, Dec. 23.—A call was issued yesterday by Bishop Alexander Walters, D. D., for a convention of colored people to be held under the auspices of the council at Washington on Dec. 29. The objects of the conference, as announced, are: To raise funds for the prosecution of lynching parties and to test the constitutionality of the laws in some southern states disfranchising negroes; to resist political and business discrimination against the negro; to secure the better treatment of convicts; to secure federal appropriation for school funds of the southern states; to encourage industrial and higher education, and to recommend a healthy emigration from terror-ridden sections of our land to more law-abiding sections.

Free Hand For McKinley.

London, Dec. 23.—The Havana correspondent of The Times, in the course of a letter published this morning, says: President McKinley will have an unfettered hand here. "A majority of the Cubans are prepared to accept unreservedly any regime treating them justly and insuring the tranquility of the island. The Spanish residents also are contented to accept the inevitable, believing that their interests will be protected and themselves fairly treated. Therefore the way is clear to establish any system of government the Washington authorities may see fit to impose.

Sought Peace In Poison.

Columbus, O., Dec. 23.—A well dressed, refined looking woman went to the Chittenden hotel Wednesday night and registered as Mrs. Ashton of Pittsburg. She was assigned a room, in which she was found dead yesterday, having committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. Two envelopes were found in the room, one containing money to pay the hotel, and the other addressed to the chief of police, containing the following note: "My husband having died and left me alone I do not care to live. There is $77 in my purse in my corset waist. Bury me anywhere."

Seized by Revenue Officers.

New York, Dec. 23.—Officials of the internal revenue department yesterday seized the plant of the Hower Urban Brewing company in Williamsburg for an alleged violation of a section of the revised statutes which deals with the insufficiency of returns for the total output of a brewery. The brewing company, it is said, has for some time failed to make returns on account of revenue stamps. The property is valued at $100,000.

Electoral Agitation Discouraged.

Madrid, Dec. 23.—Most of the Liberal leaders whom Sagasta has consulted strongly oppose a dissolution of the cortes, on the ground that it would be imprudent to plunge the country into an electoral agitation under existing conditions. Senor Rios and others urge that every effort be made to reunite the Liberal party. Apparently Senor Gamazo's party of discontents is relenting, and there are better hopes of a full reconciliation.

Loses His Pension.

Chillicothe, O., Dec. 23.—John W. Kelly, a veteran of the Civil war, received notice from the pension bureau yesterday that his pension of $12 per month, issued for general disability, had been stopped because he did service in the war with Spain. Kelly first offered to enter the service as a soldier, but was rejected on account of disability, and then secured a place as a mule driver.

A Gigantic Monopoly.

Pittsburg, Dec. 23.—The consolidation of the local gas, light and heating companies was consumated yesterday. The capital invested exceeds $26,000,000. One company will in the future control the gas, light and heating supply of Pittsburg and Alleghany, and will have absolute power to make, raise or lower the price to all consumers.

Probably Due to Jealousy.

Pocomoke City, Md., Dec. 23.—John E. Turner, a highly respected colored man of this place, was taken from his home early yesterday morning by two unknown no clew as to who the murderers are, but jealousy is supposed to be the motive for the crime, as Turner and his wife have been living together unhappily for some time.

Lake Marine Losses.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Marine losses on the Great Lakes during the season of 1898 were much greater than during any previous season on the lakes. A general average places the aggregate loss at $2,600,000. Vesselmen protest that these figures are too high, and say the insurance companies have not lost heavily.

Jobbers Frozen Out.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Arbuckle Bros.' Chicago house yesterday began selling sugar direct to retailers, ignoring the jobbing trade here. Sales to retailers were made at 5.20 per pound for standard fine granulated, which was ⅛ cent under the trust price.

Going Over Accounts.

Boston, Dec. 23.—Inspector McDonald, representing the comptroller of the currency, arrived in this city yesterday and at once began an examination of the Howard National bank, whose stockholders voted to liquidate the bank's assets some time ago. The bank held as security for loans a large amount of real estate, and these accounts, with a number of notes, figure in the assets of the bank. Inspector McDonald not only scrutinized these accounts, but called in for personal examination a number of the makers of the notes. Among those he interviewed was Police Commissioner Martin, who testified two years ago before the governor and council in another matter that he was indebted to the bank to a large amount, and that he had given as security a lithia plant in Dorchester. Another fact concerning the bank's affairs was that President Wilkins' accounts would be gone over by an expert. All of the depositors of the bank have been paid in full, and a greater portion of them have transferred their accounts to the National Bank of the Republic.

Must Pay the Penalty.

Boston, Dec. 23.—The death sentence imposed upon Dominique Krathofski of Springfield will not be commuted and he must die on the scaffold Dec. 30 to atone for the death of his step-daughter, Victoria Pinkos, whom he murdered in January, 1896. Senator-elect Kennefick of Palmer appeared before the governor and council last week and urged commutation on the ground of the prisoner's generally low intelligence and moral standard, and the lack of evidence to show "deliberately premeditated malice aforethought" essential to first degree murderers. When the matter came up yesterday for a final vote there was a strong division of sentiment. Commutation was finally refused, 4 to 2. Later Secretary Hamlin sent a message to Springfield that the death preparations could go on.

Dialogues In Court.

Boston, Dec. 23.—After an all-day hearing before Judge Ely, a number of actors and actresses who were arrested at the instigation of the Watch and Ward society, last week, on an allegation that they were giving an immoral show at one of the local variety theatres, were discharged. The points on which the prosecution based their case were exerpts from stenographic reports of the dialogues. These, the court remarked, were not proper if separated from the context, but in the whole dialogue they lost their suggestiveness. In discharging the defendants the court said the case did not come within the statutes.

Pilfered Books.

New Haven, Dec. 23.—James P. Miller, a Yale divinity student and a three years' graduate, was arrested last evening by detectives for shoplifting. He was seen by the detectives to purloin three books in a bookstore, and by tracing the man they discovered that he was evidently a professional shoplifter, as 5000 volumes were discovered at his rooms in West Divinity and at his home in Hamden. Two dealers have already identified 2000 volumes. Miller wore a coat fitted with pockets such as professionals wear.

President Locke.

Augusta, Me., Dec. 23.—The meeting of the Maine Pedagogical society closed here yesterday. The election of officers resulted in the choice of John S. Locke of Saco, president; Miss Mary Snow of Bangor, vice president; C. F. Cook of Augusta, secretary and treasurer, and H. E. Cole of Bath, corresponding secretary. H. E. Cole and A. A. Badger of Skowhegan were elected to the executive committee. A resolution was passed urging the legislature to pass more stringent truancy laws.

Clock Factory Crippled.

Thomaston, Conn., Dec. 23.—The collapse of a newly erected water tank on the "brick" factory, one of the three connected with the Seth Thomas Clock company's plant, yesterday afternoon, practically ruined the factory and caused a loss of upwards of $10,000. There was no loss of life. The plant was being run overtime on account of the rush of orders, and as it will necessitate six weeks to rebuild the factory the loss to the firm will be a serious one. About 175 hands were employed in this factory.

And Still Another.

Boston, Dec. 23.—The National Bank of North America yesterday voted to put the bank in liquidation, as a step in its absorption by the National Shawmut bank. The executive committee of the National Shawmut bank afterwards voted an immediate dividend of 90 percent on the stock of the North America.

No Pardon For Finneran.

Boston, Dec. 22.—Governor Wolcott has announced his refusal to refer a petition for the pardon of Thomas F. Finneran, who is serving sentence for complicity in teaming frauds as an employe of Boston, to the executive council for action. This puts a stop to the movement for the release of the prisoner.

Not Done by the Portland.

Boston, Dec. 23.—The cable ship Minia put in here yesterday, having found and repaired the break in the cable off Cape Cod. From the location of the break and its character it is certain that the wrecking of the steamer Portland was in no way connected with it.

Senator Hoar a Guest.

Charleston, Dec. 23.—The 79th annual banquet of the New England society was given at the Charleston hotel here last night. The leading speakers of the evening were Senator Hoar of Massachusetts, who responded to "Forefathers' Day," Senator McLaurin of South Carolina, who responded to "Our Country," and Joseph B. Cummin of Georgia, who responded to the "Mayflower." The banquet was an elaborate and brilliant function, and there were seated at the tables 100 guests. Senator Hoar's address was largely of an historical nature and touched but lightly upon the issues of the present day. Mr. McLaurin and Mr. Cummin took occasion to declare in more or less pronounced terms against the theory of expansion.

New York, Dec. 23.—The examination of the battleship Massachusetts yesterday disclosed three large dents in the port side of the vessel forward. One of the officials said the injuries were much more serious than had been anticipated. Three plates, he said, would have to be replaced with new ones. It was his opinion that the vessel would be put out of commission for the present and that, in addition to the repairs, the ship would be painted white.

CHRISTMAS AT KENO.

How Hard Luck Hankins' Tree Was Decorated.

"Speakin of Christmas trees," said Cyclone Murphy as he snuffed a candle on the topmost twig of the Keno Gulch Sunday school tree with his trusty six shooter and then nipped remonstrance in the bud by a-tting the drop on the Sunday school superintendent, "reminds me of a galoot named Hard Luck Hankins, who lived up on Tenderfoot ridge and who was the biggest kicker that ever kicked. This yere Hard Luck Hankins lived in a cabin on top of the ridge and p'tended ez how he was a miner, but he didn't never seem to mine anything and was ginerally regarded ez a feller without visible means of support. Some folks said he was a road agent and others opined ez how hoss stealin might be the mine he was workin.

"The only thing Keno Gulch ever really knowed him to be doin was puttin up a powerful kick about one thing er another. He allers had some hard luck story to tell, and that was why folks called him Hard Luck Hankins.

"There wasn't a decent lookin tree on top of the hull ridge except one, and that tree was a mighty handsome pine that stood right in front of Hard Luck Hankins' shanty. 'She's my old Christmas tree,' Hankins would growl every time Christmas come around, 'but, dern her ole hide, Santy Claws don't never hang nothin on her fer me.'

"That was jes' Hard Luck's pesky and onery way—allers kickin about somethin—and that handsome tree never havin anything hangin on it fer him seemed to rile him 'specially every year. 'What's the use havin a blame Christmas tree that never don't have nothin hangin on to it?' he'd growl. 'Have a dern good notion to cut her down!'

"This went on year after year, and the boys kep' a-wonderin and a-wonderin how Hard Luck got a livin. One Christmas eve they found out, and it put an end to Hard Luck's quarrel with his big pine Christmas tree.

"Fer the very first Christmas sence Hard Luck had been livin in Keno there was somethin hangin on his Christmas tree.

"What was it?" repeated Cyclone Murphy as he snuffed another candle. "Why, it was old Hard Luck Hankins hisself, and he was—kickin—ez—usual, and kickin with both feet."—Selected.

FATHER CHRISTMAS.

A Suggestion to the Boys For Christmas Celebrations.

Why couldn't our boys get up some holiday plays similar to the immemorial "Father Christmas" play, in which the lads of Merrie England have so much fun? The origin of this play is lost in antiquity, but it deals with knights and their adventures, certain of which challenge and fight the followers of Father Christmas, and are in turn routed, till Father Christmas and the Black Knight cope in mortal combat, the latter, of course, being worsted.

The boys are dressed in fantastic style, with tall paper caps on and paper fringe around their jackets, wearing masks to conceal their identity. They are called the "mummers," and go from house to house of their friends, invariably receiving a kind welcome and a little treat at the end of the performance. They also take up a penny collection, and everybody has a penny for the mummers who afford so much amusement.

In our early history there is abundant scope for the youthful playwrights, and the object of their performances in holiday week might be some charity in which boys are the beneficiaries, such as a treat of "goodies" to a dozen newsboys or bootblacks, to get supplies for a sick boy or the like.

The Indian in our early history is as good as the knight element for a stirring play for mummers—Massasoit and his tribe, in war paint, feathers and blankets, on the one side, and on the other the prim Puritans, in broad brimmed hats and short breeches.

Or the Pocahontas and Powhatan drama, with John Smith, the hero, and a band of cavaliers to make it lively. The boys of Boston Common and the red coated Britishers was an episode to inspire their fraternity of today, and it would be great fun for our laddies in Christmas week to dress up and illustrate the valor of their ancestors, as their English cousins annually commemorate some otherwise forgotten achievement of feudal days.—Philadelphia Record.

The Kissing Ball.

A green ball to suspend over the Christmas dinner table is made by fastening two keg hoops together, one within the other, turning each way like an open globe. Twine princess pine around each hoop and put in sprigs of holly here and there. This indeed is similar to the old "kissing bunch," which is seen in many old fashioned homes in England. Two wooden hoops, one passing through the other, decked with evergreens, in the center of which is hung a "crown" of rosy apples and a sprig of mistletoe. Beneath it there are much kissing and romping and the carol singers stand beneath it and sing their songs.—Selected.

A Turkey's Lament.

Ah, distinctly I remember—
It was only last November
That they chased me through the back yard
And across the old barn floor!
Valiantly and well I fought me
Till at last the villains caught me
And proceeded then to trot me
To the ax beside the door;
But, ashamed, they let me go, for
I was bones and nothing more—
Skin and bones and nothing more.

Now, I see it is December,
And no doubt they will dismember
Me, for all my fatter friends
Have gone to that other shore;
I've grown pale from apprehension,
For of late some marked attention
Makes me think it's their intention
To cut off my legs and serve me
As a reedbird from the store—
Just a reedbird, nothing more!

—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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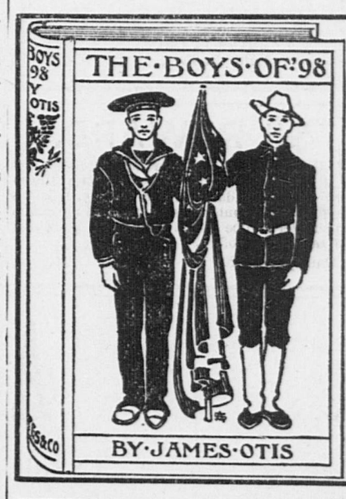

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WE, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of Chapter One Hundred and Thirteen of the Public Statutes, and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be The Medfield and Medway Street Railway Company.

The proposed Railway is to commence at or near the terminus of the Norfolk Western Street Railway Company, in the town of Medfield and County of Norfolk, and to extend in a substantially southwesterly direction through said town of Medfield, and thence through the town of Millis, in said County of Norfolk, to a point in the town of Medway, in said county, at or near the corner of Village and Sanford streets, its terminus.

Its length will be about seven miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Medfield, Millis and Medway, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz:—

Wilmot W. Mitchell of Medfield, Mass.
Joseph J. Feely of Walpole, Mass.
Harry L. Howard of Walpole, Mass.
Henry J. Dunn of Medfield, Mass.
Rufus G. Fairbanks of Medway, Mass.
C. Maskell Bates of Medfield, Mass.
Alfred C. Smith of Dedham, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands, this eighth day of December, 1898.

Subscribers.	Residence.	P. O. Address.	No. of Shares.
Joseph J. Feely,	Walpole	Walpole	50
George S. Forbush,	Brookline, Mass.	53 State St., Boston	20
Thomas E. Grover,	Canton	Canton, Mass.	20
Alfred C. Smith,	Dedham	Dedham	50
Wilmot W. Mitchell,	Medfield	Medfield	20
Edwin V. Mitchell,	Medfield	Medfield	20
Henry J. Dunn,	Medfield	Medfield	5
Fred Joy,	Winchester	Winchester	5
Edwin J. Keyou,	Medfield	Medfield	1
Rufus G. Fairbanks,	Medway	West Medway	15
George R. Drake,	Medway	West Medway	1
James A. Snow,	Medway	Medway	1
W. B. Hodges,	Medway	Medway	1
E. J. Stewart,	Millis	Millis	1
E. F. Richardson,	Millis	Millis	1
J. C. Thorne,	Millis	Millis	1
Harry L. Howard,	Walpole	Walpole	30
C. Maskell Bates,	Medfield	Medfield	30
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DOWN TO HARD PAN.

Elopers Who Were Accused of Theft Say They Are Broke.

Captured at Home of Young Man's Mother.

Claim That They Have Been Married Since Their Departure.

Boston, Dec. 23.—Thomas P. Kelley and Anna L. McCarthy, the eloping Brighton couple, who have been charged with stealing $2300 from the father of the young woman, Francis McCarthy of 27 Bigelow street, Brighton, were brought into police headquarters at an early hour this morning, having been arrested at the home of Kelley's mother in Brookline late last night.

Kelley and his young wife, for both claim that they have been married while away from Boston, were taken into custody by Inspectors Harris and Houghton of the Boston office, assisted by Inspector Paige and Sergeant O'Connell of the Brookline police. They were captured, it is said, just as they were about to retire for the night, in the house of the young man's mother at Thayer place.

Both were taken to the office of the chief of police of Brookline, where they were booked. Afterwards they were turned over to Harris and Houghton, and were soon on their way to police headquarters in this city, where they arrived at 1:10 this morning.

Without holding an examination of any sort whatever, Kelley and the young woman were taken by way of the passage back of headquarters to the city prison. There Kelley was separated from Anna, she going to the care of the matron of the house of detention, while Lieutenant Kesselhuth of the tombs took charge of the young man.

From remarks dropped by them and from what little conversation a reporter had with them while the papers for their committal were being made out, it would seem that they came back to Boston almost penniless. To a reporter Anna said: "I don't believe Tom took the money. In fact I know he didn't."

Kelley overheard the words, and dropped in with the remark: "Take the money? Well, I guess I didn't. If I did, where is it now? Why, we're broke."

Story of the Elopement.

On Wednesday, Dec. 7, the residents of the Brighton district were startled by news of the elopement of Anna L. McCarthy, the 17-year-old daughter of Francis M. McCarthy, district deputy of the street cleaning division of Boston, stationed at the Chestnut Hill avenue yard, and Thomas P. Kelley, age 23, who had been employed by the Boston Elevated Railroad company as a conductor.

Miss McCarthy is a handsome brunette. Kelley, too, is a good looking fellow. The girl was the pride of her home, and was also a favorite in social circles in Brighton.

Mr. McCarthy liked his daughter's beau, and was pleased to have him call at the house.

The last time Mr. McCarthy saw his daughter was on the afternoon of Friday, Dec. 2. That afternoon she remained at home. Kelley called early in the afternoon and remained until after tea. He was alone with Anna in a room at the front of the house. In this room there was a roll-top desk, and in the desk were $2300 in bills and $18 in gold.

The bills had been drawn from the bank by Mr. McCarthy to invest in real estate, but for sme reason the investment had not been made. The gold had been given to Anna from time to time, and but a few days before her father had given her bills in exchange for it.

Early that evening Anna left the house with Kelley, saying to her mther, "I'm going out for a little while."

That night Mr. McCarthy said he would wait up and talk with his daughter when she returned. He waited until midnight, and then became suspicious. He thought of the money in his desk, and went to see if it was safe. Upon opening it he found the money missing.

Early the next morning he sought the aid of Chief Watts, who detailed Inspector McCausland to make an investigation.

It was learned at that time that the couple arrived in New York on Saturday morning, Dec. 3. They took breakfast at the Sturtevant House, and after leaving $700 in bills in the hotel safe went down town. On returning to the hotel Kelley took his money and the next morning left the hotel.

It was thought that Kelley and the girl then left for Chicago.

From there the latter wrote to her mother that she had been married. They remained at the Palmer House until Dec. 7, when the couple were supposed to have left for Los Angeles, since which time there has been no trace of them until notice was received of their arrival in Brookline yesterday.

Sears Counted Out.

Birmingham, Eng., Dec. 23.—At the Olympic club last evening, in a 20-round glove contest between Mike Sears of Boston and Wright of Plymouth, Eng., the American was defeated in the 15th round. In the 12th round Wright rolled Sears over with a smashing hit on the chin, from which he never recovered, though he held on until the 15th round, when the referee, seeing that Sears' chances were hopeless, stopped one of the gamiest fights seen here in a long time.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:12; sets, 4:17.
Moon sets—4:18 a. m.
High water—8:30 a. m.; 9:15 p. m.

Fair, colder weather is indicated for New England by tonight and will probably last through Saturday and maybe Sunday; winds becoming southwest and west. The storm was central last night in southern Canada, moving northeast.

FEW COMMUNITIES EXEMPT.

Grip Appears to Have Taken a Good Hold on New England.

Boston, Dec. 23.—The prevalence of unseasonable weather throughout New England the past week has produced a wide-spread ailment, which is not unlike that influenza which proved so wide-spread, and fatal in its epidemic form, a few years ago. Reports from nearly all the large New England cities indicate that not one is exempt from the irritating trouble, and, while cases are numerous, and in some places almost suggestive of an epidemic, few physicians express any belief in its continuance throughout the winter. The seacoast cities and towns suffer the most by reason of continued excessive humidity. This cause of trouble is likely to be removed quickly with colder weather, towards which the weather indications now point, and with it will disappear most of the excessive nasal and bronchial troubles inflicted upon unwilling communities.

Corbin Testifies.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The old feeling between General Miles and the war department cropped out again yesterday when Adjutant General Corbin testified before the war investigating commission. Corbin was seemingly reticent and reserved, but it was observed that whenever he got a chance he gave General Miles a rap and said all the nice things he could for Secretary Alger. The first hard knock he gave Miles was when he intimated that Camp Alger, which had been so much criticised, had been selected by General Miles or some officer representing him, and that it was secretary Alger who had caused the removal of the camp. Later on he took occasion to remark that some of General Miles' plans and recommendations were "not approved." He practically admitted that the war department was unprepared for war, having been taken by surprise.

Finding In Hanscom Case.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The secretary of the navy yesterday made public the findings of the court-martial in the case of Naval Constructor John F. Hanscom, in charge of the construction department at League island. He was charged with various offenses in connection of over payment of the men employed at the navy yard. The court-martial acquitted the accused officer of three of the charges, but convicted him of violating a lawful regulation in failing to report fraudulent entries in time books. He was sentenced to suspension of duty for six months on waiting orders' pay. The secretary of the navy has not yet approved the sentence.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Charles C. Buery, a wealthy coal operator, and Miss Bessie Kate, the oldest daughter of Governor Atkinson of West Virginia, were married at the executive mansion at Charleston.

The reorganization of the Chilian cabinet, under Senor Carlos Walker Martinez, entirely eliminated the party which advocated a paper currency.

The new Union station, built by the Boston Terminal conmany, for all the railroads coming into the south side of the city, will be formally opened on Jan. 1.

It is estimated that between 25,000 and 30,000 persons in Philadelphia are suffering from grip, and doctors report the epidemic on the increase. Six deaths have occurred within the past 24 hours directly due to the grip, and 12 other deaths were traced indirectly to the same cause.

The Cincinnati Consumers' Brewing company assigned. Assets, $75,000; Habilities, $40,000. The concern was not in the proposed combination.

The American Sugar Refining company has announced a reduction in the price of package sugar from 5.18 to 5.06 cents, equal to ⅛ of a cent a pound.

Andrew Wantess, a well known literary character of Detroit, and poet and prose writer of no mean ability, died at Detroit from pneumonia. For many years Mr. Wantess had conducted a second-hand bookstore that was a resort for literary men. He possessed a magnificent library of about 22,000 volumes, comprising some very rare old books and manuscripts

George L. Bradley, the present vice president and general manager of the Lake Erie and Western railroad, will succeed to the presidency of that road, made vacant by the death of Calvin S. Brice.

Lieutenant Commander Sumner C. Paine, U. S. N., retired, died at Asheville, N. C. He was executive officer to Commodore Dewey's flagship, the Olympia, just previous to the beginning of the late war.

The Dominion Coal company, operating in Cape Breton, have shut down the Bridgeport mine, one of the oldest collieries, owing to the danger of continued mining at that point. It is proposed to sink a monster shaft between Bridgeport and Glace Bay, from which they will do their mining.

A new ore pool is to be organized. It will be known as the non-Bessemer ore producers' pool, and will be organized on a basis similar to that of the Bessemer pool.

Colonel John H. Roberts, former commander-in-chief of the Veterans' union, died suddenly at Chelsea, Mass., the cause of death being attributable to heart trouble. He was born in Alfred, Me., Oct. 8, 1831. He served in company F, Eighth Maine volunteers, during the Civil war.

At the Youngstown, O., Athletic club Eddie Gardner and Jimmy Smith were booked for 10 rounds. The referee stopped the contest in the ninth round, declaring Gardner the winner.

Secretary Long has recovered sufficiently from his cold to resume his duties at the navy department. Secretary Hay is still confined to his home.

Secretary Bliss states that Mr. Hitchcock, his successor in the cabinet, will sail for this country on Jan. 6, and that the change of office will take place just prior to Feb. 1.

The navy department is preparing advertisements, calling for bids on the construction of the new Boston drydock. The appropriation is $1,025,000.

The secretary of war has appointed William P. Watson as auditor of customs accounts for Cuba at Havana. Mr. Watson was formerly examiner of national banks at Chicago, and recently connected with the office of the fourth auditor in the treasury department.

Are the Women Bashful?

Some Young women are bashful. They are afraid to go into a Clothing store to trade. Bless you! a clothing store is one of the easiest places in the world to get acquainted in. All you've got to do is to come in and you feel at home the minute you get in. You can go around and look at things all alone if you want to and you are always sure to find things that a man wants. The only trouble is you won't feel acquainted with such prices if you come into our store.

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LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Also the Amount of Each Persons Tax Bill for 1898.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

[Continued from Dec. 17.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FIVE.

Valuation of Land Only.		Total Ward Tax.
Burr, Francis and Alexander, Boston,		$15 30
9,375, Section 3, $600.		
5,000, " 6, $250.		
Burr, Francis and Patrick C. Lambert, Boston,		26 10
18,978, Section 6, $800.		
8,780, " 2, $650.		
Butler, Sigourney, est., Boston,		288 00
3.37 acres, Hancock, $6,500.		
3 1-8 " " 8,000.		
6.22 " " 1,500.		
Carpenter, Ellen M., Boston,		69 30
11,340, Warren ave., $1,650.		
Cameron, Sarah J., Boston,		7 20
5,000, Morton, $400.		
Cary, Nathan C. Boston,		64 80
4,050, Blake, $400.		
Carter, Francis E., Boston,		45 90
4,720, Wollaston ave., $350.		
Cameron, George, Boston,		14 40
6,370, Phillips, $450.		
5,000, " $350.		
Chapman, Elmer E., Boston,		9 00
10,000, Sachem, $500.		
Chick, Isaac W., Boston,		12 60
5,000, Section, 6, $350.		
5,000, " 6, $350.		
Chick, Winthrop H., Boston,		212 85
9,592, Waterston ave.,	$400.	
11,337, " "	450.	
13,082, " "	250.	
14,827, " "	200.	
5,000, Copley,	100.	
5,000, "	200.	
5,000, "	200.	
15,000, Franklin ave.,	600.	
5,000, Ridgeway,	200.	
7,075, "	300.	
6,000, "	250.	
2,390, Franklin ave.,	150.	
4,940, Sewall,	200.	
3,380 "	150.	
20,000, "	400.	
10,000, "	300.	
6,000, "	150.	
9,700, "	200.	
26,680, Waterston ave.,	150.	
26,772, " "	150.	
30,320, " "	150.	
14,520, " "	150.	
32 acres, salt marsh,	2,000.	
14 1-4 " up land marsh,	2,500.	
Chisholm, D., Boston,		5 40
5,500, East Elm ave., $300.		
Clark, George L., Boston,		7 20
10,875, Section 4, $400.		
Cochran, John F., Boston,		5 85
5,498, Rawson road, $325.		
Cochran, William D., Boston,		51 40
12,410, Beale, $1,000.		
Coleman, Emma L., Boston,		18 00
20,000, Greenleaf place., $1,000.		
Cone, Judd W., Boston,		$6 30
4,200, Davis, $350.		
Cook, Edward St. C., Boston,		8 1
6,300, Bromfield, $450.		
Coolidge, A. J., est., Boston.		12 60
9,375, Sec. 5, $450.		
2,500, " 6, $250.		
Cox, Mrs. James L., Boston,		38 70
4,200, Bromfield, $350.		
Creswell, Helen B., Boston,		6 30
4,200, Bromfield, $350.		
Crocker, Henry, est., Boston,		13 50
14,678, Greenleaf place, $750.		
Crosby, Freeman M. Boston,		5 40
4,200, Bromfield, $300.		

To be continued.

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Youthful Protector of Mother.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Thomas Crosby, the 13-year-old son of Mrs. Margaret Crosby, a wealthy widow living in Edgewater, a suburb of Chicago, shot and instantly killed Deputy Sheriff Nye yesterday, while he was attempting to serve a writ of restitution. The writ was based on a mortgage for $20,000, which had been foreclosed on the Crosby homestead. The officer was warned by the boy not to attempt to enter the house, but disregarded the threats. The boy said that he had been instructed to shoot anyone who attempted to enter the house.

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r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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Miss Comins '99, the president, was in the chair at the regular meeting of the Quincy High School Debating Society this week, and Miss Hall, 1900, was secretary.

The nominations for officers were made, and those with an asterisk elected:

President: Mr. iMuprhy, '99,* and Miss Sibley, '99.

Vice President, Miss F. Elcock, '99* and Mr. Ballou, 1900.

Secretary: Miss Willey, 99,* and Miss Collagan, '99.

Treasurer: Mr. Swift, '99,* and Mr. Ford, '99.

The entertainment included:

1. Vocal solo, Miss Phelan, 1900.
2. Recitation, Miss Lowe, '99.
3. Essay, "Old Ironsides," by Miss McLaughlin, '99 read by Miss Mitchell, '99.
4. Recitation, Miss Greenerd.

The entertainment was unusually good.

The subject of the debate was: "Resolved, "That Life is Worth Living,."

Affirmative: — Miss Barry, Miss Brown, Miss Burns, Miss Egan.

Negative:—Miss Hall, Miss Harkins, Miss Hayden, Miss Holbrook.

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Wednesday	39	17	34	32
Thursday	44	30	28	26
Friday	—	28	32	32
Saturday	—	43	21	17

New Advertisements Today.

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Goss & Gould—Turkeys, fowl, groceries.
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Good Afternoon.

Perhaps a suggestion of some practical value, respecting the better protection of houses from the peculiar gentry "that walk o-nights," may spring out of the recent burglarious operation in this city. As the pupils in the great school of experience we have the privilege of learning from all such occurrences, and in this instance one lesson, at least, is written so large that whoever runs may read.

It is easy to see from the facts, so far revealed, that there was no girdle of outside protection around Mr. Shaw's house that night, and that the inmates were helplessly locked in the slumbrous embraces of that balm which Shakespeare tell us is "tired nature's sweet restorer."

The burglar had it all his own way. Everything seemed favorable to his complete success. He had roamed the house at will, collected his booty such as it was, the window of retreat stood open, and he was just on the eve of departure. No alarm had been given, no interference was offered, and one step more and he would be as free as the air. But he never took that step. In the act of doing so, there was a flash, a sharp report, and he rolled dead upon the floor.

The dispoiling of the house was prevented. How? Not by the police, they were not within sight or sound. Not by the inmates, they were sleeping the sleep of the just. By the hand of Providence then? Yes, but Providence chooses human agencies to carry out its plans, and in this case the agent which served Providence as the instrument of retribution and protection, was a nervous or blundering accomplice, who managed to let off the gun in the right direction at the right time.

But for him the robber would have escaped, without the least intending it, the thief's own "pal" armed with his own revolver, shielded Mr. Shaw and his property. He stood there the unconscious guard between the sleeping home and the robber guest. Might it not be well to enlarge upon this idea and turn it to a practical account? Would it not be feasible to establish a department in all our towns and cities whose duty it should be to furnish such valuable assistants to principals in such enterprises?

If each burglar could be attended to in that efficient manner, what an encouragement it would be to law and order. Think how effective it would be as a safe-guard to society. It would almost do away with the necessity of outside protection, and the police need only be retained for public parades or to give sympathetic shelter to the accomplice should he happen to lose his way on the road after the performance of his good deed. We merely throw out the suggestion for what it is worth.

—It is weakening and degenerating to believe in luck. No one can become great, learned or successful without forethought and perserving endeavor. When the time comes that idleness reaps rich harvests and industry begs bread; that economy goes to the poor house and prodigality to the palace; that temperance invites want and drunkenness revels in plenty—then, and not until then, can a sensible person embrace the proper delusion about luck.—Old Colony Memorial.

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BETHANY CHURCH.

Mrs. Jennie Hocking Hunt, the organist, and chorister of Bethany church, has secured the following artists, for the Christmas services of Sunday, and a rich musical programme of vocal and instrumental music is promised: Miss Gertrude Graham, soprano; Miss Louise Holbrook, contralto; Mr. Stanwood Field, tenor; Mr. Albert Hayden, bass; Miss Emily Striefford, violinist; and Mr. Charles Elmer Hollis, cornetist.

At the 10.30 A. M. service:

Organ Voluntary, "Grand Offertoire of St. Cecelia," Batiste
Duet, "As with Gladness Men of Old," Schnecker
Misses Graham and Holbrook.
Solo, "Glory to Heaven's Eternal King," Meyer—Helmund
Miss Graham.
Quartette, "The Chimes of Christmas Morn," (With violin obligato) Dressler
Solo, "Wake and Sing Good Christmas," Miss Holbrook.
Violin Solo, "Aria," Bach
Miss Streifford.
"Christmas Song," (with cornet obligato), Dow
Organ Postlude, "Allegro Maestose vivace," Mendelssohn
Subject of Sermon, "Good News."

At 7.30 P. M., Children's Christmas festival with numbers by artists of the morning.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The Christmas programme for the morning services.

Processional Hymn—"Adeste Fideleo."
Venite—Anglican Chant—Elvey.
Te Deum—C. Villiers Stanford in B flat.
Quartette—Masters Davey and Malcolm, Messrs. Meade and Hersey.
Benedictus—Anglican Chant, Ouseley
Intrait Hymn—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing!" C. Wesley
Holy Communion Service in E flat, W. A. C. Cruickshank
Soprano Soloist—Master George Davey.
Quartette—Masters Davey and Malcolm, Messrs. Bradford and Hersey.
Sermon Hymn,—"Angels from the realms of Glory," J. Montgomery
Offertory—"The Hallowed Day Hath Shined Upon Us," Sir John Stainer
Soloist—Mr. C. C. Bradford.
Presentation—"Praise God."
Nunc Dimittis—Anglican Chant.
Recessional Hymn—"O Little Town of Bethlehem," P. Brooks

At the Even song service:

Tallis Choral Evening Prayer.
Psalm 19—Anglican Chant, E. J. Hopkins
Magnificat and Music Dimittis in G, W. B. Gilbert

The theme is called the Exon Tune taken from an old musical manuscript dated 1565 found in the British Museum.

Hymn—"Once in Royal David's City," C. F. Alexanders
Offertory—"The Hallowed Day," Stainer
Presentation—Te Deum in B flat, Stanford

During the Choir service before both morning and evening prayer, Franz Gruber's Christmas Carol Silent Night," will be sung.

E. Landis Snyder, organist and choirmaster.

CALVARY CHURCH.

The programmes of the Calvary Baptist church for Christms services.

Rev. David Kerr pastor, Mrs. Lloyd Jones, organist.

At the morning service at 10.30:

Devotional Exercises
Chorus, "I will bless the Lord," Owens.
Carol, "Awake! Awake" Crosby.
Responive reading.
Chorus, "Bless the Lord My Soul," Hewitt.
Scripture lesson and prayer.
Christmas hymn, "The Prince of Peace."
Sermon, "Christ has Come, Hallelujah!"
Solo, "Come let us rejoice," Mrs. Kerr.
Chorus, "Sing on," Neilson.
Benediction.

Bible School at 12. Christmas service at the poor farm at 3 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M.

At evening praise service at 7:

Devotional exercises.
Chorus "Hail to the Lord's Anointed," Montgomery.
Carol, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing." Mendelssohn.
Scripture lesson and prayer.
Quartette, "Joyfully Sing," Crosby.
Chorus, "Wonderful Story of Love," Taylor.
Sermon, "Christ's first coming a pledge of His second."
Solo, "When My Saviour I Shall See," Mrs. Harden.
Chorus, "Gloria in Excelsis," Hewitt.
Benediction.

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NOTED PASTOR RESIGNS

Dr. Lyman Abbott to Leave Plymouth Church, Brooklyn.

FAILING HEALTH THE REASON.

His Physician Warns Him That He Is Using Up Vital Energies Faster Than Nature Provides Them—Will Remain This Season—Love For the Church and Liberal Views That Provoked Criticism.

Dr. Lyman Abbott, pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, Henry Ward Beecher's successor and one of the leading preachers of the century, resigned his charge the other Sunday morning.

When Dr. Abbott first stood in Beecher's shoes, 11 years ago, there were many who felt that he must suffer by comparison. Confirmed as pastor, he brought to the famous pulpit a breadth of thought and a wealth of oratory and fervor which maintained Plymouth in its old and proud position as one of the noted Christian temples of the world. His first sentences in reference to his resignation were scarcely understood by the congregation, so unexpected was such an event, and it was not until he had proceeded for some minutes that all realized the full gravity of what he was saying. Men and women looked at one another for confirmation and then for sympathy. Sobbing was heard, and when the preacher had concluded his hearers sat silent in their grief.

Dr. Abbott had been speaking of the church of Christ, which, he said, remained unchanged throughout the ages, whether it was the church of Augustine, Calvin or Beecher, and turned from that subject to say, "I have been reluctant—God knows only how reluctant—to tell you that the time has come when I must lay aside the leadership of the church and take the place of a private in the ranks." He then read a letter of resignation, in which he reviewed his appointment to the pastorate in May, 1888, at the time that he was editor of The Christian Union. He said the congregation and his editorial associates since then had relieved him of details, but the responsibility of both fields had increased. He continued:

"The activities of Plymouth church have grown somewhat greater and materially more complex. There are great advantages in preaching in a pulpit to which past history has given a national character, but he who occupies such a pulpit cannot escape the obligations involved in the fact that his utterances are always liable to be reported far and wide and taken as an expression not only of the church, but of that unorganized party of progress with which this church has always been associated. The obligations involved in the editorial office have increased even more. To add the further duty of supervising the spiritual industry of a church which, with its two branches, is scarcely less than three churches, and the preaching in this age of singularly commingled spiritual doubt and spiritual activity to such a congregation as gathers here every Sabbath day and to the wider congregation which listens to the echoes of this pulpit is—to this conclusion I have been very reluctantly forced—more than my strength is any longer equal to.

"I have endeavored to avoid the inevitable conclusion. Perhaps I should still have hesitated and delayed had not a warning been given me this fall which scarcely needed the doctor's interpretation. He tells me frankly that I am using up vital energies faster than nature supplies them. He imperatively declares that I must prepare to discontinue the attempt, and leaves me no option but to withdraw from the pastoral work and devote myself to the equally responsible but quieter work of the pen. I have therefore no choice but to resign into your hands the office with which for these ten years you have honored me."

He said his work with the church would not cease immediately, but could not continue beyond the present season. He continued: "I can never resume the labors of a pastorate, but I hope in occasional ministries to carry the gospel of God's love in Jesus Christ to other congregations who perhaps need it more than you, because it is less familiar to them. I love Plymouth church. Here 40 years ago I first learned that God is love, not merely law; here first received the illumination which comes from the recognition of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ; here received the inspiration which renewed my earlier desire to enter the Christian ministry. When 11 years ago I came back here, it was as a man comes back to the home of his boyhood. No other church ever was or ever can be to me what Plymouth church is and has been."

Dr. Abbott, who has been more than ever in the public eye of late because some of his assertions about the Bible stirred up men of less liberal views, is now 63 years old. His view of Jonah's adventures with the whale resulted in widespread criticism in January of 1897. He said at that time in a lecture:

"It makes no difference whether a great fish swallowed Jonah or not. No man is better for believing the story and no man is worse for not believing it. Christ used fiction in parables in his discourses. Some people may be disturbed because they cannot bring themselves to believe the whale story. They should not go on their knees and ask to be coerced into believing it. The foolishness is in believing unbelievable things."

He said on another occasion in speaking of the Bible: "The Bible is not one book, but a library of books. It took 1,400 years for this library to grow. The Bible is founded on the church, not the church on the Bible. After seven centuries an unknown prophet gathered together records, old laws and facts and then wrote in a dramatic form the second book of the laws, now called Deuteronomy. Scientific students, in turning to other books in the Bible, find legends, poetry, fiction and the drama. The Puritans thought fiction wicked, therefore they did not think they could find it in the Bible. We have ceased to think that fiction is wicked. The scientific student takes the Jonah parable as a lesson of the character and mercy of God."

Dr. Abbott's oration at the funeral of Henry George was one of his most notable efforts. He belongs to one of the best known New England families. He is the third son of Jacob Abbott and was born in Rexford, Mass., in 1835. He was a close friend and admirer of Henry Ward Beecher after meeting him in Plymouth church. In Dr. Abbott's opinion the central question for the nineteenth century to solve is that presented by the difference between naturalism and supernaturalism—the question whether Christianity is an evolution from below and Jesus Christ the highest type of human development, or whether it is a gift from above and Jesus Christ a divine manifestation from God. On this question Mr. Beecher was a supernaturalist, and so is Dr. Abbott. —New York Herald.

LEGAL AID FOR POOR WOMEN

Society Formed In New Jersey to Furnish It Practically Free.

At the Woman's club, 17 Center street, Newark, N. J., there was formed the other morning an organization for the purpose of giving aid to poor women and children who are involved in lawsuits and other legal complications and are unable to pay for legal advice. It was decided to call it the New Jersey Legal Aid Society For Women and Children. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Emily E. Williamson of Elizabeth, secretary of the State Charities Aid association and president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Dr. Mary Hussey of East Orange acted as secretary, and the rooms were filled with prominent and earnest women workers of the state. Lawyer Mary Philbrook was one of the speakers.

After a long discussion of the subject a committee was appointed to prepare a plan. Those chosen were: Mrs. Williamson, Dr. Hussey, Mrs. Fanny J. Taylor of the Women's Union league, Newark; Miss Cecilia Gaines of the Jersey City Women's club, Miss Mary McKeen of Camden. Miss Anna H. Van Meter of Salem, Mrs. C. B. Alexander of Castle Point, Hoboken; Mrs. Emma Bourne of the state W. C. T. U., Mrs. James Benny of the Bayonne Charity Organization, Mrs. S. R. Krom of Plainfield, Mrs. Cornelia Bradford of the Social Settlement, Jersey City, and Mrs. B. F. Carpenter of Roselle.

One of the strongest motives of the society is the necessity for aiding poor women to obtain wages from employers who systematically rob their employees of sums too small to be worth suing for under ordinary conditions. The society proposes to charge a 10 cent retaining fee for collecting sums over $10 and nothing for less amounts.—New York Sun.

VERY RARE DISEASE.

Kansas City Woman Unable to Open Her Mouth For Twelve Years.

The rarest disease under treatment by Kansas City surgeons is perhaps a case of muscular anchylosis of the inferior maxillary. The patient is a young woman 18 years old, a domestic in the household of D. J. McMillen, dean of the Western Dental college, who is now superintending her treatment under the college clinics.

For 12 years the patient has not been able to open her mouth. When 6 years old, she had a spell of sickness which so affected the muscles of the lower jaw as to destroy their usefulness. The teeth are pressed together so firmly that only by exerting the greatest force can they be separated sufficiently to admit the point of a toothpick. Two front teeth were removed, so that she is able to take soft food and drinks.

The jaws are now being forced apart gradually by means of thin steel wedges. When the wedges are withdrawn, the patient is directed to work her lower jaw with her hands, so as to restore to the muscles their lost elasticity and strength. The dental surgeons expect to effect a perfect cure.—Kansas City World.

Islands at a Nickel Apiece.

An island for 5 cents seems an absurdity, but one situated in the strait of Mackinac was sold for that price recently by the register and receiver of the Marquette land office. The island in question is Rock island. It was put up in a bunch with Goose, Eagle and Haven islands and sold to the highest bidder, who happened to be William St. James of St. Ignace. None of the islands contains an entire acre. Mr. St. James bid $1.25 an acre for the property. As Rock island contains just one-twenty-fifth of an acre its purchase price was 5 cents. Green island, another tiny bit of land which was put up at the same sale, was purchased by Thomas Dwyer of this city. The same price was paid.—Mining Journal.

Rejoicing Over Our Tall Girls.

We are glad that just now the healthy, tall, athletic girl has the field, even though the result may be that at fashionable weddings, as we are told, it is no unusual occurrence to see the bride towering several inches above the bridegroom. This is no argument for women to stop growing, but rather a warning to men to forswear sack and live cleanly and so keep up with their partners in the game of life.—Providence Journal.

White Bread and Brown.

White bread is weight for weight more nutritious than brown. It thus would appear that the preference given by operatives in large towns to white bread has to a certain extent a sound physiological basis. In the case of people with irritable intestines white bread is to be preferred to brown.—British Medical Journal.

An Arizona Rattler.

They say that a man takes his life in his hand who sleeps on the ground in Arizona," said a young civil engineer the other day, "because there are so many snakes there. But unfortunately men of our profession cannot always choose their sleeping place. I was working down there a little while ago with another fellow, and one night we were obliged to lie down upon no better bed than our overcoats stretched on the ground. We were too tired to be nervous and slept soundly till after midnight, when my companion sprang up suddenly, waking me with a start.

"What's the matter?" I asked sleepily.

"There's a rattler here."

I listened and heard nothing.

"I don't hear him," I said. "Guess you've had a nightmare." So we settled down again. In a few minutes my friend leaped to his feet once more, exclaiming:

"There's a rattler here, sure's fate, and you'd better get up. I believe he's under my coat."

It was queer that I couldn't hear it if it was so near. I cautiously extended my hand, feeling along the ground. Yes, I know it was a foolish thing to do, but we don't always stop to think. Suddenly I burst out laughing.

"Yes," I said, "there is a rattler here, in your pocket too. You tell your sweetheart not to write you letters on such stiff paper."

We slept soundly for the rest of the night, but often since then I have guyed him about his "rattler."—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

Pat and the Battle.

"Pat, where did you get the whisky?" asked one section hand of another.

"Whist!" said Pat. "Oi swoiped it from the private car dat was here."

"Pat, the brass collars are going to miss it by and by. You better hide it," said the first speaker.

"Let's take this hand car and run down the track a ways and bury it," said Pat.

The two got a hand car and told the foreman they were going down the track to get some potatoes for dinner. Away they went down the track about a mile.

"This is a good place," said Pat. The two got off the car and buried the bottle near the track.

"How will we know where we buried it?" said Pat.

"Cut a notch in the side of the car," said his companion. So a notch was cut in the side of the car above where the bottle was buried and the two tarriers returned to their work. That evening they decided to go and dig up the bottle. Away they went.

"Where is the place?" asked Pat.

"I cut a notch in the car to show," said the other.

"And begorra I forgot all about it and moved the car," said Pat.—Topeka State Journal.

One of Muller's Anecdotes.

Froude and Kingsley were special favorites of Professor Max Muller, according to his recently published memoirs. Kingsley's refusal to pray for rain—or, as his friend expresses it, to degrade his sacred office to that of a rainmaker or a medicine man—reminds the professor of a story told to Kingsley by an American:

In America we manage these things better. A clergyman in a village on the frontier between two of our states prayed for rain. The rain came, and it soaked the ground to such an extent that the young lambs in the neighboring state caught cold and died. An action was brought against the clergyman for the mischief he had done, and he and his parishioners were condemned to pay damages to the sheep farmers. They never prayed for rain after that.—London News.

One of His "Whust Days."

Andrew Lang once called at the house of the late James Payn to inquire about his health. The servant informed him in a broad accent that it was one of the novelist's "whust days." Mr. Lang imagined that the servant referred to Mr. Payn being worse and expressed his regret and walked away. But the woman meant to say that it was the day on which Mr. Payn was wont to receive three old friends, who made a four at whist. Both gentlemen were amused at the mistake which deprived each of the pleasure of meeting. At the Reform club in years gone by there was a certain group of well known whist players, among whom James Payn was certain to be found enjoying "the rigor of the game."

Case of Necessity.

Dinguss—Old man, you've accommodated me a great many times, and I wouldn't strike you now if it wasn't a matter of absolute need. I am suffering for the lack of $10.

Shadbolt (reluctantly handing it over) —What's the trouble, Dinguss?

Dinguss—My wife has got her heart set on a wheel, and I need the $10 to make the first payment on it. Thanks, old fellow.—Chicago Tribune.

Contrary to All Precedent.

Railroad President—What does this mean, sir? You have one of the suburban trains leaving a station at 8 o'clock.

Superintendent—I—I thought that was right.

President—Right? Whoever heard of such a thing, sir? You must be crazy. The idea of any suburban train anywhere leaving a station exactly on the hour! Make it 7:59 or 8:01.—New York Weekly.

How She Viewed It.

Perhaps she was jealous, perhaps she wasn't; anyway, she had just heard of the engagement, and she could not help noticing the engaged girl's pride in her captured youth.

"Really," she said, and her lips curled scornfully, "there's no accounting for tastes, is there? Some people think they have won the game when they get the booby prize."—Chicago Post.

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CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

Continued from page 4.

Sabbath School Chrismas tree and treat tonight (Friday) at 6.30. A splendid programme of singing and reciting will be provided by the children. All welcome.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.

The Christmas theme of Rev. W. W. Dornan of the First United Presbyterian church Sunday morning will be, "Immanuel, or God with Us," and in the evening "The Incarnation, or God in Human Life."

The Christmas festival of the Sunday School will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 26, at Wilson's hall. The features of the evening will be Christmas tree, a literary and musical entertainment and a bounteous repast of the good things of life for the physical man.

UNITARIAN, WOLLASTON.

A chorus of sixteen voices with Mrs. Eva L. Baker, Miss Lulu Phelan and Mr. F.H Bishop as soloists will render the following Christmas music at the Wollaston Unitarian church at the 10.45 A. M. service:

Anthem, "Sing, O Heavens," Tours
Solo by Miss Phelan.
A Christmas Lullaby, Pfeuger
The Birthday of a King, Neidlinger
Solo by Mr. Bishop.
Soprano Solo, "Bethlehem," Coombs
Mrs. Baker.
Mr. J. E. Nickerson is the organist.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S, WOLLASTON.

At the morning prayer and holy communion there will be an elaborate Christmas programme as follows:

Processional Hymn, "Adeste Fideles."
Venite, G. J. Elvey.
Te Deum, King Hall in B flat.
Benedictus, F. A. G. Ouseley.
Introit Hymn, Sing O Siag, this Blessed morn.
Kyrie Eleison, B. Tours.
Gloria Tibi, Paxton.
Sermon Hymn, "O Little Tower of Bethlehem," Phillips Brooks.
Offertory, "The Hallowed Day," Sir John Stainer.
Soloist, Mr. John Howard Osborne.
Presentation, "Praise God.'
Sursum Corda, From the Ely Service Book.
Sanctus, Louis spoke.
Eucharistic Hymn, "Bread of the World."
Agnus Dei, Charles Gounod.
Gloria in Excelsis, C. Zeuner.
Recessional Hymn, "Once in Royal David's City."

At the evening prayer:

Tallis Choral Service.
First Selection of Psalms, Anglican Chants.
Magnifical, Kettle Armes.
Nunc Dimittis, Barnby.
Anthem, "The Hallowed Day," Stainer.
Hymn, "Joy to the World," Watts.
Offertory, Te Deum, King Hall.
Mr. E. Landis Snyder, Choirmaster.
Miss Eloise Flood, Organist.
Mrs. Charles G. Lee, Choirmother.

CONGREGATIONAL, WOLLASTON.

"The World's Sunrise" will be the theme of Rev. Edward Norton's Christmas sermon at the 10.45 service.

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon an interesting Christmas concert will be given by the Sunday School. At 4 P. M. on Monday, a Christmas festival.

MEMORIAL, ATLANTIC.

"God's Unspeakable Gift," will be the subject of Rev. J. H. Whitaker's sermon on Christmas morning, and there will be the following Christmas music: Tenor solo from Gonnod; for response, "The Christmas Prayer;" "The Shepherds" and "The Wise Men," from "The Hope of the World" by Schnecker.

Sunday evening at 7 o'clock there will be a Christmas concert by the Sabbath School, and at 6 P. M. on Monday a Christmas tree festival with a Christmas cantata by the school.

WEST QUINCY M. E.

Charles Goucher, the leader of the choir has arranged special music for the Christmas day service including: "O, Come all ye Faithful, Triumphantly sing," by P. A. Schnecker, and "Daughter of Zion," by F. C. Maker. Rev C. W. Wilder the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon.

The Sunday School will give a Christmas concert Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, the programme for which will probably be ready for the Saturday Ledger.

The Christmas tree festival will take place at 6 o'clock Monday evening, and efforts will be made to make everybody happy.

Several additional programmes have been received, but they are crowded out until tomorrow. Those who have not forwarded their programmes will please do so at once.

New Books.

List of recent additions to the Thomas Crane Public Library:

Bell, Malcolm. Sir Edward Burne-Jones: a record and review. 423 68
Champney, Elizabeth W. Witch Winnie series.
8. Witch Winnie in Venice. j 279 46
9. Witch Winnie in Spain. j 279 47
Cooper, Sarah. Animal life in the sea and on the land. j 494 26
Darwin, G. H. Tides and kindred phenomena in the solar system. 496 17
Davis, R. H. Cuban and Porto Rican campaigns. 392 51
Goethe, J. W. von. Autobiography. [Also, Annals; or, day and year papers.] 2v. 440 5, 6
Goodyear, W. H. Renaissance and modern art. 474 82
Gras, Felix. Terror: romance of the French revolution. 223 33
Sequel to Reds of the midi.
Harris, J. C. Tales of the home folks in peace and war. 239 38
Hepworth, G. H. Through Armenia on horseback. 133 19
Kelly, J. Fitzmaurice. History of Spanish literature. [Literatures of the world.] 75 4
Kidd, Benjamin. Control of the tropics. 68 43
Kirkland, Elizabeth S. Short history of Italy, 476—1878. 367 8
Lewis, H. H., *editor*. Gunner aboard the "Yankee" in the Spanish-American war. 392 52
Lovejoy, Mary I. *compiler*. Nature in verse: a poetry reader for children. j 517 40
Lyall, Edna, *pseud*. Hope the hermit. 259 56
Maartens, Maarten, *pseud*. Her memory. 238 30
Mackie, Pauline B. Ye lyttle Salem maide: story of witchcraft. 324 41
McManus, Blanche, *editor*. Bachelor ballads. Set to pictures. 517 37
Ober, F. A. Crusoe's island: a bird-hunter's story. [Appletons' home reading books.] j 142 25
Otis, James, *pseud*. When Israel Putnam served the king. j 289 23
Parker, Gilbert. Battle of the strong: romance of two kingdoms. 221 70
Rivers, G. R. R. Count's snuff-box: romance of Washington and Buzzard's bay during the war of 1812. 258 59
Royce, Josiah. Studies of good and evil: essays. 552 48
Sanderson, Edgar. History of the world to 1898. [Concise knowledge library.] 356 2
Spears, J. R. Our navy in the war with Spain. 392 47
Story, A. T. Story of photography. [Library of useful stories.] 481 37
Straiemeyer, Edward. Minute boys of Lexington. j 274 44
Tennyson, Hallam, *baron*. Alfred, Lord Tennyson. 2v. 424 55, 56
Torrey, Bradford. World of green hills. 102 42
Watson, H. B. Marriott. Adventurers: tale of treasure trove. 328 39
Weyman, S. J. Castle inn. 216 41
Wood, Esther. Dante Rosetti and the pre-Raphaelite movement. 474 72
Wyckoff, W. A. Workers: the East. 69 49
Same: the West. 69 50

Real Estate Sales.

James H. Porter to Henry S. Porter, $1.
Caroline J. Hobart et al, to George F. Spooner, $917.
City of Quincy to Mary Sheehy, $12.
Nathan G. Nickerson to Annie G. Thomas, $1.
Eliza C. Barnicoat executrix, to Charles F. Adams, et al, trs., $500.
Wilbur N. Elton et al, to John V. Scott, $1.
Winfield S. Norwood to Isaiah E. Wagner, $1.
Ole D. Nelson by mortgagee, to Frederick E. Tupper, $300.
Fred. E. Tupper to Herbert J. Whitman, $1.
Caro. J. Hobart et al, to Mattie J. Drake, $1.
John Swithin, et al, trs., to John W. Chisholm, $1.

Great Shooters of Europe.

In Europe, where the question of a game supply does not enter into consideration, killing for count is recognized as legitimate and sportsmanlike. He is considered to have made a record of honor who has bagged the largest numbers of birds or other game. Thus we read of one Trauttmansdorff — Prince Carl Trauttmansdorff—who has to his credit for a single day's shooting the slaughter of 862 head of game, with the best bag of pheasants, 303; of partridges, 632; of hares, 416; of rabbits, 638; of roebuck, 12; of fallow deer, 20, and of blackcock, 14, and a best year's count of 10,833 head of assorted game. Another record smasher is Earl de Gray, whose exploits have been duly tabulated for a series of years, from 1867 to 1895. His pheasants score was 111,119, with 89,401 partridges, 47,468 grouse, 26,747 rabbits, and as many hares, 2,735 snipe, 2,077 woodcock, 1,393 wild duck, 567 deer, 12 buffalo. 11 tigers, a couple of rhinoceroses, and 9,000 assorted, making a total of 316,699 for the entire period, or about 11,000 annually. This is a record which the most industrious market shooter in this country would needs work hard to equal. In very truth the noble sportsman must have been a monomaniac in the field. Yet for all his slaughter the game supply where he shot has not been permanently diminished.—Forest and Stream.

The effort to make sugar from beets dates back as far as the year 1747.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

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SHE WHIPPED A BULL.

Passing Young Woman Saves a Man's Life In a Farmyard.

That Miss Sallie Reifenrath of Flemington, N. J., is made of the stuff which constitutes heroines was very plainly demonstrated by a thrilling incident in which she figured conspicuously the other day.

Edward Able is an athletic young farmhand in the employ of Theodore Tinsman, near Bloomsbury, N. J., and several times he has had encounters with a fiery young bull which seemed to have a special grudge against him. Able managed to come out ahead in these scrimmages, for he is a courageous fellow. Nevertheless he kept a sharp eye on the beast, which seemed to watch him too. Able had almost forgotten his enemy while busy about the barnyard the other day, but the bull's memory was not so bad, for as the farmhand passed him with his back turned the bull was upon him in a twinkling. With a low bellow and eyes ablaze the brute caught Able and tossed him high in the air. As the young man came down the bull was at him again and with fierce energy caught him on his short, sharp horns and threw him violently against the wheel of a wagon. Able's stomach struck against the hub, and he became unconscious.

At that instant Miss Reifenrath happened along the road, saw the farmhand's peril and acted instantly. She hurried to the barn, got a pitchfork and sprang to the rescue. The bull had backed off for another charge upon the helpless young man, but as he moved forward, with lowered head, he suddenly encountered the sharp tines of the pitchfork in the hands of the plucky young woman. It was a case of beauty and the beast, and for a brief space it was a question whether the beast would not win the battle and score two lives to his credit.

Miss Reifenrath followed up the bull's hesitation by vigorous prods with the fork and slowly drove him back into the barn, where he was secured. Then the young heroine summoned help, and the unconscious farmhand was carried into the house. Doctors were called, and they found that, besides a broken collar bone, Able was badly cut and bruised from head to foot. They think he will recover, however. Miss Reifenrath did not seem to regard her heroic act as anything out of the ordinary and went on her way unconcerned.—Philadelphia Record.

JOHN STORM'S PROTOTYPES

Original of "The Christian's" Hero Is a Monk In London.

Hall Caine recently named at Chicago for the first time the original of the character of John Storm in "The Christian."

"John Storm had not one, but two, prototypes in life," said he. "One will call Father J. and the other is James Adderley, son of a peer. Father J. today is at work in Shoreditch, and has the confidence of the thieves who inhabit a part of the slums where a policeman has never gone.

"He was the son of the rector of Shoreditch, with perhaps some of the monastic idea, though more with the purpose of applying the principles of Christianity in the more practical fashion that opened itself to his mind. He preached first in a barn; he lived with thieves; he shared their pleasures. Boxing was their pastime, and the public house its scene. He let them box, and gave them his church to box in. He has a large building now, a lodging house and church.

"Jim Adderley was an Oxford man, and when he secured his degree he turned his back on the west end and went to live in the slums. He drifted toward monasticism. When I made his acquaintance, he was wearing a robe of the Anglican monk, a cord about his waist three times knotted to show that he had taken the vows. He was the physical likeness of John Storm, and, like him, he left his class to serve an ascetic ideal. He has been accepted as John Storm, and he has accepted to a certain degree the part."—New York Journal.

Manana.

The winter snows were falling fast
As through the streets of Paris passed
A man who bore mid snow and ice
A banner with the strange device—
Manana.

His brow was sad; his eye below
Would indicate that he was slow;
While like a last year's bird's nest rung
The accents of that unknown tongue—
Manana.

In many ways he knew that he
Should hustle most prodigiously;
And though perhaps he might have tried,
He only didn't, as he sighed—
Manana.

"Go, get a move on!" thousands said,
"At that gait you can't get ahead.
Give up your ancient, moss grown pride,"
And soft the Spanish voice replied—
Manana.

"Oh, stay," the maiden said, "and rest
Your weary head upon this breast!"
A tear stood in his dark brown eye,
And still he answered with a sigh—
Manana.

"Say, what's the matter? Don't you know
You haven't got a bit of show
That any power will take your side?"
A voice, half tears, half trick, replied—
Manana.

At break of day the Yankees held
The Spaniard by the neck and yelled,
"Give up the stuff"—their daily prayer.
A voice cried through the startled air—
Manana.

A Spaniard in the snow was found
By persons who were nosing round,
Still grasping in his hand of ice
That banner with the strange device—
Manana.

There in the twilight cold and gray,
Lifeless, but Spanish still, he lay,
And from the sky, serene and far,
A voice fell like a falling star—
"Snowed under,
Froze out,
Done for,
Got it in the neck,
Left at the post,
Swatted,
Swiped,
Busted, by thunder!"

—W. J. L. in New York Sun.

The Use of Hot Drinks.

Hot drinks have come into wide use during late years among persons afflicted with indigestion. A tepid fluid exerts a marked sedative influence on the gastric mucous membrane and often relieves the painful sensations following the meals of a chronic dyspeptic.

Less recognized perhaps is the influence of hot drinks on the motor functions of the stomach. In the ordinary course of events nothing remains in the stomach six hours after a meal, and the presence of alimentary debris after that period indicates the presence of some degree of muscular paresis. This condition of things may be greatly benefited by the use of hot water with or immediately after meals, but in chronic cases permanent benefit can only be obtained by perseverance, the treatment being methodically carried out for some months.

As might be anticipated, the hot water treatment does not ameliorate the secretory defects in the same degree as the muscular weakness, but by maintaining the stomach in a hygienic condition we may, at any rate, hope to check further degradation of the peptic glands. The temperature of hot drinks should be from 105 to 110 degrees F.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Cause For Blueness.

The clubman was looking particularly blue, and when asked by his clubmates for the cause, he said:

"This evening, just after dark, as I was coming down to the club, walking along, thinking of nothing in particular, I was hit in the back by what seemed to be a locomotive and knocked sprawling into the gutter. It was muddy there, and when I had collected my scattered senses I was all covered with dirt and also very mad. I looked around to see what hit me and found a young man and a safety bicycle on the pavement, all tangled up. I was mad, as I said before, and, without stopping to think what I did, I took that young man by the coat collar and kicked him off the pavement. Then I jumped on the bicycle, smashed all the spokes out of the wheels and generally disfigured it."

Here the gentleman stopped, and one of his audience said:

"Well, why should that make you feel as you do? You did just the right thing."

"I suppose I hadn't ought to feel so," said the speaker; "but, you see, it was my boy and my bicycle."—Pearson's Weekly.

Animal Peculiarities.

A herd of wild Asian buffaloes will charge any foe, even a tiger, to save the life of one of their number who has been wounded. Elephants, baboons and other animals will do the same thing in a wild state.

On the other hand, monkeys have been known to fall upon one of their number who is ill and drown him, possibly as an act of mercy. Similarly wolves destroy one of the pack which becomes helpless.

If an otter is trapped, his brother otter will run around him all night, showing the utmost concern.

A writer in The Spectator states that he has seen sparrows in groups discussing and lamenting when one of their number had fallen into a trap. Next day, when a robin was caught, the sparrows paid no attention.

He adds that he had seen a big pig try to help a smaller one through a hole in the fence paling by pulling at its head.

St. John tells of a highland shepherd whose cat brought him some edible bird nearly every day in the year.

An Impression.

The friends of a local art connoisseur are telling a tiny but fairly good joke at his expense. It seems that he was passing up Baronne street the other day with a lady who had asked him to explain the meaning of the term "impressionist," and he halted before an unfinished building to illustrate his remarks.

"The impressionist school," he said, "deals with effects in mass. Now, when I look at that wall over there I don't see the separate bricks. I merely"—Just then a careless mason on the upper scaffolding dropped a fragment from his pile of material and smashed in the top of the gentleman's new silk hat. He removed the shattered tile and gazed pensively at the wreck. "I merely get an impression of brick," he added, with dignity. — New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Went Them Several Better.

Fritz Williams, the actor, was sitting one evening in a New York cafe, when two very young men came in. They beckoned condescendingly to a waiter.

"Waiter," said the one, "bring me a chop. Mind it's just right, now. Just mention my name to the cook."

"You may bring me a steak," said the other, just as grandly, "and tell the cook who it's for."

The waiter was half way across the room, which was crowded, when Fritz Williams hailed him.

"Waiter," he drawled, "bring me half a dozen Blue Points, and mention my name to every darned oyster."—Exchange.

Mythological Comparisons.

In the course of the conversation, which turned on mythology, the chancellor said he could never endure Apollo, who flayed Marsyas out of conceit and envy and slew the children of Niobe for similar reasons. "He is the genuine type of a Frenchman, one who cannot bear that another should play the flute better than or as well as himself."—"Bismarck Memoirs" by Busch.

It used to happen in Java that, owing to want of transportation facilities, the inhabitants of one part of the island might be starving while those of another had as much rice as they could eat. Railways have remedied that state of affairs.

The first permanent military force in England was the king's guard of yeomen, established in 1486.

WEYMOUTH.

Dr. Bullock who has been seriously ill, is again able to attend to his practice.

At the Baptist parsonage, Wednesday evening, Mr. Hiram B. Chase and Miss Nellie F. Belcher, both of South Weymouth, were united in marriage by Rev. F. B. Cressey.

Richard Rollins has returned from a business trip through the west.

This afternoon special exercises were held at all the public schools in town.

Frank Perry and William Jordan have opened offices in the building formerly occupied by the Weymouth Savings Bank.

Stewart Jordan who is attending school at Worcester, is home for the holidays.

Thomas Martell of Co. K. 5th Regiment, which is in camp at South Carolina, is home on a twenty-four days' furlough.

Christmas will be observed at Trinity church, Weymouth, in the spirit of the season. The church will be decorated with Chrristmas green, and special services, music and sermons will commemorate the day. On Christms eve, (Saturday) at 7.30 o'clock, the Snnday School Christmas festival will be held, with singing of Christmas carols, recitations by the children, distribution of gifts from the tree, and an address by the rector, subject, "The Holy Night." On Christmas day, (Sunday) there will be service with sermon and holy communion at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12.15, and evening service with sermon at 7.30 P. M. The subject of morning sermon by Rev. William Hyde will be, "What Christ's Birth has done for the World," and the evening subject, "His Wonderful Name."

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Te Deum, Van Loskelch
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"Gloria Tibi," Paxton
"It came upon the Midnight," Westlake
"Offertory," Martin
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"Gloria in Excelsis," Old Chant

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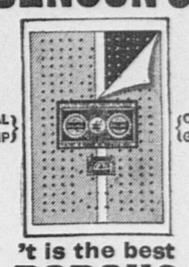

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A Merrie Christmas.

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Several house parties are to be given after Christmas in honor of the men and women home from colege. Thus far Quincy has been rather quiet.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lane Bigelow have gone to Boston for the winter and are domiciled at 330 Commonwealth avenue.

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Miss Ruth Randall returned from Bryn Mawr this wek for the holidays. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Prince of New York, who will be her guest during the college recess.

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Being Christmas eve there will be no entertainment in the People's course of entertainments tonight.

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The patronesses at the Christmas party, to be given on Monday afternoon at Plumer's hall, will be Miss Beatrice Tisdale and Miss Audrey Rhines. They will be assisted in receiving by two little girls, Ella Packard and Angie Drinkwater. The ushers will be Mr. Brooks Keyes and Mr. George Hewson.

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Miss Florence Osborne of Wellesley Hills was in town this week visiting friends.

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Miss Florence Howe and her cousin Mr. Edward Hodges, will go to Hartford, Conn., on Monday, to visit Dr. and Mrs. Hunt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ewart of Braintree opened their pleasant home last Thursday evening to the teachers of the Monatiquot Grammar school and invited the principal, Mr. Field, to entertain his teachers there. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

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There is one more lesson in this quarter for the dancing pupils of Miss Corlew, but a new quarter will be opened Saturday, Jan. 7.

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The dance held in Norfolk Downs hall last evening by Mr. Stephen Edwards, Jr., Atlantic, was a very social affair and largely attended. Robinson's orchestra furnished music for the occasion.

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Miss Hayward's dancing class has been so satisafactory that she has decided to form an advanced class immediately after Christmas. Miss Hayward was a favorite pupil of Miss Post of Boston and follows her methods. Delsarte movements are a part of the instruction.

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Mrs. Frank Beyer of Stoughton has moved to Quncy.

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Mr. Alvah Morrison, Mr. Lowell Hayden and Mr. Ralph Rogers of Braintree, gives a complimentary dance in Pythian hall, Braintree, on Wednesday, Dec. 28. Miss Jane Reed, Miss Gertrude Babcock, Miss Patty Faxon and Miss Helen Claflin are among the Quincy young ladies invited.

"When Christmas night is bright and clear,
An omen 'tis of a prosperous year;
But on that night the wind and rain
Much unhealth bring in their sad train.

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Miss Annie T. Kelley of Atlantic, is spending her Christmas vacation with friends in Chicago.

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A merry party of little people assisted Edwina Randlett Sweetland formerly of Quincy, to observe her fifth birthday on Tuesday afternoon, December twentieth, at her home, 263 Broadway, Somerville. Games were played and refreshments served. The march to the dining-room, led by little Dorothy Sweetland was a pretty sight, as each child wore a bright colored cap of paper. A feature of the occassion was the cutting and serving of the birthday cake, gracefully performed by the little hostess. Many pretty gifts were received and each child was given a souvenir.

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Most of the churches are to hold Christmas festivals tonight for the Sunday Schools and there is a great deal of mirth and general good feeling about today.

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Cards have been received in Quincy for the marriage of Miss Mirabel Depew Folger, daughter of Mrs. Charles Worth Folger of Geneva, N. Y., and Mr. Orlo Jay Hablin of Smethport, Penn., the ceremony to be performed at Trinity church, Geneva, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 4.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bennett have left Germantown and moved to their winter home at Roxbury.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederic A. Tupper have gone to Shelburne Falls, Mass., for a week.

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The marriage of Miss Mae Arnold Lincoln, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Annes A. Lincoln and Mr. Ernest Abbott Hicks of Portland, Me., will take place on Wednesday evening, January 4, at the residence of the bride's parents, Grand View avenue, Wollaston. Invitations to the reception were issued on Wednesday.

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Miss Isabelle Gallagher of Braintree is at Easthampton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes of Hamilton street, Wollaston Park, gave a whist party at their home Tuesday evening, at which eight tables were filled. After two hours' play, score cards were compared, resulting in Mrs. Henry R. Smith being declared the winner of the ladies' first prize and coincidently Miss Lillin Smith, the daughter, won second prize. Mr. V. A. Mayer had the highest score among the gentleman while Mr. William M. Chase and Mr. George A. Dickey were tied for second prize. A cut of the cards gave Mr. Chase the second prize. Social chat, vocal solos by Mr. Charles Taner, and light refreshments followed.

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Everything in the shape of a long chain is now called a Cyrano chain; and everything in the shape of a woman is now wearing one.

The Fragmet society connected with First church is to give the young people a jolly time next Wednesday afternnoon when a hurdy gurdy party is to be given at Music hall from two to six.

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Mrs. Harry Porter was a guest of the Woman's Press club at the Parker house, Boston, Wednesday evening. She played the accompaniments for several songs of her composition, sung by Mr. Edward Osgood.

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Mr. George B. Langley son of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Langley of Washington street is to be married at Pawtucket on Tuesday, Dec. 27, to Miss Sarah Louise Maxwell. They are to reside on Whitwell street.

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Miss Lizzie Morse is visiting her brother, Mr. Joseph C. Morse, of Goffe street.

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"Five hours with a Wollaston baby," is the title of the latest story written by Wollaston's author, Mr. A. J. Preston. It will appear in the Patriot of December 31.

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Rustling linings are no longer the thing. Soft silks are given precedence and many prefer cashmere as it drapes in more graceful folds than silk.

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Miss Jennie M. Dyer of Braintree is home from Ashburnham for the holidays.

TO HAVE A GATE.

Turnstile in Wollaston Depot Fence to be Removed.

Work was begun yesterday on a new exit for the Wollaston station, to take the place of the two turnstiles. The new exit will be simply a gate to be opened only for the outward bound trains. It will be operated from the ticket office by levers and rods similar to those used for the turnstiles.

Although this is far from what the Wollaston people desire, it will undoubtedly be an improvement over the dirty and dangerous turnstiles.

The road should give to the city, or at least allow its use by the inhabitants, the concrete walks which abuts on the station grounds on Newport avenue and which is now enclosed by the fence. Ex-General Manager Allen in venting his spite against the Wollaston people, also unnecessarily deprived them of this well built sidewalk and compelled the people to literally alight from trains into a gutter. General Manager Chamberlain should now see that this wrong is righted. It will go far toward smoothing over this bitter feeling which Wollaston has against the New Haven road.

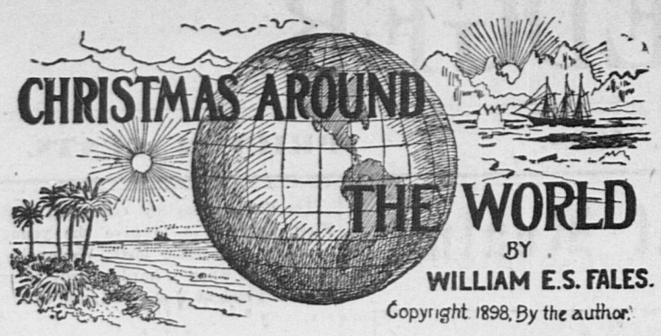
A Bad Short Cut.

Mr. S. of Wollaston Park, says the longest way home is the shortest in one respect at least. Accompanied by his sister on the way home from a whist party last Tuesday evening he suggested a short cut across the field. In doing so he shortened the distance about a hundred yards but there was a brook of real cold water between them and home, a single plank served as a bridge. That plank had a thin coating of ice.

Mr. S.'s sister passed over safely, but Mr. S. was not so careful. He passed only about half way over, he hesitated. It is said that he who hesitates, loses." Mr. S. lost; he lost his balance. The distance to the water was not great, neither was it warm; it was deep enough, however, to convince him that a pair of hip rubber boots would be preferable to a pair of tan shoes on such occasions. When asked if any bad results followed his involuntary bath he cheerily answered, "not to me, but my sister hasn't stopped laughing yet."

The 112th annual meeting of the Old Stoughton Musical Society will be held in the Town Hall, South Braintree, on Sunday, at 6 P. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of such business as may properly come before them. The Sing will be held from 7 to 9 P. M. the chorus singing from the "Society's Centennial Collection" and the "Jubilee Book of '72." Pres. Daniel H. Huxford of Randolph will preside, Chorister Nelson Mann of Randolph will direct the chorus, and Secretary Edwin A. Jones of Stoughton will lead the orchestra. Mrs. Charles C. Farnham of Randolph, Mr. Charles Kohler of Braintree, Master James M. Olmsted, the 12-year old boy singer of Avon and a quartette from Braintree are expected to appear in special selections, and with the tunes by the chorus, the time wil be amply filled. It is believed this sing will be one of the best the society has ever held.

The tall hat worn by men first appeared in France nearly 500 years ago.



It was at a pleasant dinner party at a famous New York hotel, when the conversation turned to the approaching Christmas. The guests were of various callings, but all were qualified to join the Travelers' club, having visited at least three continents.

"What was the oddest Christmas you ever spent?" asked one at a pause in the general chat.

"I certainly can claim the most northerly one," said Captain Leonard Smith, formerly of New Bedford. "It was when I was whaling in the arctic seas and my ship was icebound in the pack about 100 miles north of Alaska. It was a beautiful day, clear, quiet and intensely cold. The stars looked like sharp points, the moon like a clean cut silver disk and the heavens as black as sin. Scientifically it was day, but as a matter of fact it was pure midnight. Our bill of fare was wonderful. We had seething punch, tea and coffee. Our meats were corned beef, corned pork, and, best of all, some polar bear meat and seal blubber. I will not recommend seal blubber for these latitudes, but in the far north, after many months on salt horse and canned goods, it's as delicious as boiled chicken. We had potatoes, carrots, yellow turnips and gingerbread pudding with real raisins in it. There wasn't a dish any one here would look at at the present moment, but all on board vowed it was the finest banquet they could recall."

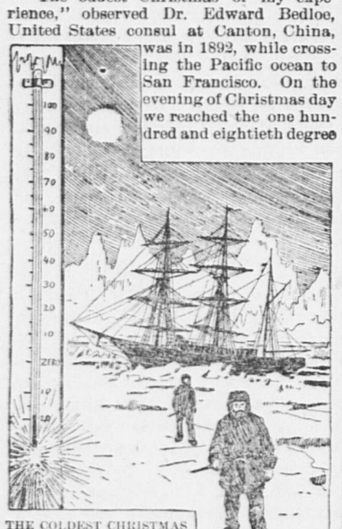
"If I did not have the most southerly Christmas, I had certainly the hottest," remarked William Pender McLean, once editor of the Hongkong Telegraph, but now a Gothamite. "It was at Port Darwin, in Australia, which, next to the Mohave desert, is probably the hottest spot on earth. December there is equivalent to our June, and the weather of their Christmas is that of our Fourth of July.

"On account of that frightful scourge, the white ant, timber cannot be used in house construction, so that the roofs are made of iron girders and corrugated sheet iron galvanized. This makes a house a veritable oven. The thermometer was way over the 100 mark, and every one in our party was a picture of perspiration and discomfort. But we were determined to celebrate Christmas in good old fashioned style.

"We had a Christmas tree, wreaths and evergreens, and some one hung up a bunch of what he called mistletoe. Luckily we had an ice factory there, and so secured small blocks of comfort at 4 or 5 cents a pound. Every drink, excepting the punch, was iced, and every food, excepting the turkey and plum pudding, was cold.

"One poetic youth shook a belt of sleigh bells to arouse the imagination and another read aloud Dickens' immortal Christmas carol. We tried to picture the nipping cold enjoye[illegible]y Scrooge and Marley's ghost, but the effort proved futile. Yet the awful heat could not weaken the Christmas spirit, and both dinner and day were unalloyed delight."

"The oddest Christmas of my experience," observed Dr. Edward Bedloe, United States consul at Canton, China, was in 1892, while crossing the Pacific ocean to San Francisco. On the evening of Christmas day we reached the one hundred and eightieth degree



THE COLDEST CHRISTMAS.

of west longitude, where there is no time. Here when a ship is going west an entire day is dropped from the calendar, so that you go to bed Wednesday night and wake up Friday morning. In going east, you reverse the process and repeat the day.

"By extraordinary luck this happened to me, as I said, on Christmas, so that I had two Christmas days the same year. The captain of our good Pacific Mail steamer told us that the event had never happened before in the history of the company and to the best of his knowledge had never happened before to any craft. If that be true, the 60 passengers and 150 crew may well boast of their experience.

"But two consecutive Christmas days are not a success. The dinner of the second day seems insipid by contrast with that of the first, and the merriment of the latter is succeeded by weariness on the former. It is a curious place, that one hundred and eightieth degree of longitude. It plays havoc with grammar and time.

"According to the way you are going you can say truthfully: 'Tomorrow is today and today was yesterday. Today was yesterday and tomorrow will be today. Tomorrow has no yesterday, and yesterday has no tomorrow.' Thoughts like these are confusing, to say the least."

"I can claim credit for the wettest Christmas," cheerily voiced Walter Hutchinson, the traveling agent of a great Liverpool house. "It was in the Malay country near Singapore. The climate there was wittily summed up by the great governor Sir Stamford Raffles as consisting of 'two seasons, the wet and the dry. In the latter it rains every 15 minutes; in the former all the time.' Christmas eve it was shower, shower, shower. During the night it poured. Christmas morning the landscape was like a mermaid's paradise. The road was a line of unbroken water, the river not far away seemed a moving deluge, the fields were sheets of water, broken by bushes and trees in mathematical patterns and the uncultivated land was an overflowed marsh.

"The air was full of warm steam, and you could almost feel the vegetation growing. The table linen and clothing were damp. The water condensed on furniture and trickled in little streams down the walls. If a boat had sailed into the drawing room, it would have caused no surprise. My host had a blazing fire in his fireplace, a poor imitation of the real article, but it cast a ruddy glow in the room, and, what was better still, made a pleasant draft. We did not think of snow or ice or any other form of water. We had too much of it around us everywhere."

"My oddest Christmas was in Egypt," told the writer. "I was the guest of a dear friend, Dr. James F. Love, pasha, who was attached to the khedive's staff. His home was a palace similar in architecture to those in Italian cities, but colored in Arab suggestions. Within it was truly oriental. Inlaid and arabesqued furniture, relics of Pharaohs, Ptolemies, Phœnicians and Romans, weapons of Saracens, Bedouins and Sudanese, Persian and Afghan rugs, lion and tiger skins, servants yellow, brown and black. Luxury, almost languor, everywhere. Outside the palms nodded and huge Persian rosebushes thrust their glorious branches into the windows. Listless fellahin, scowling Bedouins, stalwart Sudanese, crafty Armenians and sinister Levantines passed to and fro. On the corner Tommy Atkins in scarlet coat and with bayoneted rifle stood on guard, making the traveler thank God for Great Britain. There was a Christmas dinner with an eastern finish. The turkey was stuffed with pistachio nuts and Indian spices, the soup was mulligatawny, the fish was red mullet, the entree was a dainty Turkish pilau, the coffee was the same Mocha as the khedive's, and one of the wines came from the same Alexandrian vineyard which supplied the Cæsars. There was a plum pudding imported from England, and, most wonderful of all, corn bread. New England mince pie and canned stewed terrapin from Philadelphia. In special honor of the day we drank from cups of which the youngest may have seen Mahmoud the Terrible and the oldest might have touched Moses' lips when he was a youth in the royal court of the Nile. One of the period of Cæsar, a humble piece of pottery, may have refreshed Joseph and Mary in their flight into Egypt. Where we sat we were in touch with 4,000 years of history. The very site of the palace may have felt the feet of Alexander, Ptolemy, Cleopatra, Mark Antony, Bishop Cyril and Napoleon. Through an open door we could catch a glimpse of a matchless prie dieu, and in its center a wonderful crucifixion carved by a master's hand looked down upon the place."

THE HOTTEST CHRISTMAS.

"Woodman, Spare That Tree!"

"Don't you think, dear," said Mrs. Firkins, "that it is time we were seeing about getting the Christmas tree for the children?"

"No, my dear, I don't," said Mr. Firkins, with great sternness. "We've got to stop that sort of thing."

"Why?" said Mrs. Firkins.

"Because I've been looking into the matter," returned Firkins, "and I have become impressed with the necessity for the preservation of our forests. It's a very grave matter, my dear; very grave indeed! No patriotic citizen can after this conscientiously encourage the reckless cutting of pine and hemlock. And I'm not going to help ruin our forests for any old Christmas superstition!"

Then he went down town and spent $5 for a box of Christmas cigars for himself.

For the Sake of Self Protection.

When Mr. Nuwed rushed into his favorite cigar store, the perspiration was rolling down his face, and he looked excited.

"Quick, Charlie!" he said to the young man behind the counter. "Get out a box of Cuba Superbas for me! My wife will be in here in five minutes to buy me a box of cigars, and she'll try to buy 'em for 59 cents. Here's $5. Sell her those Superbas for the 59 cents, old man, and save my life."

And as Mrs. Nuwed stepped timidly in her affectionate but precautionary spouse stepped out the back way.

Idealism and Realism.

"What do you think, my dear?" exclaimed Mr. Brownjones in tones of joyful excitement. "You know the Federation of Authors is meeting in our city. Well, we are to have the honor of entertaining the celebrated novelist Golfolphin Whatnot as our guest."

"Um," responded Mrs. Brownjones enigmatically. "Is Mr. Whatnot a realist or an idealist?"

"Why do you want to know?" asked Brownjones, surprised.

"Well, if he is an idealist I can just leave things as they are, but if he is a realist I must give the house a thorough cleaning from top to bottom. I may not be literary, but I've dipped into realistic novels, and I know their style: 'The right hand curtain hung slightly askew, suggesting that one of the drapery pins had lost its grip. A pendulous cobweb waved mournfully from the cornice just above the door leading into the hall, and there was a fine bloom of dust, like that of the purple grape, on the piano lid. In the left hand corner of the room, almost buried in the pile of somewhat faded carpet, was an invisible hairpin, clearly indicating the recent presence of a woman in the apartment.' Find out right away, Barrington, what Mr. Whatnot is, and then I shall know how to proceed. I have no desire to let my house afford material to a realistic observation sharp."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Tears For Revenue Only.

A heterogeneous collection of loafers sat in the village public house, alternately wiping their eyes and sighing heavily. The landlord's son had been buried that day, and a fitting air of gloom pervaded the place.

"What a lot of fuss you make about it!" cried a smart young bravo who had been surveying the company with ill concealed disgust. "Why should we bother ourselves about a corpse?"

The others stared at him aghast, but before they could reply the landlord himself came in and proceeded to serve out quarts of ale in dignified fashion. He went round the room systematically until he came to the smart young man, who held out his hand for the pitcher.

"Nay, lad, tha'll get no ale from me," said the landlord.

"Why not?" was the aggrieved question.

"'Cos tha hesn't earnt it like t'rest. They've been blubbing for two hours, an tha hesn't as much as ta'en thy handkerchief art o' thy pocket. My motto today is 'No blub, no ale;' so tha's got to go wi'out."

Then the young man understood why the grief of the company had been so intense.—London Telegraph.

As to Horseback Riding.

The Kentuckian was talking freely about horses. Although it was a sale stable, he was speaking his mind. He had made the proper speeches about the gait of the beautiful creatures the darky trainer trotted up and down; he had not lost his look of grave acquiescence when he heard things about the horse who trots. But a chance word touched his true thought, and he spoke the faith of Kentuckians and westerners, Texans and Californians, in something this wise: "That's right. It ain't really riding to jolt up and down and look stylish on a trotting horse. You can't say much about it in Boston, or anywhere in cities where people don't care about the easy steps. They don't know what you're talking ab[illegible]t. It's a queer notion and one my folks in Kentucky can't get used to—that a trotting horse can be a saddle horse. Women want to be stylish, though, everywhere, and they would learn how to rise up like the Boston women. But they didn't keep it up. A steal away and the gallop's the thing for country American riding."—Boston Transcript.

Wisdom Beyond His Years.

His mother found him in the jam and reprimanded him. A little later she caught him teasing his baby sister and reprimanded him again.

"I don't see what's got into you, Willie," she said. "You're usually the good little boy, but today you're up to all kinds of mischief."

"I'm tired of being good," he returned with juvenile frankness.

"Tired of being good!" she exclaimed. "What do you mean by that?"

"Well, brother Bob is naughty most of the time, and you're always giving him things to get him to be good, and I guess I'll be naughty for awhile and see if I don't get something too."

Sometimes a youngster seems to have wisdom beyond his years.—Chicago Post.

Patient Rosy.

Rosy McShane was a fairly good maid of all work, but, like most of her kind, she was woefully slack in caring for her own room.

Her mistress was ill for two or three weeks, and on recovering she went up to Rosy's room and found it in a state of dirt and disorder beyond description.

Very indignant, she called Rosy, and said:

"Rosy, I don't see how you can stand to have your room like this!"

Smiling pleasantly, Rosy made reply: "Ah, thin, ma'am, but I was iver a patient person."—Harper's Bazar.

Not to Be Thought Of.

"Have you selected your topic for a graduation essay?" said the dear girl's mother.

"Yes. It is 'The Injurious Restraints of Superstition, Ancient and Modern.'"

"That's very interesting. You must get right to work on it."

"Oh, dear, no! You wouldn't have me begin it on Friday, would you?"—Washington Star.

London suburban travel is made attractive by the presence in the stations of young women who beg for all kinds of charitable objects. One man in a hurry, after running the gantlet in the street, was stopped five times between the station door and the train by respectable beggars.

Southern Dialect.

The southern dialect continues to reveal its quaintness. Mr. Torrey has recorded this Florida dialogue:

"What time might it be?"

"Six o'clock."

"Lan sakes! I didn't know it was so sune as that."

"Soon" in this case probably meant early. He has also put on record the answer of the North Carolinian who was asked if he had been at the World's fair:

"No. I 'lowed for to went, but I didn't git to go."

I have lately heard a bit of genuine negro English which may do to go with these examples. A young woman of my acquaintance was visiting at a house where a colored lad was kept as a sort of boy of all work. After she had been there a day she overheard a conversation between the cook and this boy:

"How do you like the company?" asked the cook.

"I like her right well," said the boy.

"Do you think she's pretty?"

"Well," said the lad, "she ain't 'zackly pretty, but she'll dew well 'nough whar dar ain't no better at!"—Boston Transcript.

Glass Cutting.

The layman who is introduced to the mysteries of cutting glass for the first time is amazed at the amount of work that the workman does entirely by his eye. The first stage of the bowl which is to be cut finds it in a perfectly plain condition, not a scratch upon it and only a half dozen or more marks in red chalk, which mean absolutely nothing to the unpracticed eye. But to the workman they mean the whole pattern. Perhaps the dish is a salad bowl. The marks in chalk will run from the edge, five intervals apart, down to the center of the bowl at the bottom. In one of the divisions of the bowl thus marked there may be a little further marking in the shape perhaps of a diamond. This indicates the pattern into which the bowl is to be cut, and it will be repeated in each of the five divisions. All the intricacies of the design the workman has in his head, and they develop on the glass in a way which seems to the looker on absolutely marvelous.—New York Times.

A Wonderful Creature.

The polyp is the most remarkable creature on earth. If cut transversely or longitudinally into several parts, each will become a perfect animal. Trembly turned them inside out and they ate and enjoyed themselves as much as ever. He slit two longitudinally, placed the halves together, and united them into two animals. He divided two transversely and created one with two heads. He pushed one down the throat of another, a third down the throat of the second, and thus formed a creature with three heads.

They Destroy His Works.

In China the faith in heredity is so strong that when a "habitual criminal" is captured they not only cut him into small pieces, but put all his sons and grandsons to death. The Celestials evidently believe that faith without works is dead.—Boston Globe.

the danger is in the neglect—that's why so many colds lead to a fatal disease.

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Substantial, inexpensive, comfort bringing presents. Nothing you can give will be more acceptable than some one thing from this ideal list of sensible Christmas gifts.

3 Fold Screens,	$ 1.98	Umbrella Stands,	$ 1.00 to $ 5.00
Book Cases,	$1.00 to 10.00	Hall Lamps,	1.50 to 4.00
Music Stands,	1.00 to 7.50	Hanging Lamps,	2.75 to 5.50
Easels,	.39 to 2.50	Banquet Lamps,	2.25 to 10.00
Morris Chairs,	3.98 to 15.00	Parlor Lamps,	.98 to 5.50
Gent's Smoking Tables,	2.98	Bissell's Carpet Sweepers,	2.50
Piano Stools,	2.98	Boot Black Stands,	.98
Piano Scarfs,	2.75 to 5.50	Alarm Clocks,	.89
Medicine Cabinets,	1.25 to 5.00	Cuckoo Clocks,	7.50
Foot Rests,	1.50 to 3.50	China Parlor Clocks,	1.00 to 10.00
Lemonade Sets,	.75 to 2.75	Rattan Rockers,	1.75 to 7.00
Wine Sets,	1.25 to 2.50	Fancy Rockers,	1.50 to 8.00
Beautiful Pictures,	.75 to 5.00	Couches,	4.98 to 15.00
Jardinieres,	.10 to 2.75	Jardiniere Stands,	.39 to 2.50
Brass and Onyx Tables,	3.75 to 10.00	Rugs,	.50 to 5.00
Oak Hat Racks,	1.25	Ladies' Writing Desks,	3.75 to 10.00
Boys' and Girls' Sleds,	.42 to 1.00	Dinner Sets,	6.50 to 15.00
Dexters, Rocking Horses,	.49 to 1.50	Portieres Per Pair,	.50 to 6.50
Express Wagons,	.50 to 2.50	Oak Side Boards,	10.00 to 35.00
Doll Carriages,	.50 to 2.00	Oak Dining Tables,	5.40 to 12.00
Black Boards,	.10 to 1.25	Oak Dining Chairs,	.89 to 2.50
Bread & Milk Sets,	.25 to 1.00	Oak Roll Top Desks,	15.00 to 25.00
High Chairs,	.50 to 5.00	Office Desk Chairs,	3.50 to 6.00
Rocking Chairs,	.50 to 4.50	Fancy Parlor Tables,	1.50 to 10.00
White Iron Cribs,	5.00 to 7.50	Oak Chamber Sets,	15.00 to 35.00
Fancy Chairs,	1.00 to 6.50	Parlor Sets,	25.00 to 75.00
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		China Closets,	12.00 to 30.00
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		Hall Stands,	5.00 to 15.00
		Hall Settees,	7.50 to 15.00
		Ladies' Work Baskets,	2.50 to 5.00
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CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

More Church Programmes for Christmastide.

For several days the Ledger has published Christmas programmes, and completes the number today:

CHRIST CHURCH.

Christ church has always paid great attention to the observance of Christmas, and this year will be no exception to the rule. The church will be tastefully trimmed with green. The celebration of the festival will begin Saturday, Christmas eve, at 6 o'clock with the Christmas tree for the children in the Parish house. Gifts and candy will be given to every member of the Sunday School and the choir. Every member of the school is asked to bring some article of food to be distributed among the poor.

The Sunday services will be at 10.30 A. M., and 7 P. M. The rector will preach or make an address at each service. A most attractive musical programme has been arranged and carefully prepared by the choir master, and the choir of thirty men and boys. The detail of the music has already been printed. It will be repeated the Sunday following Christmas.

FIRST CHURCH.

The following special Christmas music will be rendered at the First church:

"Before the Heavens were spread abroad," Horatio Parker
"There Were Shepherds,"
"Holy Night," Barnby
Solo, "Glory to God," Rotoli

AT QUINCY POINT.

The service on Sunday morning (Christmas day) at 10.45 will include Christmas music and a Christmas sermon as will be seen by the order of service:

Organ prelude.
Opening hymn.
Opening sentences.
Invocation.
Responsive reading.
Anthem—"We Sing Hosannas." A. G. Singer.
Scripture Lesson.
Prayer.
Response.
Anthem—"Hark Those Holy Voices" M. C. Williams.
Notices.
Offertory.
Hymn.
Sermon by pastor; subject "Christmas: Christ born today."
Prayer.
Anthem — Christmas Bells," A. Beirly.
Benediction.
Organ Postlude.

Miss S. A. Kelley, organist; M. E. Wight, chorister.

Sunday evening at 7.15 an interesting Christmas concert is promised.

BAPTIST, WOLLASTON.

At morning service at 10.45.

"Mortals Awake, Shelley
"Holy Night," Barnby
"Today the joy bells," Buffinton

At vespers and Sunday School service at 4 P. M.

Processional March, Organ
Carol, "Hark, what means those Holy voices," Smart
"Sing, O Heavens, Tours
By double quartette with orchestra.
Carols, by boys and girls.
Offertory, "Intermezzo," Mascagni
"Christmas," Shelley
By double Quartette, with violin obligato, Mr. Moorhouse.
Carol, "Good news on Christmas Morning." Burdett
Postlude, "Priest's March," Mendelssohn

The church quartette consisting of Mrs. Page, Mrs. King, Mr. Corse and Mr. Wilde, will be assisted at the vespers by Mrs. Pendleton, Mrs. Blaisdell, Mr. Herbert H. Albee and Mr. T. B. Polland, and by Mr. Moorehouse, violinist, and the Wollaston orchestra, Mrs. Leavitt, Miss Olney and Miss Sparrow, pianists; Mr. George H. Critchley, cornetist; Mr. C. A. Pinkham, organist; Mr. A. D. Albee, director of music.

MEMORIAL, ATLANTIC.

Santa's Decision, is the attraction on Monday evening next, at the Memorial church, Atlantic. The songs and speeches are bright, witty and catchy, and are entered into with the true Christmas spirit by the boys and girls, forming the strong chorus. The principal parts are taken by Misses Kellar, Dorman and Reade and Messrs. Wilde, Hammond, Reade and Nichols.

Santa is represented in person by Mr. William Cummings, who wears his usual Christmas costume. A drill with guns by seven boys forms no small part of the attraction. Much time and thought have been expended by Mrs. Cherrington and Miss Gertrude Hall, who have the cantata in charge.

Owing to the kindness of Mr. Faxon the celebration will be a true Christmas one, and a hearty welcome is promised to all.

Officers Elected.

At the regular meeting of Carrie E. Ruggles Rebekah lodge, No. 136, held Monday evening, Dec. 19, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

P. G.,—Susie M. Hoxie.
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CO. K CHRISTMAS.

Fund of Over $40 Raised by Daily Ledger for Feast.

The Daily Ledger returns thanks to those who have voluntarily contributed cash with which to purchase a grand Christmas dinner for Co. K, 5th Mass. Reg't, U. S. V., of Quincy, now in camp at Greenville, S. C., daily expecting orders to go to Cuba. The boys will be heard from later, but they are sure to appreciate the kindness and thoughtfulness of friends at home. We were in hopes to raise $45, as it was shown at Thanksgiving that that sum could well be used, but the total is over $40, and will provide a good feast. In behalf of the people of Quincy the Daily Ledger extends "A Merry Christmas" to the members of Co. K.

Amounts received today:

Mrs. George H. Wilson,	$1.00
William Hall,	.50
Fred Goss,	1.00
Benjamin J. Weeks,	1.00
Charles Sampson,	1.00
Previously acknowledged,	36.00
Total,	$40.50

Reception at Braintree.

One of the pleasantest recent social events was the reception by Mr. W. Stanwood Field and the teachers of the Monatiquot school to Miss Annie Crowell, the retiring member of their teaching staff, on last Thursday evening, at Braintreo-

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Ewart extended the hospitality of their charming new home for the occasion, and entertained their guests in a most delightful manner.

Mr. Ewart, in very happily chosen language, presented Miss Crowell on behalf of those present with a very handsome gold chain and charm as a mark of the esteem and good will felt for her by her associates, and their appreciation of her good and faithful work for the past three years in the schools of Braintree.

Miss Crowell was greatly surprised and expressed her sincere thanks and pleasurable appreciation. A further surprise, however, was the presentation by Mr. Ewart to Principal W. Stanwood Field of a handsome and well-equipped travelling toilet case from the teachers of his building.

Upon recovering from his surprise, Mr. Field thanked all most heartily for their kindly interest, and hoped that the cordial good feeling which this gift represented would always continue unabated between himself and those present,

The entertainment of the evening consisted in part of a piano selection by Mr. Crooker, vocal duets and trios by members of the Tutor Quartette; Mr. J. A. Ewart, first tenor; Mr. W. Stanwood Field, second tenor, and Mr George Sampson, bass. Miss Eurilla Curtis of the Emerson College of Oratory, favored the company with a very pleasing selection entitled, "In the usual way." Mr. Field contributed a number of humorous songs with banjo accompaniment by himself, which highly delighted his hearers.

A very tempting spread was served during the evening by Mrs. Ewart, assisted by her sister, Miss Marion Rogers, and Miss Eurilla Curtis.

Games and college songs completed an evening of much enjoyment to all. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ewart, Mr. Stanwood Field, Mr. C. W. Crooker, Mr. G. H. Sampson, Miss Marion Rogers, Miss Eurilla Curtis, Miss Annie Crowell, Miss Josephine Colbert, Miss Florence L. Elliot, Miss Mabel Alden, Miss Rosalie Bayley.

TODAY'S COURT.

Continued case of J. Moshnichka, the Weymouth cigarmaker, who was arraigned upon two complaints charging him with using and affixing forged labels of the Cigar Makers Union and with selling cigars with a false label on the box, was called and the complaint of Solomon Smith was heard. Moshnichka was fined $100, and appealed. The second complaint which was sworn out by Benjamin Smith was continued until Jan. 24.

Frank E. Norton was arraigned for the larceny of two rings, valued at $4, from the residence of Alfred Jelenick at Quincy. Continued until Thursday.

☞ Concerning the war talk of Rev. Peter MacQueen, soon to be given at Quincy Music hall, the Portland Press says: To say that Mr. MacQueen was entertainfng is a weak word. Having an intimate acquaintance with the scenes and men, who for the past few months have been before the public life, and being gifted with a style of narrative hard to equal, he held the audience from beginning to end. The grand, pathetic and ludicrous were all handled by the speaker in a masterly style, while all through his story was a certain truth convincing element which added much to its charm.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked at the civil session of the District court next Tuesday.

315—Doble et. al. vs. Cronin.
320—Atherton vs. Wales.
336—Fallon vs. Thayer.
342—Wilson et. al. vs. Elcock et. al.
347 and 348—A. T. Stearn Lumber Co., vs. Hall.
351—Molloy extra vs. Frizzell tr.

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THE RUNAWAY GIRL.

She Is Found in Braintree and Taken to Boston Institution.

Viola Brooks, the 13-year-old girl who was reported as missing from her home in Quincy since Thursday night, has turned up all right, and is now in one of the State homes in Boston.

As near as the girl's movements can be traced, she left Quincy shortly before 5 o'clock, and walked over to Quincy avenue towards Braintree. She first stopped at Mr. Hayward's where she borrowed five cents to pay her car fare home.

Leaving Mr. Hayward's, she crossed over to the residence of Mr. W. Maybury, where she told a pitiful story. She said her aunt had driven her away from her home in Boston, and had given her but 15 cents, and that she was tired and hungry Mr. Maybury took her in and kept her all night, and Friday morning took her to Benjamin J. Loring, agent for the Massachusetts Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Children, who took her to Boston.

Constable Furnald, who had traced the girl to the home of Mr. Maybury, proceeded to Boston and located the girl at the Massachusetts Home for children at Cambridge and brought her back to her Quincy home.

She was very sorry for the whole affair and confessed all. It was her first offence, and probably will be her last.

In the accounts given in Friday's papers it was stated that she was a granddaughter of Mrs. Carr of Adams street. This was in error for she was the daughter of Mrs. Brooks, who is Mrs. Carr's housekeeper.

Christmas in Braintree Schools.

Yesterday, some schools, and Thursday others, held Christmas entertainments and some had Christmas trees.

The teachers have been doing many sensible things for the pupils this year. In many schools pupils were presented with copies of famous pictures and fine works of art, such as the "Madonnas."

The Christmas exercises in the Kindergarten department at the Jonas Perkins school took place in the hall on Thursday. These were very interesting and many guests were present.

Miss Rogers popular teacher of the South West school purchased and dressed beautiful dolls for all the little girls of her school and the boys were remembered with suitable presents. Miss Rogers is doing good faithful work in this school and is to be commended for the progress she has made with her pupils some of whom could not speak English when she took the school.

In the Union building yesterday, Miss Pray, Miss Whitcomb and Miss Newton of the Kindergarten department gave the little ones Christmas tree. The tree was loaded with cornicopias, confectionery and specimens of work done wholly or in part by the little ones, for their parents. The exercises consisted of singing and playing game. These teachers seem specially adapted to the work they are doing.

The girls of the 8th and 9th grade presented Miss Wilde with a case of stationery, and the boys had a plan of their own, they presented her with a silver cake basket in which was this note:

"Dear Miss Wilde: Please accept from the boys of the 8th and 9th grade, this present as a token of the esteem and appreciation of your kindness and self-sacrifice for our welfare in our future lives, and that you may feel as we go forth, that your efforts were not lost but fully appreciated.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and happy New Year we are: Respectfully yours,

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Articles of Association for the Formation of a Street Railway Corporation.

WE, the subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be NEPONSET RIVER AND CANTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

The proposed Railway is to commence at the boundary line between the town of Milton, County of Norfolk, and the City of Boston, County of Suffolk, on the Blue Hill Parkway, at the Neponset River, and to extend along said Blue Hill Parkway through the Blue Hill Reservation, so called, through the town of Milton and town of Canton, both in the County of Norfolk, to the junction of Hillside street and Washington street in said town of Canton, its terminus.

Its length will be about six (6) miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be Twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000).

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of said Milton or Canton, shall act as a Board of Directors, until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.: James S. Russell of Milton, Mass.; Harrison O. Apthorp of Milton, Mass.; Nathaniel T. Kidder of Milton, Mass.; Howland S. Russell of Milton, Mass.; Edward W. Atkinson of Brookline, Mass.; George Lemist Clarke of Boston, Mass.; Howard C. Forbes of Boston, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the Capital Stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, 1898.

Subscribers.	Residence.	P. O. Address.	No. of Shares.
James S. Russell,	Milton	31 State St., Boston	25
Edward W. Atkinson,	Brookline, Mass.	152 Congress St., Boston	10
A. L. Hollingsworth,	Milton	Boston	10
George Lemist Clarke,	Boston	31 State St.	10
Henry S. Russell,	Boston	Bristol St.	10
Howland S Russell,	Milton	50 State St.	10
Nathaniel T. Kidder,	Milton	Sears Bldg., Boston, Mass.	15
Howard C. Forbes,	Boston	4 State St.	20
Timothy W. Sprague,	Boston	4 State St.	10
Wm. R. Richards,	Boston	31 State St.	10
John O. Shaw, Jr.,	Boston	31 State St.	10
Bradley W. Palmer,	Boston	53 State St.	20
G. L. Peabody,	Boston	44 State St.	25
William Cobb,	Boston	31 State St.	15
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THE NICARAGUA CANAL

May Form a Basis For Modification of Clayton-Bulwer Treaty.

Relinquishment of Rights by Great Britain

May Be Followed by Asking For an Equivalent In Matters Reciprocal.

Washington, Dec. 24.—It is accepted as little short of certain in the best informed official and diplomatic circles that negotiations will be opened soon toward so modifying the Clayton-Bulwer treaty as to meet the conditions of the present day concerning the American construction and control of the Nicaraguan canal, but the British ambassador, Mr. Pauncefote, has not thus far received any instructions to open negotiations on this subject, nor is there any intimation that instructions are about to be received.

The United States charge d'affairs at London, Henry White, is at present the guest of Lord Salisbury, and unofficial cable reports have indicated that the visit might have some connection with the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. In diplomatic quarters here this construction is not placed upon the visit, which is said to be quite in line with the social features of the holidays. If, however, it had an official significance, there are phases likely to come up outside of the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

The president's recent message, in referring to the American construction of the canal, was misinterpreted by the English press to mean that the United States intended to disregard the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, and go ahead with the canal without reference to England. This view was promptly disavowed by officials here.

Since then there has been about time for the official mail to reach London, and this doubtless permits a fuller clearing up of the erroneous impression that the English press and public, and possibly the officials, took of the president's references to the canal. It is felt that this better understanding may naturally lead up to instructions from the foreign office to take up the whole subject.

The state department originally did not contemplate a formal opening of negotiations to secure the desired amendment of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty until congress had made some progress, at least, toward the enactment of the Nicaraguan canal bill, the department wishing not to be placed in the false position of negotiating for an object which congress might, before the conclusion, deem to be undesirable. It may be taken for granted that the initiation of negotiations will be an evidence of the president's conviction that congress will pass some acceptable canal bill before adjournment.

Although the gain to English commerce that may be fairly expected to result from the construction of the canal by the American government will make the waterway as important to Great Britain as to the United States, there is still evidence going to show that the British government may ask for a quid pro quo. It is suggested with considerable plausibility that in consideration of the relinquishment of her rights in the Nicaraguan canal, England may ask for Canada a much more liberal reciprocity treaty than could be arranged under existing conditions.

Capitol Gleanings.

The postmaster general announces the establishment of seven additional postal stations in Cuba, as follows: Pinar del Rio, Guanajay, Mariel, Trinidad, Las Tunas, Sancti Spiritus and Cardenas.

There will be no proceedings on the part of the navy department against Chief Engineer Robinson, the chief of the engineering department at the League island navy yard, and he has been detached and sent home on waiting orders.

Secretary Hay has resumed his duties at the state department, although still suffering from the effects of the grip.

Adjutant General Corbin has gone to New York to spend Christmas. He expects to return next Tuesday.

The navy department sent out a general order to all of the nine naval stations that the strictest economy is to be exercised in all expenditures of public money by the department's officers.

Charged With Manslaughter.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 24.—State Detective Murray and Inspector O'Day of the local police force went to Spencer yesterday and arrested Conductor Michael Galvin and Motorman Thomas Hiney, the crew in charge of the vestibule car which figured in the street car accident in Leicester on Wednesday afternoon. The prisoners furnished bonds in the sum of $5000. They will be charged with manslaughter, in causing the death of Walter H. Holbrook and John J. Kerrigan, the two victims of the disaster.

Justice Pryor Retires.

New York, Dec. 24.—Justice Pryor sat for the last time in the supreme court yesterday. When he had concluded the business he announced his retirement. Justice Pryor retires under the age limit, having passed his 70th year a few months ago. Justice Pryor will go into active practice as a lawyer with Chauncey Truax, after Jan. 1.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:12; sets, 4:17.
Moon sets—5:17 a. m.
Full sea—9:15 a. m.; 10 p. m.

The storm central over Lake Huron has moved to the mouth of the St. Lawrence and has caused westerly gales in the lake regions and rain or snow in the lake regions and North Atlantic states. An area of high pressure is central in the middle plateau region and has spread in an easterly direction over the whole country, except a slight depression over the upper lake region and northern New England. The weather will grow colder generally in New England, and the cold weather will last till Sunday night. Generally fair weather may be expected.

A RECORD BREAKER.

State of Trade For This Month Is Without a Parallel.

New York, Dec. 24.—Bradstreet's today says: Current business conditions furnish some sharp contrasts to those usually looked for or reported at this season of the year. It is, of course, reasonable to look for exceptional activity in holiday and retail trade generally at this season, and in this respect the most sanguine expectations appear to have been realized. Probably never before at this date, however, was the course of general business so animated as it is at present.

Speculative activity is no longer confined to the stock market, but has widened to include wheat and corn among the cereals and copper among the metals, while the rush of business in iron and steel seems little, if any, abated, and some lines, notably cotton goods and raw wool, are displaying an activity and strength which would have been welcomed at any time for a year past. Prices of securities and of staples alike furnish examples of aggressive strength.

In the iron trade no signs of flagging interest are to be discerned, but rather more pronounced activity in new directions. All the old strength of prices is maintained, and in some lines, notably billets, wire rods and bars, further advances are to be reported. In many lines the country's production seems to be heavily sold ahead, and the utmost confidence is expressed as to present values being maintained or still further increased. In other metals, too, a sympathetic rise is to be discerned.

The foreign demand for cereals continues unabated, any slight price reaction being taken advantage of by foreign buyers. Wheat closes the week with quotations well up to the highest paid this autumn. The strength of wheat has been enhanced by sympathy with the growing speculative interest in corn, for which the highest prices paid for three years past have been recorded.

Cotton displays notable strength, and the market for the manufactured product is very firm at the recent advances, print cloths, in fact, being higher than for a year past. The cheerful tone of this industry and the steady demand from abroad at the higher quotations conduces to a more cheerful tone of business at the south, and predictions of increased speculative activity in the raw product.

Increased activity in speculative building is regarded as foreshadowing an active business in this industry with the turn of the year.

In other lines of general trade and industry reports are as a rule favorable. Business failures are of normal volume, and bank clearings make exceptionally good comparisons with preceding periods.

Business failures for the week number 212, against 234 last week, 280 in this week a year ago, 327 in 1896 and 316 in 1895.

Dun's Review.

New York, Dec. 24.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: It is a year beyond parallel, and goes to its close with the biggest volume of business ever seen. Enormous transactions at the Stock Exchange make some difference, as do heavy railroad earnings, but when all the transporting and speculative interests are eliminated there is still a much larger business than in any other month of any year. Last year the exports were in volume greater than in any previous month in the history of the country, but this year the three weeks' report shows an increase of 25 percent against 9 percent in imports, which would indicate much more than $70,000,000 excess of exports this month. Until now no greater volume of business has ever been done in the history of this country than in the closing month of this year.

Little need be said of the stock market, which has been so strong this week and for weeks before that none could lose except the sellers.

Shipments of wheat have been 4,285,704 bushels, flour included, at Atlantic ports, against 3,698,321 last year, although western receipts for three weeks have been 25,088,581 bushels, against 10,309,929 last year. Corn exports also have been 3,824,836 bushels, against 4,540,613 last year, and for the month thus far 11,012,138, against 10,867,407 last year. The price has advanced about 2⅜ cents, but the continued foreign demand is astonishing.

If the cotton manufacture takes a leading place this year it is not merely because raw cotton is an eighth lower than a year ago, nor because prospects for buyers are thought good. The manufacture has been much expanded by increased demands, so that prices of nearly all the goods quoted in our report have advanced more or less, and there is a feeling that with unreasonable accumulation of print cloths out of the way, there is a brighter prospect for all goods.

Sales of wool have been large, with small as well as large manufacturers buying freely, which indicates a general improvement in the demand for goods, although not enough as yet to lift prices.

The shipments of boots and shoes from the east have been smaller than in December of last year to date, and yet larger than in any other year, exceeding those of 1892 by 14,600 cases.

The story of iron is like a dream. Eastern sales are so numerous and so large as to raise the price 25 cents. There is an enormous demand for finished products. All this business is done with full belief that the next year's demand will be greater than ever before, and it is creditable that so little advance in prices of finished products has been made. The range of prices is nearly 20 percent lower than in 1892.

How Europe will be able to pay more than $75,000,000 due on merchandise account for the month of December, besides the enormous balances due for November and previous months, is a question which the country can afford to consider at its leisure and with comfort.

Day Is Elected.

Boston, Dec. 24.—The official recount of votes for Frederick W. Day, Democrat, and George U. Crocker, Republican, candidates for aldermen, was completed last night, and shows that Day is elected by 97 plurality. The incoming board will, therefore, be composed of 7 Democrats and 5 Republicans.

Gold Reserve Very High.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The gold reserve of the treasury on Thursday reached the highest point in the financial history of the United States. There was an increase for the day of $3,361,988, and the reserve stood at $246,027,638.

SILVER AND EXPANSION

Declared by Bryan to Be the Problems That Face the Country.

Former Cannot Be Relegated to the Background.

Thinks the President Has Misinterpreted Public Sentiment on Imperialism.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 24.—William J. Bryan returned to Lincoln yesterday and was tendered a reception by the Woman's Bimetallic league. He was introduced by Governor Holcomb, who formally welcomed him home and complimented him on his patriotism in enlisting in the army.

After thanking his neighbors for their cordial welcome and complimenting the members of his regiment, Colonel Bryan justified his resignation as follows:

"I had five months of peace in the army and resigned in order to take part in a fight. I am as much interested in the people of the United States as I am in the people of Cuba, and unless I am mistaken in judging we are called upon to meet more important problems in the United States just now than will confront our army in Cuba. Some of these problems were under discussion before hostilities began, others have been thrust upon us as a result of the war. Let me improve this, my first opportunity, to assure you that my zeal for the reforms advocated a few months ago has not in the least abated. Vital questions cannot be killed or buried, and we were dealing with vital questions when the call to arms resounded through the land.

"The American people have not accepted the gold standard as final. It has wrought more injustice in our country during the last 25 years than Spain has wrought in all her colonies, and opposition to it will grow until the gold and silver coinage of the constitution is fully restored. The trusts which now flourish in defiance of laws are more merciless than Weyler was, and the new trust—the paper money trust which is seeking to obtain control of all the paper money of the nation—is a greater menace to the country's welfare than any foreign foe.

"There are, however, two new questions which demand immediate attention, because congress is asked to act upon them at once. The president recommends that the regular army be permanently increased to 100,000 men. This question must be met now or not at all."

Taking up the subject of imperialism, Mr. Bryan said that the president had misinterpreted the sentiment of the people. They were opposed to giving the Philippine islands back to Spain, but they had not as yet declared in favor of embarking upon a colonial policy. So great a change, he said, could not be undertaken without more investigation and deliberation than the people had yet given to the subject.

The principal part of Mr. Bryan's speech was devoted to the Philippine question. He referred to President McKinley's inquiry, "Who will haul down the flag?" and replied:

"The flag is a national emblem and is obedient to the national will. It was made for the people, not the people for the flag. When the American people want the flag raised they raise it; when they want it hauled down, they haul it down. The flag was raised upon Canadian soil during the war of 1812, and it was hauled down when peace was restored. The flag was planted upon Chapultepec during the war with Mexico and it was hauled down when the war was over.

"The morning papers announce that General Lee ordered the flag hauled down in Cuba yesterday, but it was raised too soon. The flag will be raised in Cuba again on the first of January, but the president declares in his message that it will be hauled down as soon as a stable government is established. Who will deny to the people the right to haul the flag down in the Philippines, if they so desire, when a stable government is established?

"Our flag stands for an indissoluble union of indestructible states. Each state is represented by a star, and every territory sees in the constitution a star of hope that it will some day take its place in the constellation. What is there in the flag to awaken the zeal or reflect the aspirations of vassal colonies which are too good to be cast away, but not good enough to be admitted to the sisterhood of states?

Shall we keep the Philippines and amend our flag? Shall we add a new star—the blood star, Mars—to indicate that we have entered upon a career of conquest? Or shall we borrow the yellow, which in 1896 was the badge of gold and greed, and paint Saturn and his rings to suggest a carpet-bag government with its schemes of spoliation; or shall we adorn our flag with a milky way composed of a multitude of minor stars representing remote and insignificant dependencies?

"No, a thousand times better to haul down the Stars and Stripes and substitute the flag of an independent republic than to surrender the doctrines that give glory to 'old glory.' It was the flag of our fathers in the years that are gone, it is the flag of a reunited country today; let it be the flag of our nation in the years that are to come. Its stripes of red tell of the blood that was shed to purchase liberty; its stripes of white proclaim the pure and heaven-born purpose of a government which derived its just powers from the consent of the governed. The mission of that flag is to float, not over a conglomeration of commonwealths, but over 'the land of the free and the home of the brave,' and to that mission it must remain forever true."

Loss of the Hanscomb.

New Haven, Dec. 24.—Underwriters have given up as lost the three-masted schooner Howard H. Hanscomb, formerly hailing from this port. It is believed that the vessel foundered in the November blizzard, and that the eight members of her crew were lost. She was bound from Philadelphia for Providence.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Mary E. Poland of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusets, to Judd W. Cone of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth as aforesaid, dated October 19th, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 748, Page 251, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, January 3d, A. D., 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called Atlantic, being lot numbered 219 on plan of "Norfolk Downs" by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, plan numbered 640, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Southwesterly by Freeman street, fifty (50) feet; northwesterly by lot numbered 218 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; northeasterly by lot numbered 255 as shown on said plan, fifty (50) feet; southeasterly by lot numbered 220 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; containing five thousand (5,000) square feet of land according to said plan; subject to the same restrictions in deed from Judd W. Cone to said Mary E. Poland.

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Spaniards Buncoed Americans Out of Important Documents.

Sampson Thinks It Will Lead to Much Trouble.

Underhand Work of Too Flimsy a Character to Fool Our Commissioners.

New York, Dec. 24.—The world today prints the following interview with Rear Admiral Sampson, regarding the work of the Cuban evacuation commission, of which he was a member:

"Its work is practically complete," said Admiral Sampson. "We have reached a satisfactory agreement upon all points but one, which, I confess, is likely to lead to considerable future trouble, but will not lead to a renewal of hostilities.

"The commission was instructed by the government to obtain a complete inventory of every piece of crown property upon which just claim could be laid. This was to extend to every province. Not a foot of land that formerly belonged to Spain was to be overlooked. We had our own sources of information, and immediately on arrival took occasion to secure the originals or authentic copies of certain records. When, however, we asked the Spanish representatives on the commission for such an inventory, we were told that it had been made and sent to the peace commissioners at Paris. We demanded a copy, which, no doubt, the Spaniards in Havana could easily have furnished. We waited two weeks, but never received it. There is every reason to believe that the Spaniards had instructions from Madrid not to give it to us. This was an act of bad faith. Trouble is sure to arise sooner or later out of this matter, because the United States will never budge an inch."

"In what way did they try to hide the existence of crown property?" was asked.

"Much of it, and many of the buildings have been secretly transferred to private individuals and corporations—especially religious corporations. This underhand work began some time ago, but most of it has been done since the surrender at Santiago. Such sales are not valid in law or equity. The same rule will hold regarding all the transfers of Spanish government buildings to second parties."

"What were the facts at Santiago?" was then asked.

"They were very different from the representations made at the time of the surrender," replied the admiral. "For instance, General Wood was told that the Spanish government absolutely owned no property in Santiago except the naval hospital.

"It was asserted that all the other government buildings, even the custom house and the palace of the governor of the province, were leased from private individuals. This was untrue. The attempt to swindle the Cubans out of their just rights was too flimsy to be overlooked by the United States. The commission is in possession of most of the original records, and no fear need be felt that trickery of this kind will succeed."

Admiral Sampson said that he was in good health. Referring to the situation in Havana, he said that the perfecting of the custom house service and the official police in the islands were the two most important features in connection with Cuba.

When General Greene and Chief McCullagh had established their police force Admiral Sampson thought there would be little disorder. When asked if there was any material benefit from the reduction of Cuban custom receipts, Admiral Sampson said that the results from the change could not be judged at present, and remarked that there had always been so much fraud in connection with Cuban customs that it was impossible to change everything right away.

In answer to the question, "Do you think the people of Cuba will prove amenable to the American government?" Admiral Sampson said: "It does not make any difference whether they are or not. We are down there, and our government will go on as long as it is necessary."

The admiral said that De Castro, the civil governor of Havana, was doing as well as could be expected, and by the first of January all of Cuba would be officially evacuated except Matanzas and one or two other points. Regarding the suffering throughout Cuba, which Mrs. Sampson has been working hard to alleviate, Admiral Sampson said:

"The government is issuing rations regularly, but the reconcentrados are now disseminated, and there is the difficulty. Many of them have died and many more will die. They lack tools to work their farms, and the only crop they could raise now is sweet potatoes. It is too late to raise sugar."

Reverting to the question of the future of Cuba, Admiral Sampson said:

"The wealthiest and most influential people in Cuba want the island annexed to the United States, whether as a state or territory they don't much care. But there are many Cubans who think they are able to govern themselves. Cuba at present certainly is in no condition to govern itself. The question of what shall become of Cuba will not be settled for a year at least, and possibly for two or three. In the meanwhile the military government by the United States will go on."

ON NEW YEAR'S DAY.

Control of Cuba Will Pass to the United States at Noon.

Havana, Dec. 24.—The United States and Spanish military commissioners yesterday agreed upon the program for the change of flags on Jan. 1. Just before 12 o'clock the American war vessels will fire a salute of 21 guns in honor of the Spanish flag.

At noon Spanish flags on the various public buildings will be lowered; and immediately thereafter the Stars and Stripes will be hoisted over El Morro and the public buildings of the city, while Spanish artillerists at Cabanas fortress will salute the American flag with 21 guns, Spanish warships in the harbor participating in the salute. At the same hour the Spanish troops, if any remain in the city, will be paraded in barracks and will render proper salutes to the American forces passing.

Just before noon the United States and Spanish military commissioners, General Jiminesz Castollanos, the Spanish captain general, and the ranking American officer in Cuba—Major General John R. Brooke, if he arrives in time, and otherwise Major General Lee—will assemble at the palace. The Spanish commissioners will then formally surrender the government to the United States commissioners, who will immediately transfer it to the American general commanding. After this the various functionaries will remain a while to receive those who may wish to pay their respects, or incoming authorities.

It was agreed at the joint meeting that the Spanish troops remaining in Cuba after Jan. 1 should be considered in the light of foreign troops in a friendly country, and be accorded the privileges usually granted under international law. The quarters, buildings and grounds occupied by them are to be covered by the immunities of extra territoriality; and further stipulations were entered into respecting the prevention of any disturbance of public order consequent upon their presence.

Matanzas and Cienfuegos will doubtless be the only places where Spanish troops will remain after Jan 1, and Cienfuegos will be evacuated last. The Spanish sick in the hospitals will remain under the safeguard of the American flag, the Spanish authorities providing medicines and attendance, with food, and repatriating them on recovery.

Generals Wade, Butler and Clous, accompanied by their aides-de-camp, were received at the palace yesterday with full military honors. The Spanish trumpeters blew a fanfare and the palace guards saluted. The same ceremony marked the retirement of the American officers.

The Eighth and Tenth regular infantry regiments occupied the forts at El Vedado yesterday, but there are no American flags in sight.

The Spanish transport Alfonso XIII left today for Cadiz with 1100 officers and men, and the Hapsburg for Barcelona with 1700. The transport Porto Rico will sail tomorrow for Vigo, Spain, with 1200 officers and men.

Getting Out of Cuba.

Havana, Dec. 24.—The Spanish transport Darmstadt sailed yesterday for Cadiz with 2727 men. About 8000 Spanish troops have embarked this week for Spain, and some 8000 others are left in Havana. It is estimated that there are 15,000 Spanish soldiers at Matanzas, and there are about 30,000 Spanish troops in Cienfuegos. The Spanish troops here will withdraw to Matanzas and Cienfuegos after Jan. 1.

Has Bronchial Pneumonia.

Madrid, Dec. 24.—The condition of Senor Sagasta, the premier, now causes grave anxiety. Six physicians were in consultation yesterday afternoon regarding his condition and concurred that he is suffering from bronchial pneumonia, with high temperature and an unfavorable absence of expectoration. The newspapers express great anxiety.

There is no doubt that his illness is aggravated by the strain of recent events. The queen regent twice during the day telephoned inquiries as to his condition, and last evening sent her own physician to attend him. The list of callers at the premier's residence includes all the foreign diplomats and a host of other distinguished persons. Senor Alonjandio Groizard, minister of justice, is acting premier.

Mysteriously Disappeared.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 24.—Annie O'Neil mysteriously disappeared from the Cambridge hospital last evening, barefooted, and clad only in her nightdress, and the police have failed to discover her whereabouts. She was arrested Thursday, charged with stealing from a Cambridge family by whom she was employed, and while at the police station was taken violently ill. A physician discovered that she was in a delicate condition, and ordered her removal to the hospital. About 6 o'clock last night, during the temporary absence of her attendant, the woman made her escape through a window. It is feared that her mind became unbalanced, and that she has done herself harm.

For Contempt of Court.

Boston, Dec. 24.—In the Norfolk county suerior court yesterday Torrey E. Wardner, the editor of the Boston Traveler, was sentenced to serve 30 days in Dedham jail by Judge Sherman for contempt of court in allowing to be published in his paper comments and editorials on the Getchell manslaughter case. These statements, in the court's opinion, would have influenced the minds of the jury, had the newspaper containing the matter reached the courthouse before the case was submitted for final consideration. Mr. Wardner intends to make a test case of the matter and fight it to the end. He is not disposed to find any fault with his sentence.

Boilers Almost Useless.

Halifax, Dec. 24.—The damage to the Furness line steamship Manchester Enterprise, before reported as having returned for repairs, is serious. Her boilers are almost useless and the vessel will be laid up for some weeks, should the owners decide to make permanent repairs.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mark J. Cole, a brakeman, was struck and killed by a passenger train near Woonsocket, R. I.

Countess Thun-Hohenstein, wife of the Austrian premier, is dead.

An explosion of natural gas wrecked Henry Krull's grocery at Muncie, Ind. Three persons were badly burned.

An explosion of red hot cinders at the Indiana iron works at Muncie, Ind., dangerously burned five men. One will die.

William Fulbert, 14, had his left leg caught in a grinding machine at the Nonpareil Cork company's factory at Bridgeport, Conn. The limb was so badly mangled that it was amputated just above the knee.

Bishop Tobias Mullen, who was stricken with paralysis last spring, is reported to be dying at Erie, Pa. The last rights of the church have been administered. He has been bishop of Erie for 30 years. He is nearly 80 years old.

BLOWN OUT TO SEA.

Missing Schooner Turns Up at Philadelphia Safe and Sound.

Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—The missing four-masted schooner Matilda D. Borda, Captain Norton, which sailed from Portsmouth, N. H., for this port on Nov. 25, the day before the terrific gale which caused such sacrifice of life and property along the coast, and which was blown over 1000 miles out of her course, arrived here last night in tow of the tug Asa Hughes. The home coming of the crew of this vessel, which had for some time been given up as lost, was one that will be long remembered by their relatives who have passed through weeks of great anxiety.

The experience of Captain Norton and his men was a thrilling one, as the vessel scudded off shore before the terrific gale, with seas leaping high over her. She was provisioned only for a short run and for many days the men subsisted on reduced rations. The British steamship Trinidad supplied them with some food, otherwise it is not unlikely they would have perished from hunger. Captain Norton, upon learning of the fearful havoc wrought by the storm, said that their safe arrival was due to the interposition of Providence.

O'Brien Counted Out.

Hartford, Dec. 24.—Tommy Ryan of Syracuse proved too much for Dick O'Brien of Boston at the Coliseum last night. The police interfered in the 14th round and saved O'Brien from an actual knockout, but so far as practical purposes were concerned he was out. Ryan had floored him a few seconds before with a right hand swing on the jaw, and Dick got on his feet again just as Referee Roche counted seven. The fight had been all knocked out of him. He was helpless, and Ryan again floored him with a vicious right hand swing. Dick came to time once more, only to fall a victim to a hard uppercut. Then Chief of Police Bill jumped into the ring and stopped the bout, Roche awarding the fight to Ryan. The action of the police was generally approved as preventing unnecessary brutality. It was Ryan's fight all the way through.

Career of Crime Ended.

Constantinople, Dec. 24.—Ghani Bey, the sultan's aide-de-camp, was murdered by Hafuz Pasha during a quarrel. Gahni became notorious, owing to his lawless proceedings in Epirus. He also inspired terror here by exorting money under threats of death. Gahni Bey won the sultan's favor and promotion by committing numerous crimes. He was sent to restore order in Epirus after the Greco-Turkish war. At the head of 300 lawless companions, he robbed, pillaged and murdered by wholesale, until he was summoned home, only to be promoted to a colonelcy. Then he continued his iniquities here. He would enter a shop, draw a revolver, and compel its owner to open his safe and give up the contents.

Nothing Accomplished.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 24.—A meeting held yesterday afternoon was attended by the clergymen of all denominations in the city and many business men, at which the entire labor situation was discussed at considerable length. Many questions were asked and answered, but no formal action was taken as a result of the conference. The Upper Leather Cutters' union yesterday voted, 18 to 10, to surrender their charter. The union officials assert that as long as 10 members stand together the charter cannot be surrendered. The manufacturers, on the other hand, claim that the action of the cutters is evidence that they are weakening.

Four Men Badly Hurt.

New York, Dec. 24.—By the falling of a heavy beam against a staging in a large ice house being built at Larchmont yesterday, four carpenters were injured seriously, perhaps mortally. The men were working 70 feet from the ground. While one of the beams was being hoisted for the roof the rope broke and the beam fell against the scaffold. The scaffolding fell, knocking the men to the ground. Part of the roof fell in and the men were buried beneath it.

Murder and Arson Suspected.

Lorrain, O., Dec. 24.—John Dalton's restaurant and boarding house burned yesterday. There were several boarders in the house, but all escaped except John Rigo, whose remains were found after the fire had been extinguished. The condition of the body leads to the belief of murder and the firing of the building to cover the crime. Three men are under arrest.

Ludlow's Testimony.

New York, Dec. 24.—Captain Ludlow of the battleship Massachusetts was called before the court of inquiry yesterday and testified that he had no criticism to make of the course taken by Pilot Bell. The shocks when the ship struck were so slight that he himself did not feel them. He was convinced some obstruction existed which had not been charted.

Want to Reorganize.

Northampton, Mass., Dec. 24.—By a vote of 1513 shares to 40, the stockholders of the defunct Hampshire County National bank of this city yesterday voted to petition the comptroller of the currency for permission to reorganize the institution with a capital of $150,000, $100,000 being the balance of assets after settlement of liabilities and $50,000 new stock.

May Be a Long Job.

Boston, Dec. 24.—The investigation of the affairs of the Howard National bank was continued yesterday, but the end of it is not in sight. Examiner McDonald is not only taking a list of securities, and the names which they bear, but he is going into the history of these securities in order to ascertain their exact value, rather than the estimated worth.

Soldiers Frozen to Death.

London, Dec. 24.—The Vienna correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: Several hundred Montenegrin soldiers, who were recently overtaken by a snowstorm in the Lara pass, were frozen to death. The expedition sent to their rescue found the snow drifts so heavy that it was impossible to save them.

St. Louis Arrives.

New York, Dec. 24.—The steamship St. Louis, from Southampton, with the United States peace commission on board, arrived at quarantine at 2 a. m. today, and remained there until daylight. She was not boarded.

That Telltale Tag.

She was a poor, plain little woman, evidently just in from the country, and she stood looking longingly at a line of gaudy purses which hung along in a row by the notion counter.

After a minute she stepped into a corner, took out her own shabby little leather purse and counted over the money carefully.

She evidently found out she could afford it, as a great extravagance, and so at last walked shyly up to the counter, selected one with "pearls" set in along the chain and a big emerald flashing in the top, took up the box in which it was given her and vanished in the direction of the waiting room. Not more than five seconds later she appeared again—her old purse tucked out of sight and the new one hanging proudly round her neck. It was almost pitiful to see her—she took so much pride in the gaudy thing—and then, more pitiful, yet more laughable, there came into view behind her the price tag, flapping gayly from its little pink string and proclaiming to the world at large that that particular purse had cost just 50 cents!

Nobody who saw that saucy tag had the courage to tell its wearer, and yet that would have been kindest too. But she vanished down the street with it still in view. How do you suppose she felt when she found it out?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Holmes as a Face Reader.

The Youth's Companion tells this story of Oliver Wendell Holmes, one of whose hobbies was to trace genealogies and family resemblances. At the opening of the term of the medical class one year, while he was one of its lecturers, he met for the first time a young member who introduced himself as, let us say, a Perry of Cambridge.

The little doctor looked at him keenly and said: "You are also one of the W.'s of Cape Cod. I know it by your upper lip."

The young man flushed and made haste to answer that he never had heard of the W.'s and did not know any person in Cape Cod.

But the doctor smiled obstinately and at intervals through the winter would inquire whether Mr. Perry had looked up his ancestor, receiving each time the assurance that inquiry had been made, but no trace of this strain of blood could be found in the family.

One day Perry came to him. "You were right, Dr. Holmes. We have found in an old Bible record that my great-great-grandmother was a W. and came from Cape Cod."

The doctor beamed with delight. "No upper lip ever deceived me yet," he laughingly exclaimed, and carried his little triumph to all of his friends with as much pleasure as if it had been a long lost treasure.

"Mooshla Scoff!"

"A few nights ago," writes a Transvaal correspondent, "I, in company with a chum, took a stroll round the Native Location which lies about 200 yards from the railway station. We made for a row of huts, four in number, in the front of which wood fires were burning.

"On reaching them we noticed the natives were in the act of catching locusts, flying ants and other queer looking insects which were swarming around in hundreds, being attracted by the bright light of the fire.

"After their wings had been singed through coming in contact with the fire, the insects were scooped into a large hole dug in the sand. We waited several minutes wondering what the motive for all this could be, when the niggers formed a circle round this hole and commenced taking out handfuls of these hideous looking things and eating them.

"This, as we ascertained, formed the niggers' evening meal, they informing us it was 'mooshla scoff' (nice food)."—London Answers.

A Simple Sunshine Recorder.

Procure an empty quarter plate cardboard box, and in the top of the lid cut a hole about half an inch in diameter close to the edge of one side. Then paste a bit of stiff brown paper over this hole, and when dry prick a hole in the brown paper with a pin.

To use the sunshine recorder place a piece of paper in the bottom of the box, but sensitive side uppermost, and on this place a glass plate to keep the paper flat. Now put the lid on containing the pin hole, and stand the whole thing flat on a window ledge, the pin hole side facing the south and make a pencil mark all round the box, so that you always place it in the same position, and change the paper once a day, when a very clear record of every peep of sunshine will be found.—New York Mail and Express.

His Brain Bell.

"You know," said a man who writes things for a living, "there's a bell rings on the typewriter when you get to the end of the line to warn the operator that the end has been reached, and he must stop and take a fresh start. I have no bell in my brain, but I have something there that tells me with no less certainty when I have done my stint, and it is time for me to stop for the day. And I sometimes wonder if the gentle reader doesn't think that my brain bell ought to ring earlier."—New York Sun.

Too Much Interest.

Wright—I believe a good deal of human interest could be put in a play with the scenes laid in a pawnshop.

Reed—My dear boy, the interest in a pawnshop is something absolutely inhuman.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Mrs. Jas. Schaffner, of Freemansburg, Northampton Co., Pa., writes: "It is with pleasure that I write to let you know the great good I have received from your medicines and the local self-treatment at home. I was troubled with female weakness, had pains in my back all the time, sometimes so severe that I could not lie in bed at night. I tried different doctors but they could not help me. Then my husband got Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, and induced me to try Dr. Pierce's medicines. After taking six bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' I feel like a new woman."

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HOLIDAY NOTICE.

As Monday next will be observed as a holiday, the issue of the Daily Ledger on that date will be suspended and the office of publication closed. Tuesday's paper will have all the holiday news, telling how the people of Quincy made merry at Christmas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	45	31	37	36
Monday	29	32	23	32
Tuesday	38	31	31	29
Wednesday	39	17	34	32
Thursday	44	30	28	26
Friday	45	28	32	32
Saturday	—	43	21	17

New Advertisements Today.

Hen for sale.
For sale or to let—House.
Miss C. S. Hubbard—Bargains for one week.
Articles of association for street railway.
Castoria.

Good Afternoon.

The Sewerage Commissioners deserve credit for the manner in which they are pushing the clearing up of Brook street, Wollaston. In a few days this thoroughfare will be in its normal condition. The construction of the sewer on that street will be completed to Farrington street and the man-hole built, all under the immediate supervision of the Commissioners. The Commissioners claim that the city will lose nothing by the financial embarassment of the contractor. The city is amply secured by bonds in a fidelity company.

From the error which was made in allowing the burglar's accomplice and possible murderer to be released at six o'clock in the morning, after being held as a suspicious character, it would seem to be well in the future to follow the Boston plan and hold such characters until nine o'clock in the forenoon. If a burglary or other crime has taken place during the night it will have been reported to the police before nine o'clock, thus giving the officers an opportunity to examine and hold, if necessary, all suspicious characters gathered in during unreasonable hours of the night. Officer Larkin did a good thing in locking that man up. It is a pity that he was released so early in the morning. If he had been held, as he should have been, there is but little doubt but what the great mystery would have been unravelled.

Something is radically wrong in the counting machines or methods at Boston elections when a recount of vote makes such astounding changes. In a recount of the license vote of one ward, Ward 20, a "yes" majority of 287 was changed to a "no" majority of 120. Then the reconnt of the votes for Messrs. Crocker and Day for aldermen reverses the first report, decreasing the vote of the former from 15,576 to 15,412, and increasing the latter from 15,483 to 15,509. The complexion of the board of aldermen was at stake, and a tie between Democrats and Republicans have been disssolved and a Democrat counted in, givlng the party seven out of twelve.

Hospital Sunday.

Contributions to the City Hospital of Quincy:

Amount previously acknowledged,	$1,304 13
Henry O. Dawson,	1 00
First Presbyterian Society,	11 25
Total,	$1,316 38

—The estimate that from 180 to 200 coal carrying vessels were destroyed on the Atlantc coast during th great storm is a graphic reminder of its fury. The loss of all this tonnage has made a large hole in the active coastwise fleet, and there will be smart work in the shipyards to replace it. Some of the wrecked craft were relatively new and perfectly stanch, but more of them were old barges and schooners in the last years of their service.—Journal.

AN ARREST.

Thought to Be Officer Larkin's Man.

Not Yet Identified---Chief Litchfield in Boston.

Some Citizens Connect Burglars with Beggars at Their Door.

There have been theories and theories, as to who the unknown burglar was whose body was found at the residence of John Shaw, and as to who fired the fatal shot. The police have chased up numerous clues which have led them all over the State, but the fact remains that the whole affair is as mysterious as it was Thursday morning when the body was found.

It was stated in Friday's Ledger that the police thought they had a clue to the fellow's identity, and that part of the affair would be cleared up before night. This clue was the one advanced by Mr. Johnson of the Watch and Ward Society, who viewed the remains Friday noon, and thought he recognized them as a man who had worked for him seven years ago.

This man's na me he g to the police as Walter Peniel of Waltham, and as a twelve-ride ticket from Waltham to Boston was found on the body and Inspector McKenna of Waltham thought he had seen the fellow in Waltham, this clue proved a promising one.

Chief Litchfield and Inspector Ferguson visited Waltham yesterday afternoon and soon located the Walter Peniel in question, and found him very much alive. Mr. Peniel said he had worked for Mr. Johnson, but although his family had remained in Waltham he had been in Canada for six or seven years and had but recently returned. He concluded by saying that he was not in the burglary business.

Another clue was run down by Officer Newcomb. This was that the man who was supposed to have been held up by Officer Larkin was at Point Allerton. Officer Newcomb visited that place during the day, and although he found the man he was looking for, he was not the one wanted.

This ended the days work. Friday evening the officers kept their eyes and ears open for any promising clue but nothing was developed, and this morning found them where they were Thursday morning with nothing tin sight.

MR. SHAW'S THEORY.

Mr. Shaw visited City Hall last evening and advanced as a plausible theory of the affair. He believed that the dead man and his pal had a falling out, which resulted in the shooting. His theory is that the dead man went into the house while the pal stood guard below; that the one in the house searched Mr. Shaws' coat pocket which hung in the hall, from which he took a pair of eye glasses that he then went up stairs to the room adjoining that in which Mr. Shaw slept, where he got the gold watch and the stick pins; that he did not enter any other room is shown by the fact that the many valuables in the sleeping room were not molested, and that there were no burnt matches other than in th e hall and dressing room; that when the fellow returned to his pal with the plunder which was of but small value, he learned that the sleeping rooms had not been visited and accused the unknown for being a coward. Then there was a quarrel and a scuffle, and as the two were leaving the house the quarrel ended with the firing of the fatal shot.

Mr. Shaw feels positive that there was a scuffle, for he was awakened by the noise of furniture being moved and noise similar to a tussle. Afterwards he heard the noise again and the fall of something heavy.

Mrs. Shaw was awake all this time and the noises made her nervous, and to quiet her, he said that it was probably Edgar Pierce, the coachman, at the furnace in the cellar. Nothing more was heard and they went to sleep.

When asked how it was that he could hear the noise and the fall and not hear the shot, Mr. Shaw said that the shot was but a pop that came between the scuffle and fall.

This morning the night officer at Waltham, who was supposed to identify the unknown, visited Quincy and took a look at the body, but could not recognie him as anyone he had seen before.

THE ARREST.

Shortly before 12 o'clock word was received by the police that a man was being held at Station One, Boston, who it was thought was the fellow held on suspicion by Officer Larkin on the morning of the affair, who gave his name as Fred Clayton, and was later released. Chief Litchfield and Officer Larkin went to Boston on the noon train to see if he can be identified.

WERE THEY BEGGING?

It has come to light that a man who answers the description of the unknown was about Quincy on Thursday, and called at a number of houses begging for clothes. At the residence of George Morton on Spear street he asked for an overcoat. Mrs. Morton had quite a talk with the fellow, who said that he had just had his shoes tapped and after paying for them had but 11 cents left.

He also called at the house of John Hall on Canal street and asked for an overcoat. In both cases it was noticed that the fellow was well dressed, and wore a brown suit and derby hat, and they feel sure the fellow is the same one.

Mr. Wilson Tisdale and Mr. Joseph C. Morse also report a suspicious fellow at their houses on the day before the break at Mr. Shaw's.

Whether these were connected or not with the break it is very evident that there are too many of these suspicious and audacious fellows about and that they terrorize the women. The police will do well to watch them.

HAS SPORTY RECORD.

Jersey City Unknown Proves to be Harry A. Litchfield.

The Boston Globe says, the man who told the police of Jersey City that he had forgotten his name, but subsequently said that his name was Litchfield, and that he lived in East Somerville, is not a stranger in Boston. His likeness is in the rouge's gallery at police headquarters, and a biography in Chief Inspector Watts' cabinet of clippings.

Harry A. Litchfield is his name. He was born at Wollaston Heights 26 years ago. He is a graduate of the Concord reformatory. In September, 1897, Litchfield starred in Boston as a "high roller." He has a record of stealing $1,000 and "blowing it in" on wine and women in less than a week.

As bookkeeper and temporary treasurer of the Boston auction company, he handled a lot of money, and on Sept. 22 took about $1000 and disappeared.

With all his money gone, with nothing but 15 coppers in his pocket, and prison bars staring him in the face, he had no regret. He took his arrest philosophically.

"A man's an idiot to work for $12 for a week and be held responsible for thousands," he said. "The man who employs such a man is a bigger idiot, I took the stuff, took my chances, was caught red-handed, and here I am. I have had my fun, and will take my dose of poison without a murmur.

He was sentenced to the Concord reformatory for an indefinite term. He remained there nine months, and was discharged. The entry opposite his name on the reformatory books reads "Reformed."

Litchfield is now held by the New York police on the charge of stealing three overcoats.

Chief Watts discovered the similarity between the photo of Litchfield in his gallery and the newspaper pictures of Mr. Nemo, the man from nowhere, and established the man's identity. He will send Litchfield's criminal record to Capt. McClusky, chief of the New York detective bureau, to be used in the coming trial.

The Unity Club.

Mrs. H. W. Lull conducted one of the most interesting Unity club meetings which has been held this year, at the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church last evening.

Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith read a paper on "the Borgias;" Mrs. Bagley on Savanorola; Mr. H. W. Lull on "Columbus and other Italian explorers" Mr. F. A. Page on Luigi Pulei; Mr. W. E. Simmons on Ariosto and Tasso and Mrs. Frederic H. Bishop on Cellini and Paul Veronese.

The soloists were Mrs. F. A. Page and Professor J. H. Marceau, with Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith for accompanist.

Metropolitan Water.

In very few days the Metropolitan Water Board will turn the water on in this city and the Quincy Water works pumping station will shut down for an indefinnate period. Owing to a possibility of an accident to the Metropolitan supply the South Quincy pumping station will be kept in order for instant use for a few months. The Metropolitan supply will be pumped into the Penn's Hill pipe and will be distributed from there for sometime.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Jovial Christmas-time is here—
Crowning feast of all the year:
Spread the board with Christmas cheer;
Let your heart be jolly.
At the joyful season's call,
Deck with green the oaken hall;
Round about and over all
Hang the Christmas holly.

WALTER STORRS BIGELOW.

Clear and cooler Sunday.

Only one more week of 1898.

It has been a newsy week locally.

A Merry Christmas to Daily Ledger readers.

Monday will be a holiday for the Ledger.

The weather is more seasonable today for Christmas than for several days.

Work on improving the approaches to the Wollaston station was begun on Friday.

Mr. J. S. Baxter returned today from a trip to Trenton, N. J., and Washington.

Reliable and beautiful goods are offered by Linscott, the jeweller, and he has a large assortment.

Allie Williams of Wollaston, who is on the U. S. S. "Sterling," was last reported at Coquimbo, Chili.

The City Council will meet next week on Tuesday evening, and will probably conclude the business of the year.

It is a particularly busy day for the shipper at Henry L. Kincaide & Co.s. He had over 200 orders this morning to deliver today.

The steamer "John J. Hill" was hauled off on Friday. She was apparently uninjured. She was taken to Simpson's dry dock at East Boston.

There is a great demand for tickets to the Hurdy Gurdy party, Wednesday, among the ladies, who are attracted by the noted Marie Grosse, tamborinist.

Mr. A. J. Preston of Wollaston has written an interesting story entitled "Five hours with a Wollaston baby." It will appear in next week's Patriot and every one will want to secure a copy.

The board fence in the rear of Sheppard & Sons wood pile near railroad track was discovered to be on fire shortly before 2 o'clock and was extinguished by Officer Holloran without an alarm.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, Dec. 29th at 3 P.M., in the room of the Granite Manufacturers' Association in Durgin and Merrill's block. A large attendance is desired.

Thomas Davidson, who was a machinist and gunner on the Montgomery, has just returned home, having received an honorable discharge. He exhibits at the store of George F. Wilson & Co. a one-pound shell, Mauser bullets, and other relics of the Spanish war.

The City Council of 1898 will hold its banquet next Wednesday evening at Youngs hotel, Boston. The guests will include Mayor Sears, the City Treasurer, City Clerk, City Auditor Commissioner of Public Works, City Messenger, Clerk of Council and representative of the loal papers.

The Atlantic Monday Evening Club, so successfully carried on last winter, under the auspices of the Memorial Congregational church, will hold its first meeting for the season in the church Monday evening, Jan. 2d, at 8 o'clock. A programme of unusual merit has been planned, and the public is cordially invited to keep this date in mind, and to be present on the opening night.

Dr. C. M. Marstin, for several years a beloved citizen of Quincy, but more recently of Rutland, Vermont, has moved to Braintree and opened an office. While a resident of Rutland he was elected President of the Vermont Homeopathy Medical Society, which he filled with honor. He is a good Odd Fellows and will find himself surrounded with worthy brothers in Braintree.

$5 REWARD.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Quincy, Dec. 20. tf

NOTICE!

THE Thomas Crane Public Library will close Saturday, Dec. 24, at 6 P. M., and will be closed MONDAY, Dec. 26.

Per Order of the Trustees.

Quincy, Dec. 21.—4t 24-1w

MR. E. LANDIS SNYDER,

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Sept. 16. tf

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Quincy, Dec. 21. 4t

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Quincy, Dec. 16. f

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THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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Ladies furnishing their own cloth and trimmings, made in any style (Coat and skirt),

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LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Also the Amount of Each Persons Tax Bill for 1898.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

[Continued from yesterday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FIVE.

	Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Damon, Frank W., Boston, 6,250, Phillips, $350.		6 30
Davis, Mary E., Boston, 10,875, Sec. 3, $400. 10,875, " 3, $400.		14 40
Devoll, George E., Boston, 5,000, West Elm ave., $500.		9 00
Demming, Lizzie L., Boston, 6,882, Grand View ave., $1,350.		69 30
Dimnock, Frank E., Boston. 11,250, Prospect, ave., $1,100,		
Dunham, Lucy A., Boston, 11,250, Phillips, $350.		6 30
Dunn, Nellie G., Boston, 8,375, Willow, $500.		9 00
Durkee, Adelbert, Boston, 6,300, Kemper, $450.		8 10
Emerson, Edward H., Boston, 4824, Highland ave., $400.		39 60
Emel, William, Boston, 8,400, Phillips, $500.		9 00
Enger, Dyer, Boston, 3,588, Hamden circle, $250.		4 50
Fallon, John W., and Francis H., Boston, 5,000, West Elm ave. $250.		5 40
Farrell, Martin L., Boston, 6,473, Phillips, $450.		53 10
Ferguson, Charles H. G., Boston, 5,000, Sec. 6, $300.		5 40
Fielding, William H., Boston, 5,000, Waterston ave., $300.		5 40
Ferring, Hamilton E., Boston, 5,000, West Elm ave., $400.		7 20
Finneran, Mary A., Boston, 4,200, Bromfield, $250.		4 50
Fisher, Agnes K. C., Boston, 6,300, Elm ave., $400. 8,400, Beach, $500.		16 20
Fitzgibbon, Mrs. James E., Boston, 5,000, East Elm ave., $300.		5 40
Fitzgerald, James M., Boston, 8,020, Huntington, $350.		6 30
Fluster, Joseph, Boston, 4,010, Huntington, $250.		4 50
Foster, Frank B., Boston, 9,200, Rufes Hummock, $375.		22 95
Foster, Nelson F., Boston, 5,000, Everett, $350.		6 30
Fox, Edmund L., Boston, 4,200, Bromfield, $350.		6 30
Fox, John C., Boston, 4,200, Davis, $350.		6 30
French, Ellen A., Boston, 4,200, Beach, $350.		6 30
Frost, Edwin O. W., Boston. 4,924, Hamden, circle, $250.		4 50
Gannett, Mrs. George, Boston, 11,250, Sec. 2, $1,300.		23 40
Gardner, Arthur C., Boston, 6,200, Billings road, $250. 7,000, East Elm ave., $350. 5,000, Rideway, $220.		15 30
Gardner, R. H., Boston, 5,000, Sec. 6, $600.		10 80
Garron, William F., Boston, 3,478, Morse, $200.		3 60
Gleason, Albert A., Boston, 8,630, Sec. 6, $450.		8 10
George, Aurelia, M., Boston, 10,514, Beale, $900.		59 40
Giles, Hattie E., Boston, 11,675, Highland ave., $1,500. 17,100, Sec. 1, 1,200. 11,655, " 2, 1,500.		174 60
Gramer, John S., Boston, 4,500, Hamden circle, $300.		5 40
Gray, Julia E., Boston, 4,200, Beach, $350.		42 30
Gibson, Frank, Boston, 10,000, Rawson road, $500.		9 00
Gregory, Eunice M., Boston, 6,000, East Elm ave., $350.		6 30
Gragg, Lucinda J., Boston, 5,594, Chuck, $350.		6 30
Green, Merrill K., Boston, 30,000, Central ave., $1,500. 25,000, Safford, st., 1,200. 10,000, Sec. 6, 600. 5,000, " 6, 300. 5,000, " 6, 300.		324 90
Greve, Johan, Boston, 8,400, Bromfield, $550.		9 90
Hall, Myra L., Boston, 11,235, Sachem, $600.		10 80
Haley, Oswald, Boston, 4,200, Bromfield, $300.		5 40
Hall, Harry D., Boston, 6,473, Kemper, $450.		8 10
Hamblett, Grace E., Boston, 5,250, Phillips, $320.		6 30
Hardy, Isabell G., Boston, 7,214, Beale, $700.		63 00
Harmon, William E., tr., Boston,		622 80
4,177, Huntington square,	$250.	
4,140, " "	250.	
4,102, " "	250.	
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4,200, Beach,	400.	
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5,590, "	450.	
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5,103, "	350.	
8,400, "	750.	
8,400, Davis,	500.	
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9,725, "	100.	
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12,000, "	150.	
5,000, Copely,	200.	
6,361, "	100.	
5,000, Ridgeway,	300.	
10,000, Franklin ave.,	400.	
6,418, Sachem,	200.	
5,000, Merry Mount ave.,	300.	
4,450, Fenno,	300.	
10,000, Hancock,	1,000.	
5,463, Wollaston ave.,	500.	
4,500, Briggs,	300.	
4,136, "	300.	
6,400, Elm ave.,	400.	
10,500, Morton,	700.	
5,250, Phillips,	300.	
5,250, "	300.	
5,250, "	300.	
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5,250, "	300.	
10,500, Willow,	800.	
10,000, Waterston ave.,	500.	
5,250, Willow,	400.	
7,200, Kemper,	500.	
6,300, "	400.	
6,300, Morton,	500.	
5,250, "	450.	
16,000, Elm avenue,	1,000.	
4,215, Huntington sq.	300.	

To be continued.

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A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

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For this week, Dec. 19 to 24, we will make the following prices on Cigars:

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ROSE BUD, 50 in box, $1.00
WELLINGTON BOuQUET, 25 in box, 1.50
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LAWRENCE 103, 100 in box, 3.25
IMPERIALES, 50 in box, 3.50
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Buy your friends a Box of Cigars and make them happy.

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Ready Made Medicines About Which You Probably Know Little.

The money a man—especially a family man—spends on bottles of nasty medicines in a lifetime would take him on a holiday trip once or twice around the world or start one of his children in life. And all the time he has nature's own simple remedies, better than any chemist's concoctions, outside his door.

In the lily of the valley, for instance, he has one of the best cures known for dropsy. Most often dropsy results from a weak heart, and the medicinal properties of lily of the valley brace up this organ to a pitch of the highest efficiency.

In the odorous coltsfoot we have another splendid remedy. Nothing can beat it in curing a cough, and even consumption sometimes yields to it. The Germans—who know more of medicine than any other people on earth—say that a pipeful of coltsfoot smoked occasionally will inevitably kill the consumption bacillus.

Foxglove is one of those old remedies which have stood the test of competition with the most modern remedies. It has never been surpassed as a heart tonic and is the sheet anchor of the physician in all cases of flabby and enlarged heart muscle.

Then, in horse chestnuts, we have a remedy for both rheumatism and whooping cough. One seldom hears of their use, no doubt, but that is because people have become so impressed with the high sounding titles of new discoveries.

Dandelion, however, holds its own in popular favor as a tonic for children, and a most effectual liver medicine for their parents.

Hops are also coming to the fore again. For dyspeptic and general weakness they are a splendid cure. And if people who cannot sleep used them instead of chloral hydrate, sulphonal and other dangerous drugs, there would be considerably fewer mysteriously sudden deaths.

For a reliever of pain one need look for nothing better than ordinary poppyheads, and, in fact, they are extensively used for this purpose.

The expensive bark for which we go all the way to Peru is said to be not a whit better as a tonic than the woodbine that grows outside our own windows. And celery is, as most people are aware, a splendid nerve tonic.

Horse radish is one of those few things which doctors themselves take for their health. It is a safeguard against dyspepsia, as well as a highly stimulant brain drug.

The root of the humble blackberry, taken when cholera is about, acts like a charm in keeping off that terrible disease. Many doctors of even the modern school pin their faith to parsley root in preference to the expensive quinine, and mistletoe helps the tired heart to do its work, as well as acting as a sure preventive of bleeding.

The modest violet has its own medicinal properties. It cannot be surpassed as a lung healer, and it is also of great service in many skin diseases.

Wild cherry has many good qualities. If you are greatly excited, it calms you like magic; if your nerves are shaky, it tones them up, and if you are afraid of consumption you could not use anything better as a prophylactic. Sage is not much used now, but it is an excellent thing for pain in the stomach, acting somewhat like ginger. Red rose leaves, principally used to make medicines look and smell nice, are themselves a tonic of no mean power, and elder flowers, berries and bark have a great variety of uses. They are said to be good for rheumatism and epilepsy. When feverish, they make you perspire, and they are a pleasant substitute for seidlitz powders and things of that sort.

Belladonna, or the well known deadly nightshade, is still recognized by doctors all over the world as a plant of many medicinal effects. It is a terrible poison, but in a plaster it cures the cramps of cholera; it reduces boils when used in the form of a liniment; it strengthens the heart when taken internally, and the leaves, when smoked, effectually relieve both asthma and consumption.—London Tit-Bits.

The Dead Monkey.

The following interesting account of animal sympathy is extracted from James Forbes' "Oriental Memories:" "One of a shooting party, under a banyan tree, killed a female monkey and carried it to his tent, which was soon surrounded by 40 or 50 of the tribe, who made a great noise and seemed disposed to attack their aggressor. They retreated when he presented his fowling piece, the dreadful effect of which they had witnessed and appeared perfectly to understand. The head of the troop, however, stood his ground, chattering furiously. The sportsman, who perhaps felt some little degree of compunction for having killed one of the family, did not like to fire at the creature, and nothing short of firing would suffice to drive him off. At length he came to the door of the tent, and finding threats of no avail began a lamentable moaning, and by the most expressive gesture seemed to beg for the dead body. It was given to him. He took it sorrowfully in his arms and bore it away to his expecting companions. They who were witnesses of this scene resolved never again to fire at one of the monkey race."

Those "Little Arts In Ease."

Once a man was asked the reason for his going to see a certain girl so frequently, as it was well known that he was not in love with her. He replied by saying that she had the most comfortable divan in town.

"And as to being in love with her—well, I don't know! It's those little arts in ease that make a man fall in love with a woman, I believe," he said.

Now, a knowledge of "those little arts" is born in some women; others do not even know how to try for them. But they are worth cultivating, it would seem.—New York Tribune.

FASHION AND FABRIC.

Among the novelties in winter waists is a norfolk cutaway with a deep yoke front.

Military effects continue to appear among winter basque bodices, jackets and coats.

Nearly all the long Russian circular capes are finished with a deep flounce at the edge.

Some of the latest French basque bodices have oddly scalloped, open fronts, with fancifully finished sleeve tops to match.

Fine velvety ladies' cloth in exquisite light and deep colors is imported. It is figured with small or medium sized dots in silk chenille.

One of the very popular winter skirt models is formed with five gores, sheath shaped at the top and a deep circular lower part, edged at the hem with two narrow ruffles.

Unlike those worn seasons ago, the new winter redingotes do not meet down the front; but, while reaching to the skirt hem at the back, they, with but few exceptions, have the rounded fronts which fashion so much affects.

Breitschwanz is one of the most fashionable, pliable and smart looking of the popular furs of the winter. From Grunwaldt's are sent over fichu shaped capes, sack coats and cutaway jackets formed of these rather short pelts.

Fashionable modistes are now closing many of their dress skirts at the back, or else they place the placket on the left side of the front breadth under a trimmed tab, a passementerie device or other decoration that conceals the means of egress and ingress.

A plain cloth dress of one becoming color, trimmed simply with narrow braid and small tailor buttons and silk lined, if possible, is by all means the first and best choice where the season's outfit is in any degree limited and no great variety of gowns possible.

All the new toques are much larger than they have been for several years, and the greater portion of them turn back from the face directly in front, with a sparkling gem set buckle holding a cluster of soft, erect plumes and a curved osprey feather in the center.—New York Post.

GLEANINGS.

The Tartarian alphabet contains 202 letters, being the longest in the world.

Among every 1,000 bachelors there are 38 criminals. Among married men the ratio is only 18 per 1,000.

Tokyo, Japan, resembles Venice in one respect. It has 80 wooden and ten iron bridges, each exceeding a length of 75 feet.

The Pasteur institute in Paris has assumed such dimensions and importance that a second building has become necessary.

An English newspaper recently offered a prize of £5 for the best reply to the question, "Who makes the best wife?" One of the replies received was as follows: "Dear sir, mine. Yours truly, Bertram Boggs."

A few years ago a Dublin official had a kind of census taken of the city and found that 32,000 families were located in about 7,000 houses, affording 1½ rooms per family. On the other hand, the remaining 22,000 families of the city occupied 17,000 houses.

Seven churches in Chicago are for sale, some of them having been at one time among the most prosperous in the city. One is used as an armory for cadets. A religious newspaper is printed in another, a dancing hall and a negro fortune teller occupy a third and small sects use the others for meeting places.

NEW YORK AND CHICAGO.

Greater New York has a population of about 3,000,000, or only half as many more as Chicago.

Greater New York's budget for 1899 allows $93,520,082 for all departments.

Chicago's budget for 1898-9 allows $15,929,557 for all departments.

Greater New York appropriates $11,797,596 for police.

Chicago appropriates $3,250,000 for police.

Greater New York appropriates $4,575,800 for street cleaning.

Chicago appropriates less than $1,500,000 for its entire public works department.

Greater New York appropriates $4,443,664 for its fire department.

Chicago appropriates less than $1,450,000 for the most efficient fire department on earth, in which alone of all our city departments the merit system rules supreme.

Greater New York will have to raise $86,500,000 by taxation next year.

For municipal and school purposes Chicago will raise only $12,165,317. By taxation for civic purposes exclusively we can only raise $4,501,317.—Chicago Post.

VERSATILE LI.

It does not look as if Li Hung Chang will even land anything "equally as good."—Toledo Blade.

If Li Hung Chang continues to slide down the scale, he will eventually land in a fourth class postoffice.—Washington Post.

Li Hung Chang has had another of his somewhat celebrated removals from power. The main trouble about them is that they do not keep him removed.—Baltimore American.

Li Hung Chang shows a disposition to refuse his assignment as official dredger of the Yellow river. Evidently Li doesn't realize what is to be made out of the average dredging contract.—Cleveland Leader.

WANDERING WILLIE.

We believe Emperor William has done everything now but walk a tight rope.—Philadelphia North American.

Emperor William is receiving a lot of sassy advice from American editors that have their stove wood in, and don't care whether he stops his paper or not.—Detroit Tribune.

Owing to pressing business in Berlin the kaiser had to forego the pleasure of a reception in Paris. Besides, he is not sure that he would live through it.—Kansas City Times.

POLITICAL QUIPS.

Every politician believes he is good enough for any office.—Atchison Globe.

And now the measurements of the earth are to be taken. We hope this is not in the interests of some political party.—Philadelphia North American.

The voting machine at Rochester told the result in 37 minutes after the polls closed. The next thing in line will be a voting machine that hands out a $2 bill when the voter hits it the right way.—Minnesota Journal.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	e 6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba	*6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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OPENING JAN. 1, '99.

Formal Dedication of Boston's New South Station.

It is announced that the date for the running of the first trains out of the new South Terminal has been definitely settled as Jan. 1, 1899, and many Quincy people will doubtless be on hand. There will be really three opening days, as the programme of dedication provides for a semi-public demonstration on the afternoon of Dec. 30, in the great waiting room. To these exercises 3000 invitations have been sent out, and it is expected that all the representative railroad men in this section and many from distant places will be present. The leading business men of this city are also expected to be in attendance and participate in the proceedings. Mayor Quincy will make a brief address. Among the other speakers will be President Clark of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company. Spirit and interest will be added to the occasion by the presence of the Municipal Band. At the conclusion of the exercises in the waiting-room, the guests will partake of a luncheon in one of the large upper apartments.

On Saturday following, an invitation will be extended to the general public to inspect the vast station and its appurtenances. On Sunday, New Year's Day, passenger service of the Mid-land and Plymouth divisions will be operated at the new station. It was thought best to have the opening on Sunday, owing to the lesser number of trains run than on week days.

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National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

BRAINTREE.

Mr. Joshua Bunker is still confined to his home.

Mr. W. Witherill is quite ill at his home on Middle street.

Mr. Douglas G. Brooks has been threatened with pneumonia this week.

Mr. Stafford S. Bridgham was drawn Monday morning to serve as juryman.

The Literary club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ewart, Monday evening, Jan. 2.

The South church will have its Christmas tree in Red Men's hall Tuesday evening.

The First church Sunday School will hold its Christmas entertainment in the chapel this evening.

The house lighting system at South Braintree has been much improved since the sub-station was put in.

Dr. Gallagher attended the meeting of the Head Masters' Association, of which he is president, in New York, this week.

Town Clerk Monk has his office arranged in a very business like manner. He also has an eye to comfort as well as business and has just put in a handsome new stove.

There will be a Christmas service in the First church tomorrow morning. There will be no evening service on account of the Old Stoughton sing in the Town Hall at seven.

To accommodate the Christmas rush in the mails the enterprising postmaster at South Braintree has arranged for a mail at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and the office will be open one hour.

On Monday evening, Miss Helen E. Cuff held a dime party at her home on Franklin street. About sixty persons gathered in response to her invitation. A fine entertainment, consisting of selections from Cuff's orchestra, a cornet solo by Mr. T. Uniac, piano solo by Miss Kitty Hennessy, reading by Miss Tessie O'Rourke, vocal selections by Misses Winnie G. Shay and Kittie E. Barnes and Lotta Packard, and certainly not the least pleasing feature, recitations by the little Misses Ina Condon and Lillian O'Neil furnished a much enjoyed entertainment, and aroused hopes that it would be only a beginning of many such gatherings. The proceeds will be devoted to some charitable object.

On Tuesday evening will take place the annual Christmas tree for the children of St. Francis Sunday School at the Town Hall. But as the zealous director does not intend that any shall be deprived of the much needed enjoyment, a grand concert will follow the distribution of gifts by Santa Claus, at the close of which Cuff's orchestra will furnish music for dancing. As he, and his faithful assistants, the teachers of the Sunday School, are sparing no pains to furnish a fine entertainment, their efforts should be met by a generous response and should net a good profit to help increase the fund in the Sunday School treasury.

One of our constables declares that the burglar found dead in Quincy is the man that was shot at by a Braintree officer about two years ago. The bullet compares in size with the one used, and has just taken effect.

The Selectmen will appoint Mr. B. F. Dyer as town treasurer, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Holbrook. Mr. Dyer is one of our solid men and the town is fortunate in having such a man for the place.

Services at St. Francis church on Christmas morning will take place as usual, at 8 and 10 o'clock. The 10 o'clock service will be a high mass, at which the faithful, earnest preparation of the organist and choir will be shown in the rich musical programme arranged. On Sunday afternoon, the children will be granted the usual Christmas holiday.

The mother of Chief Battles died in Brockton on Monday. The funeral took place at her late home in that city Thursday.

John Orr has accepted a position as assistant engineer on the Admiral Farragut of the Boston Fruit Company's line, and will make trips between Boston and Jamaica.

Mr. Royal Belcher of Tremont street has gone to New Hampshire to spend Christmas with his daughter, and also to make his grandchildren happy. We wish them much joy and a merry Christmas.

The Jonas Perkins School Association held an interesting meeting last Tuesday evening. The business part of the meeting took up so much time that a part of the programme was postponed until the next meeting. Preparations are going on for the presentation of the comedy "A Gilded Youth," by members of the Association on Thursday evening, Jan. 5th.

WEYMOUTH.

Mr. Chamberlain, teacher of the ninth grade in the Hunt school has been sick for a short time. His scholars have presented him with a handy edition of Shakspere which cost about four dollars.

Horace Trufant the janitor has also been sick, and has been presented with about ten dollar. There are many good gifts now flying through the mails from grateful hearts in our schools.

On Saturday evening the Union Sunday School has a dramatic entertainment and a Christmas tree in Washington hall. Some of the children are waiting and wishing for the time too come.

The new Union church is very satisfactory to the people. There are not enough seats at present in the auditorium. More will be put in and the partition into the Suuday School will be lowered for the preesent needs. There re man y chairs for visitors and strangers.

Rev. Daniel Evans of East Weymouth Congregational church, has been called to the North avenue church, Cambridge. If he accepts we shall miss a gentleman, a scholar and an exceptional Christian leader from our ranks.

The art collection in the Tufts library, which consists of scenes in Venice, should be enjoyed by all our young people. Visit the library now.

Mr. Herbert F. Bates, station agent at East Weymouth, recently appointed to the bureau of information at the new South station in Boston, has been notified of a revision of the action of the management which resulted in his being named for the important position of general baggage master. Mr. Bates has been connected with the Old Colony system for the past 20 years. He assumes his duties on the 26th inst.

SOME FOOLISH PEOPLE

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50. Trial size free. At all druggists.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Christmas music. Bible School at 12. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Children's Christmas festival at 7.30.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion at 10.30. Subject: "Christmas as the expression of love." Service for the Sunday School in the Church Christmas Carols at 4 o'clock. A small copy of the Sistine Madonna will be given to all present. Brief address by the rector on "The Christ Child" Choral evening song and Christmas address at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The secrets of many hearts revealed." The Christmas music will be by the vested choir of thirty men and boys under the direction of Mr. E. Landis Snyder. At the evening service the Villiers Stainford Te Deum in B flat will be sung at the presentation of the offering. All welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 12 M.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 110 Hancock street—Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Immanual or God with us." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. U. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The Incarnation or God in human life." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All welcome.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street—Lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "The birth and death of Jesus Christ."

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Christmas: Christ born today." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Christmas Sunday School concert at 7.15.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street —Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The doctrine of Incarnation." Special Christmas music. Sunday School at 11.45. A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Jesus Sanctified Infancy." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Christmas Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Christmas concert by Sunday School. Christmas tree Monday evening, Dec. 25. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Christmas sermon and music. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Morning service, 10.45. Subject: "The World's Sunrise." Sabbath School at 12.15 P. M. Christmas concert of the Sabbath School at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M. Christmas Festival Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M., with Christmas sermon and special music by quartette and chorus. Sunday School Christmas service at 12 M. Children's entertainment in Brasee's hall, Monday P. M.

WOLLASTON M. E. CHURCH—Rev. J. E Waterhouse, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Christmas sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The wise men from the east." Sunday School and Bible class at 12 M. Annual Christmas concert by the Sunday School. A cordial welcome to all these services.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. Morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 10.45. Choral evening service at 7.30 o'clock. There will be special Christmas music at both services. The Sunday School will be omitted.

PARK AND DOWNS UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rawson Road—Rev. F. T. Knight, pastor. Morning service at 10.45, at which the pastor will read an original Christmas story for children. Sunday School at 12 M. Sunday School Christmas concert at 6 P. M. Christmas tree exercises for the school and families of the Park and Downs district tonight.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Christmas sermon by the pastor. Subject: "God's unspeakable gift." Christmas music at 7 P. M. A Sabbath School Christmas concert will be given. At 6 o'clock Monday evening the school will give a Christmas cantata and have its Christmas tree festivities.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING—Faxon Hall—Mrs. M. A. Bonney will speak at 7 P. M. Circle Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 and 7.30 o'clock, at the home of Henry Chubbuck.

Castle Square Theare.

The Castle Square theatre-management is quick in supplying its patrons with whatever dramatic attraction is most prominent in public favor Recognizing the tendency toward the romantic drama and the popularity of "The Three Musketeers" in London, where three theatres are playing this attraction, it has been selected for the coming week's bill at this popular play house. The opportunities offered in this adaptation of Dumas great story for such a company as that at the Castle Square theatre will be fully appreciated by the play going public and a capital performance of the drama can be confidentialy expected. A number of engagements have been made especially for this production, the cast being as follows: King Louis XIII of France, J. L. Seeley; Cardinal Richelieu, William Humphrey; Duke of Buckingham, N. H. Fowler; Count de Rochefort, Lindsay Morison; De Treville, Alban W. Purcell; Athos, Charles Mackay; Porthos, Giles Shines; Aramis, Tony Cummings; D'Artagnan, A. S. Lipman; Ann of Austria, Lillian Lawrence; Lady De Winter, Maude Odell; Constance, Mary Sanders. Following "The Three Musketeers" on Monday, Jan. 2 the Castle Square company will appear in a production of "Too Much Johnson."

Keiths Theatre.

Under the modest caption of an "Illustrated Travelogue on Hawaii," Dr. John C. Bowker is to appear at Keith's theatre next week for the first time in the vaudeville. He is very well known to lyceum audiences, before whom he has been appearing for several seasons. Although a very young man, he has had most varied experiences, and, gifted with keen powers of observation, and extensively traveled on all continents, has enjoyed and profited by advantages which, his felicitous union of scene and story, place him in the front rank of lecturers. His talk will teem with interesting facts about Hawaii, its products, people and possibilities, and is of intense interest. The illustrations are excellent and rare. Other attractions for the week of Dec. 26 are Jules Levy, one of the greatest cornet soloists whom this generation has ever heard. The theatre will be opened on Sunday, Dec. 25, for the first time since it was built for the purpose of exhibiting the biograph pictures of Pope Leo XIII, the proceeds to be devoted to church charities.

Department officers in Washington sometimes get queerly directed letters. One received by the second auditor the other day was addressed: "The Onerable 2d Orderty Unnided States Dreshury, Washington, D. C."

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TELEGRAPHIC.

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ON JANUARY 1, AT NOON,

The United States Will Take Formal Possession of Cuba.

Courtesy and Protection For Spaniards Demanded.

Text of Proclamation Issued by American Evacuation Commissioners.

Havana, Dec. 27. — The following proclamation was issued by the American evacuation commissioners today:

The undersigned, commissioners on the part of the United States, having been invested with power by the president to arrange for and execute the evacuation of Cuba and adjacent islands, and also to take over public property of Spain, have entered into an agreement with commissioners on the part of Spain for the final ceremonies and regulations to be observed and carried out on the first day of January and thereafter until all Spanish troops shall have embarked for repatriation, and the same is published for the guidance of the inhabitants and others outside of the Santiago district.

The undersigned desire in this public manner to impress and enjoin upon all the people of the island the necessity for strict compliance with the terms of this agreement to the end that public order and due respect for the gravity of the occasion may prevail, and especially to admonish all classes of people to exercise self restraint and moderation and refrain from giving cause of offense or irritation, and from the exhibition of excitement, undue manifestation of feeling or from doing any act calculated to produce irritation or bad feeling.

For nearly four months this commission and other officials of the United States have been under the protection of the Spanish authority. They have extended to us the most scrupulous courtesy and consideration, and not one unpleasant incident has marred our sojourn here in their midst, and now that our positions are soon to be reversed and they are to become our guests and entitled to our protection, we must see to it that they enjoy the same immunity and consideration. Apart from the eminent propriety of such a course, the best interests of all classes, Cubans, Spaniards and Americans, will be thereby subserved. Acting under a sense of duty to the people and our government we give notice that any violation of the terms and provisions of this agreement will be resented and offenders brought promptly to justice.

Representing all classes and interests we shall be governed by the strictest impartiality with the sole purpose of promoting the rehabilitation and pacification of Cuba. The preservation of peace, the security to persons and property, and the establishment and maintenance of government with just laws impartially administered are indispensible to the welfare and happiness of the people. We therefore confidently invoke the aid and co-operation of the inhabitants in accomplishing these ends.

The agreement is as follows: Whereas, the convention entered into on the 16th day of November, 1898, between the commissioners of the United States and the commissioners of Spain, provides that the final evacuation of the territory of Cuba and adjacent Spanish islands by the forces of Spain shall be completed at 12 o'clock meriden on the first day of January, 1899, and says that if for unavoidable reasons the embarkation of Spanish forces shall not be completed on the date herein fixed, in such case suitable and convenient places shall be designated for the residence of the remaining Spanish troops until their embarkation shall be accomplished, it being well understood, however, that these troops will not be ejected from their quarters during the time that they must necessarily remain there, leaving them in their quarters and the sick in hospitals under the safeguard of the armies of the United States until they can be sent home, and,

Whereas, notwithstanding all the efforts made by the Spanish authorities faithfully and promptly to carry out the provisions of the aforesaid convention, there will still be a number of Spanish troops in the province of Matanzas and Santa Clara whom it will have been impossible to embark for their native country before the first of January next.

Now, therefore, be it agreed, between the commissioners of the United States and the commissioners of Spain as follows:

The Spanish troops remaining unembarked on the first of January shall remain undisturbed until their embarkation to Spain in their respective quarters, buildings and grounds, actually then occupied by them, and during that period shall enjoy the privileges and immunities usually accorded by the rules of international law governing foreign troops in a friendly country. The quarters, buildings and grounds actually occupied by said troops will be considered as being covered by the privileges of extra territoriality, the responsibility for keeping good order in places thus occupied being upon the authorities of the United States. The commanding officer of the Spanish forces in the event of public disorder will place himself in communication with the commanding officer of the United States forces and, in concert with him, carry out such measures for the suppression of disorder as they may jointly agree upon, or which they may have formulated in advance for the prevention and suppression of such disorders.

The Spanish officers in command of troops will give due notice to the nearest commanding officer of the United States forces of intended departure from quarters for their respective points of embarkation.

Provincial and municipal authorities will not be allowed to tax in any manner the Spanish forces nor their belongings, nor give any orders which will increase the price of eatables or other effects necessary for the subsistance of their troops. Combinations to raise the prices of the supplies or to deprive the Spanish forces of what is necessary for their subsistence while in camp or en route will not be permitted.

Employes of the postal and telegraphic service will continue to carry the correspondence of the Spanish forces and transmit their official telegraphic messages under the same conditions as heretofore.

No import duties or charges of any kind or character will be levied by custom officials upon material of war of the Spanish or upon the personal effects of Spanish soldiers and officers or on those of their families.

Hospitals with their sick attendants and medical officers evacuated there will be under the protection of the army of the United States, the Spanish authorities providing everything necessary for the care, subsistence and transportation for the sick so detained, and for repatriation upon recovery.

The general in chief of the Spanish army agrees that his officers and soldiers will preserve the most exact discipline, and in event that any should enter the houses and lands of private persons without consent of owners he shall severely punish the offenders.

Should any offense be committed by any officer or soldier of the Spanish against inhabitants he will be promptly brought to trial by the proper military authorities of said forces before a proper Spanish military tribunal. Any offense committed by an inhabitant against any person of the Spanish forces will be promptly brought to justice by the commander of the United States forces in connection with the commanding officer of the Spanish forces.

In event of any injury or damage to persons or property being committed by Spanish troops the injured parties shall have the right to submit their claims for indemnification to the Spanish government.

Punctual payment will be made for whatever is purchased of inhabitants by or for the Spanish.

It is understood that the Spanish authorities will use all diligence in embarking for Spain at the earliest possible moment the Spanish troops remaining in Cuba.

The commissioners of the United States and the commissioners of Spain, in order to accomplish with due formalities the official delivery of Cuba by representatives of the government of Spain to representatives of the government of the United States, have resolved by common accord upon the following:

At 12 o'clock on Jan. 1, 1899, the battery of salutes at Cabanas will discharge 21 cannon, and immediately thereafter the Spanish flag will be lowered from Morro castle, and from all official buildings where displayed, and the flag of the United States shall be raised in its place, saluted with a discharge of 21 guns from the same battery, these salutes being fired by American and Spanish artillerymen respectively. American and Spanish ships of war that may be in this port properly equipped shall also salute both flags, discharging the proper number of guns.

Land and naval forces of the United States, which may have been designated by their respective commanders and who shall have entered Havana in advance and shall have located themselves at a convenient place, upon hearing the salutes shall proceed to occupy the fortifications, edifices and places in the city which American authorities may desire to occupy, and that at all military places a Spanish military officer will await the arrival of the American forces and will deliver the place to them, leaving it in their possession. If on that day and hour there shall yet be Spanish troops in Havana they will remain in their quarters and will form ranks during the time of the delivery of the city, saluting all American troops which may pass there, presenting arms to sounds of march from musicians and bands. The American troops will return the salute in identical form.

At the same hour of 12 o'clock on the first of January there shall be present at all centers, tribunals, offices and civil dependencies of the Spanish government the respective functionaries and employes who may have not yet ceased discharging their duties, and they shall make delivery to American functionaries who may present themselves for that purpose, and will then receive proper instructions.

Before the time of delivery, commissioners of the United States and the commissioners of Spain, together with the two governor generals and their headquarters' officers and guards, will assemble at the palace of the captain general to decide on the moment and by common accord any doubt or difficulty which may occur over the delivery, and to receive immediately afterwards any person who may wish to visit them either in recognition of new authority or in farewell to one that ceases.

Although it is not to be expected from the culture of this city that any one will disturb order or the gravity of the delivery of the island, if any one should so disturb it he shall be immediately suppressed by public force, and the American authorities will punish the guilty with severity.

On concluding the delivery, the Spanish troops which may yet remain on the island shall be considered as a foreign army in a friendly country, and as such respected by all.

The proclamation is signed by James F. Wade, major general, U. S. V., and Matthew C. Butler, major general, U. S. V.; it is attested by John W. Clouse, brigadier general, U. S. V.

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Julia Arthur Sick.

New York, Dec. 27.—Julia Arthur, the actress, broke down last night and was compelled to dismiss her audience at the Knickerbocker theater. She is suffering from nervous prostration. By a great effort she got through a matinee performance yesterday afternoon, and she hoped to play last night. The house was packed. Miss Arthur was weak and so ill she could hardly stand, but she ordered that the curtain be rung up. She then attempted to walk on the stage, but was forced to sink into a chair.

Mysterious Bank Robbery.

Lima, O., Dec. 27.—There was a mysterious robbery at the American National bank, the amount stolen being from $18,060 to $19,000. The janitor discovered the doors of the vault open yesterday morning, and the inner doors were opened by President Michael and Cashier Kalb, when it was found that all gold and paper money in the bank had been carried away, although the racks of silver money were untouched. There are no marks of violence, and the affair is a mystery.

Sampson at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Admiral W. T. Sampson, who recently arrived at New York from Havana, reached Washington last night, for consultation with the officials here.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:13; sets, 4:20.
Moon rises—5:06 p. m.
High water—11:30 a. m.; mid.

Snow flurries are now indicated for New England, most likely in northern sections. Clearing weather will follow Wednesday morning, and the air conditions will probably last through Thursday; slowly rising temperature, followed by moderately colder by Wednesday night; west to southwest winds.

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Good Afternoon.

The editor of the Daily Ledger acknowledges an invitation from the board of trustees of the Boston Terminal Company to the formal exercises attending the dedication of the Terminal on Friday afternoon of this week.

We regret to learn that the gentleman who forwarded a communication to the Daily Ledger in praise of the People's course cannot trust the editors with his name. It is not our custom to divulge the name of writers for the Ledger, whether requested to withhold them or not, and "Equality" shows a surprising lack of good faith. We hope even now he will send his name, and also that he will continue to write for the press.

Council Business.

Among the matters to come before tonight's meeting of the City Council of 1898 will be the report of the Committee on Streets on the petition for lights on the corner of School and Pleasant streets and report of the Committee on Licensen on petitions for several minor license. In the calendar are orders appropriating $300 for the Board of Health, $65 of which is for miscellaneous, and $235 for garbage; refunding Patrick Cunniff $36.50 and Louis Slaugher $12.55 taxes; the revoking of the street railway location on Adams street between Hancock and Alleyne streets, and the granting of a new location on Alleyne street.

Q. Y. C. Officers.

There is considerable speculation as to who will be the new secretary of the Quincy Yacht club. Last summer Secretary Whiting announced to the Executive committee his determination to retire at the expiration of his present term. Secretary Whiting's retirement makes a vacancy which must be filled at the coming annual meeting. Nominations for the office of Secretary and other offices cannot be filed later than Jan. 15. It is understood that Commodore Rice and Vice Commodore Davis will be candidates for re-election.

Would-Be Assistants.

Quite a little rivalry is going on at Wollaston for the position of Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department, now held by Mr. George E. Thomas, a Republican and a thorough fireman. As Mr. Thomas is just at present on the wrong side of the political fence it is probable that he will resign at the conclusion of his term. Allowing that contingency takes place, there are two candidates in the field for the position. Both are old firemen and have excellent records in that department of the public service. Both have the necessary political qualifications, having voted for Mayor-elect Keith. They are ex-Assistant Engineer Marcena R. Sparrow and ex-Captain Frank L. Merrill. Mr. Merrill has sixteen years of honorable service to his credit, and Mr. Sparrow has also a lengthy record.

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Murderer of the Burglar May be a Suicide.

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Dead Burglar Identified as Charles Hanson of Gloucester.

It looks now as though a part of the mystery surrounding the dead burglar found last Thursday morning at the residence of Mr. John Shaw, would be in a measure cleared up, that is as far as the identity of the dead man is concerned.

Saturday afternoon the police received word from Gloucester, from the Chief of Police, that the description of the dead man tallied with a Charles Hanson of that place. Inspector Ferguson was immediately sent to Gloucester, taking with him a photograph of the dead man.

The Chief of Gloucester identified the photograph, as did several who saw it, although it was supposed that Hanson was then upon the high seas in a fishing vessel, but there was a possibility that he might have skipped just before the vessel sailed.

The woman with whom Hanson boarded also recognized the photograph. He had made his pay over to her and she was positive that she could identify the photograph.

Sunday the Quincy Police again visited Gloucester and made a further investigation and found another sailor, named Charles Matson, who said he had been fishing with Hanson, had boarded with him, eaten at the same table with him, and knew him well. He immediately recognized the photograph and to make the matter sure agreed to come to Quincy and look at the remains. This he did Monday, arriving here at 9.50. Hall's undertaking rooms were visited and as soon as the face of the unknown was uncovered exclaimed "That is Hanson." He also called attention to a peculiar cast in the right eye, which had escaped notice until he called attention to it, when all present remarked it.

This seems to leave no doubt but what the unknown is Charles Hanson. Matson does not give Hanson a very good character. He says that he was born in Sweden and that he has frequently been in jail for thieving.

This would seem to identify the unknown as Charles Hanson, and unless the original turns up when the sailing vessel returns, which is expected in a few days, it will be generally accepted as his name.

THE OTHER FELLOW

Monday, the account given in the morning papers of the unknown suicide found at Crescent avenue was thought to tally with the fellow held up by Officer Larkin on the morning of the Shaw affair and who gave his name as Fred Clayton.

Although many believe that the so called Clayton had nothing to do with the murder, the police have been very anxious to find him, and Monday afternoon Officer Larkin was sent to Boston to see if he could recognize the dead man as the fellow he held up.

Officer Larkin was struck by the resemblance of the body at the morgue in Boston and the fellow whom he had in charge Thursday. Many of the points between the two men tallied, but there was enough uncertainty about it to cause Officer Larkin to hesitate before he would say positively whether it was the same one or not, but he returned to Quincy under the impression that it was.

Today, Night Officer Hanson who was with the supposed pal for two or three hours visited the Boston morgue to see if he could connect the two.

Acting upon the theory that the two are one and the same man, the police are inclined to think that the unknown found at Crescent Avenue took his own life out of remorse for having killed his pal.

The theory is that the shooting was accidental, and that learning the next day that he had killed his pal it so prayed upon his mind that he in turn took his own life.

On the same basis however it is figured out that the suicide could not have been a hardened criminal, for if he had it is very doubtful if remorse could cause him to take his own life, for hardened criminals are not apt to be remorseful.

NATIONAL INTEREST.

The affair has not only excited interest in Quincy, but has become the topic in police circles all over the country, for it is a most mysterious affair. Others outside of the police circles are also interested in the case, and many of these have written anonymous letters to Chief Litchfield giving him their theory. The latest is from Omaha, Nebraska. It bore the postmark date of Dec. 23, the day after the affair. The letter was written on a scrap of manila paper and was enclosed in square unsealed envelope bearing a one-cent stamp. The letter was as follows:

Chief of Police, Quincy, Mass.

The man killed at Mr. Shaw's was not a robber. He was murdered and placed there by the murderer.

A. P. L.—F. R. M.

LATEST.

The theory that the unknown suicide found at Crescent Avenue was the pal of the dead burglar was exploded this morning by Officers Hanson and Larkin who visited the morgue in Boston to see if they could identify the suicide as the Fred Clayton, held up by Officer Larkin.

When the latter visited the morgue Monday the body of the suicide had not been cleaned and his face and hands were covered with blood. Officer Larkin thought he might be the man but was not certain.

The visit today was to settle the matter. The two officers found that the body had been cleaned and both failed to identify him. The clothing resembled somewhat that worn by Clayton but the features were entirely different.

As the case now stands the police are quite positive that the dead burglar is Charles Hanson, and as such he will be known until something turns up to establish facts to the contrary.

Who fired the fatal shot, however, is as much a mystery now as it was on the day the body was found.

A New Theory.

A neighbor of Mr. Shaw rushed into the Ledger office breathlessly this morning and with considerable confidence exclaimed, "I have a new theory as to the shooting of that burglar, and that is that he shot himself." The reporters ceased work at their desks, all thought it was not a new theory to them. One expected to explode it instantly in the Yankee way, and asked, "Where is the revolver?" The man was at the door going out by this time, dodged a book which followed quickly the reply: "It went off."

TODAY'S COURT.

The District court held a busy session this morning. There were many cases, but as most of them were for minor offenses they were quickly disposed of:

George D. Sheppard of Randolph was fined $7, Martin Doherty and Michael Lonnergan of Weymouth, and George Brown, Patrick Hagerty, John Carlson, Alfred Anderson, Patrick Eagan, Patrick Healey and Daniel K. McKenzie of Quincy were fined $5 each for drunkenness.

The following drunk cases were continued: Nellie Hathaway of Quincy, until Wednesday; Joe McLaughlin of Quincy, one month; Andrew Salberg of Quincy, two weeks; Frank E. Morrison and John E. Orcutt of Weymouth one month.

Maurice Sheahan of Weymouth and Patrick Scully of Quincy were sent to the house of correction for three months for drunkenness.

Daniel K. McKenzie was arraigned for assault on Officer Samuel D. DeForrest at Quincy. Case placed on file.

Otto Anderson was arraigned for assault on Martin Person at Quincy. Both Anderson and Person said they were only fooling but the court said different and imposed a fine of $10.

Drniel E. Donovan and Fred P. Cronin were arraigned for breaking and entering the house of A. Baker at Weymouth, and the larceny therefrom of goods valued at ninety-eight cents. They were held for the grand jury.

WEYMOUTH.

Mrs. John Long and two sons spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Pratt.

Mr. Alfred Inkley went to Lowell to spend Christmas.

Rev. William Kirkby is confined to the house with the grip.

At the fair of the Ladies' Aid, Rev. W. Kirby was presented with a handsome quift.

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Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. I it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy. Wollaston.

$5 REWARD.
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Quincy, Dec. 20. f

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CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Mrs. M. C. King is visiting relatives in Portland, Maine, for a few days.

Warren W. Adams is out after a confinement of ten days with the grip.

Miss Eva B. Reed of Atlantic spent Christmas at her home in Braintree.

Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., will elect officers and work the third degree this evening.

Charles Winkleman, drug clerk at the Hancock pharmecy, is spending Christmas week at his home in Holyoke.

The engagement was announced at Christmas of Miss Carrie Eva Geer of West Quincy and Mr. Charles S. Irving.

Mr. Frank Melville, clerk for Miss E. M. Freeman, Quincy Point, goes today to Westerly, R. I., on a week's vacation.

Two little Quincy boys went to the woods looking for holly. They came home and said, "Most every green thing they could see was gone."

Seberin Martell of Filbert street died suddenly Saturday night while calling upon some of his neighbors. Heart disease is given as the cause.

A large crowd took possession of the meadow pond on South street, Quincy Point, on Monday. It was frozen over as smooth as glass and great sport was enjoyed.

The Weymouth Agricultural Society has elected a new board of officers with Edward B. Nevin as president, and John R. Graham of Quincy as first vice president.

The patronesses of the Hurdy Gurdy party tomorrow afternoon are: Mrs. John Shaw, Miss E. M. Freeman, Mrs. Roger H. Wilde, Mrs. Wilson Tisdale and Mrs. Aubrey Hilliard.

A. A. Linscott, jeweller, formerly with J. O. Holden reports a larger Christmas sale than has been done at the old stand for the pas tseven years in which he has been connected with the business in this city.

Mr. A. J. Preston of Wollaston has written an interesting story entitled "Five hours with a Wollaston baby." It will appear in Saturday's Patriot and every one will want to secure a copy.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ellis announce the marriage of their daughter, Jennie, to Mr. Harry E. Winslow, the wedding to take place Tuesday, Jan. 3. After a short trip, they will reside at 9 Edwards street.

If you received pictures for a Christmas gift and wish them framed corcectly and artistically, take them in to Mrs. Smith, 188 Lincoln street, Boston. She is handy to the Old Colony depot as will be seen by her advertisement in another column.

Sunday was a busy day for the police, for the celebrrates of the night before who looked upon the wine when it was red in the cup, were numerous. As the result of Sunday's work eleven Quincy drunks and two from Weymouth were lodged in jail, and two who were charged with assault.

Mr. Michael J. O'Hara of Newcomb place completed ten years of service with Mr. T. A. Bresnahan the proprietor of the Boston Shoe Tool Company, on Saturday, and in recognition of his capable and conscientious labors Mr. O'Hara received from his employer a handsome gold watch.

L. M. Pratt & Co. think everybody must had a turkey for Christmas. They ordered a large supply the first of the week, and on Friday finding the demand great went to Boston and ordered another fine lot, and they were sold so quickly on Friday evening that Mr. Pratt was obliged to go to the city again on Saturday and order more. The sale was immense.

The inmates of the Quincy Poor Farm observed Christmas Sunday. There was no tree this year but for dinner they had chicken, with all the fixings: candy, nuts, etc. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock services were held and were conducted by Rev. David Kerr of the Cavalry Baptist church, the choir from that church furnishing music. Monday was generally observed as a holiday, only work that was absolutely necessary being performed.

Bloody Assault.

Officers Newcomb and Lyons arrested Otto Anderson at a house off Garfield street Sunday afternoon for assault on Martin Person. From what can be learned rum was the cause of the trouble, and during the debate which followed Anderson picked up a chair and struck Person a savage blow over the head, making a cut three inches long, which Dr. Jones later sewed up. When the police arrived at the house they found blood spattered all over the house, resembling a slaughter house more than anything else. Anderson was arraigned in court this morning.

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"Awake! Arise! and oh, rejoice!
For unto you a Lord is born.
Hear'st not the chanting Heaven-voice,
The harp, and the resounding horn?"

And after all no more ideal Christmas could have been wished for than Sunday's perfect winter day. A clear sky, still crisp air, and frozen ground tempted hundreds of people to wend their way to the churches and listen to the Christmas sermon and music. The churches were filled to overflowing.

At all of them there were special musical programmes.

The children throughout the city were all grateful to Mr. Faxon for his Christmas gift.

BETHANY CHURCH.

There are so many connected with the Bible school of Bethany church that it is necessary to have Christmas by instalments.

Saturday afternoon over 200 little ones of the Primary department had their tree and festival. There was an enjoyable time and each child received a game, book or toy and also a box of candy.

In the evening the older members of the school and attendants of the church had a tree festival, with singing, recitations by Isabelle Mitchell, Charles Parker, Ruth Gould, Grace McTear, Alfred Wason, Herbert Cobb and Katherine Jones. W. C. Sampson read a letter from Mrs. Claus, which pleased the children, Santa Claus was impersonated by Mr. Frank Crane of Canal street. Some of the ludicrous gifts for the older ones caused amusement.

The Sunday morning service was very largely attended, and music was a feature. Mrs. Jennie Hocking Hunt was organist, Miss Emily Strifford violinist, Mr. Charles Elmer Hollis cornetist, Miss Gertrude Graham soprano, Miss Louise Holbrook contralto, Mr. Stanwood Field tenor, and Mr. Albert L. Hayden bass. The pastor's theme was "Good Tidings."

The Bible School was assisted by the same talent Sunday evening at the Christmas vespers, and it was an interesting service.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The Christmas festival of the Sunday School of Christ church parish was held Saturday evening in the parish house at 6 o'clock. In one of the rooms was a large tree heavily laden with presents for the children. After singing a few carols and a brief address by the rector the presents were distributed. A pleasant feature of the festival was the bringing by the members of the Sunday School gifts of food, etc., for distribution among the poor.

The music at the Sunday services was as usual a leading feature and will be repeated next Sunday.

FIRST CHURCH.

The Sunday School of the First church had a glorious time Saturday at their annual Christmas festival. The children gathered in the chapel at 5 o'clock and after an hour spent in games were summoned to the room below where a bountiful supper was served.

Returning from the supper they again assembled in the chapel and passed a half hour in singing carols which were conducted by the superintendent, Mr. J. O. Hall. The curtain in front of the platform was then thrown aside disclosing sixteen boys and girls assembled around a large brick chimney from which Santa Claus soon made his appearance and delivered his annual address. He found himself short of presents and while in a quandry as to what to do, a fairy appeared and by her magic wand turned the brick chimney into boxes containing presents. There was enough for all and after Santa had taken his departure the festival closed with a carol.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN.

The Christmas festival of the Sunday School of the Swedish Lutheran church was held Monday evening and was very largely attended. The church was very prettily decorated with evergreen and holly, and was brilliantly illuminated with candles and colored electric lights. Near the platform was two large trees heavily laden with Christmas gifts which were distributed to the children. A Sunday School concert was also held.

METHODIST WOLLASTON.

The Christmas entertainment for the Wollaston M. E. Sunday School was observed on Christmas eve. There was a cantata by the children "Santy Is Coming," and a jolly Santa Claus in the person of Mr. Axel Bjorkman appeared from a huge fire place and distributed gifts to the children and older folks from a bountifully ladened tree. One of the presents given was $100 in cash from the parishioners to their beloved pastor, the Rev. J. E. Waterhouse.

On Sunday morning, Mr. Waterhouse preached an excellent Christmas sermon, his subject being, "The wise men from the East."

In the evening there was a Sunday School concert. The church was crowded at each service.

CONGREGATIONAL, WOLLASTON.

At the Wollaston Congregational church, the Rev. Edward Norton preached to a large audience on the theme, "The World's Sunrise." The Christmas music was by the church choir. Miss Mary V. Hastings, soprano; Miss Eva A. Dickey, contralto; Mr. Charles A. Jameson, basso; Mr. Samuel M. King, tenor and director. The organist was Miss Ada F. Hinckley.

In the afternoon there was a concert by the Sunday School.

On Monday afternoon the children's entertainment was held in the church vestry. Professor and Mrs. Floyd in their wonderful entertainment, furnished a good deal of amusement to both old and young. There was also a tree for the children.

BAPTIST, WOLLASTON.

The Wollaston Baptist church is always famous for its good music. This Christmas was no exception to this long established rule. The pastor, the Rev. Preston Gurney, preached a Christmas sermon.

The church quartette consisting of Mrs. Page, Mrs. King, Mr. Corse and Mr. Wilde were assisted at the vesper by Mrs. Pendleton, Mrs. Blaisdell, Mr. Herbert H. Albee and Mr. T. B. Poland, and by Mr. Moorehouse, violinist, and the Wollaston orchestra, Mrs. Leavitt, Miss Olney and Miss Sparrow, pianists; Mr. George H. Crichley, cornetist; Mr. C. A. Pinkham, organist; Mr. A. D. Albee, director of music.

UNITARIAN, WOLLASTON.

The Wollaston Unitarian church was filled to overflowing on Sunday. The pastor, the Rev. James E. Bagley, preached a Christmas sermon, and there was special Christmas music by a chorus of sixteeen voices with Mrs. Eva L. Baker, Miss Lulu Phelan and Mr. F. H. Bishop as soloist.

On Monday afternoon there was a Christmas entertainment at Brasee's hall for the children.

M. E. CHURCH, WEST QUINCY.

The Christmas concert at the M. E. church at West Quincy was particularly interesting including recitations by Annie Scott, Nellie Hunter, Nettie Loud, May Williams, Hugh Hunter, Jennie and Viola Malcolm, Eunice Doble, Hilda Francis, Katie McCormick, Chester Malcolm, Willie Williams, Clara Thorne, Nellie Moir, and Grace Manhire. There was also a star exercise by six small girls, song by five small girls, singing by school, anthems by choir, song by Clara Wentworth and Jennie Grant, special parts by Lucy Furbush, Lillian Barnes, Mary Scott, Olive Grant, Bella Hunter and Class 6, and a brief address by Rev. C. W. Wilder, the pastor.

Christmas at the Hospital.

At the City Hospital yesterday afternoon, a very interesting programme had been prepared for the entertainment of the patients. In the centre of the main ward was a large Christmas tree loaded with gifts, and around it were gathered the convalescents and also the children who had been patients there during the past year. A musical programme was given consisting of choruses by the Episcopal church choir under the leadership of Mr. Snyder, vocal solos by Mrs. N. S. Hunting, a piano solo by Mr Frank Gilbert, and violin solos by Mr. W. E. Loud.

After the music Rev. E. C. Butler, and Dr. J. H. Gilbert, assisted by the matron, Miss Thayer, and the nurses, distributed the gifts to young and old, and did everything in their power to give the children a good time. Mr. Butler made a few fitting remarks, after which ice cream was served to the little ones, and all went home happy.

Too much cannot be said of the matron and her corps of nurses for the pleasure and happiness, which they have brought to the little ones through their untiring aid and devotion.

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DIED.

MARTELL—In West Quincy, Dec. 25, Mr. Siberin Martell, aged 77 years.
LORENDO—In West Quincy, Dec. 26, Lena, daughter of Mr. Phelix and Mrs. Emma Lorendo, aged 3 years and 5 months.
McKENZIE—In Milton, Dec. 24, Wallace, son of Mr. John and Mrs. Louisa McKenzie, aged 3 years and 6 months.
RIDEOUT—In Malden, Dec. 25, Mr. Franklin S. Rideout, aged 26 years.
NEWTON and PATTERSON—In Hyde Park, Dec. 23, Dr. Sarah F. Newton and her sister Lucy A. Patterson.
COURTNEY—In Hyde Park, Dec. 25, Mr. Russell Dudley, son of Mr. Frank F. and Mrs Elizabeth B. Courtney, formerly of Quincy, 7 years 3 months 6 days. Funeral private.

LIVE TURKEYS.

Two Hundred Pounds Purchased for Co. K. Dinner.

With Co. K, 5th Mass., U. S. V.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 22.

It has been terrible wet weather the whole of this week. Today has been showery, which makes our camp in a very disagreeable state. The boys when on guard duty experience some hardships during these cold rain storms. The southern papers talk about the "Sunny South." What these notable people ought to do, is to become a sentinel for one night.

Sergeant Crane went to town this morning and ordered 200 pounds of live turkeys for Christmas. These birds were received this afternoon and the boys will do justice to them.

The old cook squad which has hung together since we were mustered in was the other day disbanded. Corporal Tucker who is one of the newly appointed non-commission, has returned to the company street. Private Brown has also returned to the company street. The newly organized cook squad consists of Private Dean now acting corporal, with an able corps of assistants, such as Privates Delano, Robinson, Mahoney, Carlson, and Leonard.

Corporal Dean as we now call him, makes a very efficient chef, having served several years in the U. S. regular army.

Sergeant Colbert visited Greenville today on a 42 hours' pass.

Private Collins and Brown were on a leave of absence yesterday, having been issued 24 hours' passes.

Private Henry Collins has a very handsome mascot, a Newfoundland dog. Henry can now leave his quarters in safety during the absence of any members of the squad.

Lieut. Spear acted as battalion adjutant to the 1st battalion yesterday.

Major Morrison is on a brief visit to Washington, D. C., and Captain Sykes is now acting Major of the 1st battalion.

K Co. had the honor at last night's review to escort the colors to the parade grounds. This is the first time that such a heavy color guard, as a whole company has acted as color guard.

Lieut. Whitney of K handed the colors to the two color sergeants and then the regimental band played the Star Spangled Banner. The review of last night was exceptionally fine.

Private Thumstrom was today picked out at guard mount to act as colonel's orderly.

All through this disagreeable weather, the health has been exceptionally fine, a few colds add to the sickness mostly.

The guard detail for today consists of Sergeant Phillips, Privates D. Smith, Spillane, Sheehan, Sullivan, Thumstrom. Volunteer.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for Dec. 26:

John Anderson, C. Carlson, John Corbi, John Carlson, M. T. Gilbert, Anton Olson, David Savone.

Mrs. Mary A. Flinn, Mrs. Age Tiller.

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IMPERIALES, 50 in box,	3.50
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WEDDING BOUQUET, 12 in box,	1.00
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Dec. 19. 6t

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.
Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

LOCAL NEWS TRACK.

Some Colts which are Sure Winners Every Heat.

A little snow flurry this morning.

The official name of the new union station will be "The South Terminal."

Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows will elect officers for 1899 this evening.

Tonight's meeting of the City Council may wind up the business for 1898.

The Greenleaf windows look attractive with their green wreaths and potted plants.

The Marshall Children will be at Music hall in the People's Course on Saturday evening.

"The Confederate Spy" will be presented at Quincy Music hall on Friday evening under the auspices of Clan McGregor.

Mr. Moreton T. Swallow has been appointed to a position in the treasurer's office of the Boston Terminal Company.

Regular monthly meeting of the School Committee tonight. It will probably be the last meeting of the present board.

Private Frank Pierce of K company, who has been passing a short furlough with his parents on Elm street, leaves tonight for Greenville, S. C.

The Wollaston Trap club held a largely attended shoot on Monday forenoon and 1058 birds were thrown. There were ten event, the winners being A. L. Baker 1, C. N. Bates 1, Cook 1, Conlan 1, Noleen 1, Starrett 1, Thomas 2, and Thompson 1.

At the National Sailors' Home Christmas was quietly observed. Wreaths of evergreen were hung in the windows and a few of the old salts received Chr istmas gifts. Sunday noon a real old-fashioned dinner was served, and in the afternoon there were religious services conducted by Rev. Ellery C. Butler of the Unitarian church.

Some One Asks

"Is the Lemon doomed?" Of course it is—to be squeezed.

And in the same vein of humor we might add—the sun has set on the day of high prices but darkness will never fall on the everlasting virtue of high quality. We pledge you our word for that—at least as far as *this* stock is concerned.

Have you ever tried our best tub butter? Butter not its equal is sold in Boston for more money. We keep it properly after we get it—that is a point that some grocers slip up on.

In 5 lb. boxes,	$1.40
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Grocery,
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Boston, Dec. 2. 1y

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WANTED.

WANTED—A bright young man of good address for our office, one who can write shorthand and operate a typewriter. $3.00 per week. HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
Quincy, Dec. 27. tf

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Dec. 27. 6t

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FOR SALE CHEAP—Household Furniture. No dealers need apply. No. 1 Beech street, Quincy Point.
Dec. 27. 2t

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A House of 9 rooms at No. 12 South Walnut street. Nearly quarter of an acre of land with fruit trees. Apply to ALEXANDER McCABE, 16 Penn street.
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APARTMENTS of five large rooms and bath, with all modern improvements. Also two large stores. Rent moderate. Apply to ARTHUR CRAIG, or J. W. HAYDEN, at Craig Building, cor. Copeland and Garfield Sts.
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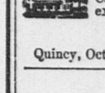

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All work and materials the best.
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Quincy, Nov. 1. 1p 6m

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Some "penny-wise" people practice a kind of economy that is not economical. They save a penny on soap and lose a dollar on clothes. Sooner or later they learn that cheap, common soaps rot clothing by burning the thread with strong alkalies. Then they wish they had used

FAIRBANK'S

FAIRY SOAP

which contains no alkali, no impurities, nothing to injure the most delicate fabric. There is still greater economy in using Fairy Soap, because it lasts longer than common soaps. It's

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Articles of Association for the Formation of a Street Railway Corporation.

WE, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of Chapter One Hundred and Thirteen of the Public Statutes, and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be The Medfield and Medway Street Railway Company.

The proposed Railway is to commence at or near the terminus of the Norfolk Western Street Railway Company, in the town of Medfield and County of Norfolk, and to extend in a substantially southwesterly direction through said town of Medfield, and thence through the town of Millis, in said County of Norfolk, to a point in the town of Medway, in said county, at or near the corner of Village and Sanford streets, its terminus.

Its length will be about seven miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of Medfield, Millis and Medway, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz:—

Wilmot W. Mitchell of Medfield, Mass.
Joseph J. Feely of Walpole, Mass.
Harry L. Howard of Walpole, Mass.
Henry J. Dunn of Medfield, Mass.
Rufus G. Fairbanks of Medway, Mass.
C. Maskell Bates of Medfield, Mass.
Alfred C. Smith of Dedham, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands, this eighth day of December, 1898.

Subscribers.	Residence.	P. O. Address.	No. of Shares.
Joseph J. Feely,	Walpole	Walpole	50
George S. Forbush,	Brookline, Mass.	53 State St., Boston	20
Thomas E. Grover,	Canton	Canton, Mass.	20
Alfred C. Smith,	Dedham	Dedham	50
Wilmot W. Mitchell,	Medfield	Medfield	20
Edwin V. Mitchell,	Medfield	Medfield	20
Henry J. Dunn,	Medfield	Medfield	5
Fred Joy,	Winchester	Winchester	5
Edwin J. Keyou,	Medfield	Medfield	1
Rufus G. Fairbanks,	Medway	West Medway	15
George R. Drake,	Medway	West Medway	1
James A. Snow,	Medway	Medway	1
W. B. Hodges,	Medway	Medway	1
E. J. Stewart,	Millis	Millis	1
E. F. Richardson,	Millis	Millis	1
J. C. Thorne,	Millis	Millis	1
Harry L. Howard,	Walpole	Walpole	30
C. Maskell Bates,	Medfield	Medfield	30
F. W. Brown,	Everett	Everett	5
Joseph J. Feely,	Walpole	Walpole	223

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DISCLAIM FAULT.

Portland Steamship Company Seeks to Lighten Damage Suits.

Portland, Me., Dec. 27.—Attorneys for the Portland Steamship company have filed in the United States district court a petition for the limitation of liabilities in the loss of the steamer Portland. The petition is filed under the limited liability act, and sets forth that the loss of the steamer was caused "by reason of a collision with the four-masted schooner King Philip or some unknown vessel, or else by reason of the great violence and fury of the gale;" that all the baggage and freight on board was lost and all her passengers and crew were drowned, but that the place of foundering was unknown. The petitioners also state that the loss of life and property occurred without the knowledge of the petitioners and "occurred by the act of God and by perils of the sea," and without fault on their part.

The petition refers to the two suits already brought against the company for loss of life, states that other suits are about to be brought and prays: "That the court appoint a trustee to whom the steamer Portland, her appurtenances and freight there pending may be transferred; that a commissioner be appointed to receive proofs of claims; that a notification be issued to all persons claiming damages to appear before the commissioner and prove their claims; that those who have already brought suits be enjoined from proceeding further; that the court will adjudge the company not liable for any claim in consequence of the loss of the Portland, or if any liability ever existed that the company be discharged therefrom by the surrender of the wreck of the steamer and the freight pending.

The hearing on the petition will occur before Judge Webb in a few days.

Atlanta's Bad Record.

Atlanta, Dec. 27.—Henry Perry, a well-known citizen of Atlanta, was shot and instantly killed yesterday in a house on Madison street by John A. Milam. The men had a desperate fight for a revolver, which Milam finally secured. Florence Livingston, who lived in the place, endeavored to separate the men, but failed. She afterward told the authorities that she did the killing and presented a pistol as the weapon used, but all the chambers were filled. A passerby caught Perry as he fell and heard him say he had been killed by Milam.

Mike Day, 17 years old, a cripple, shot and instantly killed Frank Fluery at noon. Day says he discharged the weapon without looking. Harry Fluery, brother of the dead boy, says Day pointed the pistol directly at the child. He declares that Day and his brother quarreled several days ago, but Day says he was friendly with little Fleury.

Levi Patterson shot and killed Tom Foster, who was intoxicated and trying to pick a quarrel.

Special Officer A. J. Cavender of the Fulton bag and cotton mills was shot, perhaps fatally, by Jesse Owen, an employe of the cotton mills. Cavender went to arrest Owen, who fired on him.

Quiet at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 27.—All the executive departments were closed here yesterday, and most of the private business houses, also. At the White House, the day was rather quiet, although during the morning the president was in his office and saw several prominent callers. Christmas presents have been received at the White House from many parts of the country. One of the last to arrive was a beautiful mocking bird from a southern admirer of the president. The bird was in a pretty cage, decorated with ribbons, and began to sing immediately upon being taken into the house. He was pronounced a perfect specimen of his species.

Terrible Crime Alleged.

Cleveland, Dec. 27. — Mrs. Winnie Hearney was found badly burned Sunday evening at her home in a tenement building here. She now lies at the point of death. The cause of the fire was given by the woman and her husband as the explosion of a lamp. Yesterday, however, the police obtained from the 9-year-old daughter of the couple the statement that Hearney came home intoxicated and, because his wife would not get out of bed and cook him a meal, soaked some rags in coal oil, lighted them and threw them on her bed. Hearney was arrested.

"Bab" at Death's Door.

New York, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Isabel Mellon, the writer, better known as "Bab," is critically ill from pneumonia at her home here. Her physician said he feared she might not survive until night. For several years Mrs. Mellon has written extensively for the Ladies' Home Journal under her own name and that of "Bab" and "Ruth Ashmore." Just before she was stricken with her last illness she wrote the last lines of a book not yet published, entitled "The Business Girl," showing the difficulties which confront women workers of the higher class.

Dying Man's Crime.

Texarkana, Tex., Dec. 27.—Near Fouke, Ark., 18 miles from here, two men named McKnight and Firquin quarreled and fought over a wagon trade. McKnight fired a revolver at Firquin, but shot wildly and mortally wounded White Easley, who stood near. Easley died within a few minutes, but while life lasted he drew a revolver and shot into McKnight's house, killing an 18-year-old daughter of McKnight and seriously injuring a younger daughter. McKnight was arrested.

Passenger and Freight Met.

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 27.—A bad wreck occurred yesterday at Emison, on the Evansville and Terre Haute railroad, in which three trainmen were seriously hurt and a score or moe passengers were bruised and scratched. The Nashville limited express going north crashed into a freight train, demolishing both engines and wrecking several cars. The freight in taking the siding failed to clear the main track.

Won't Sign Death Warrant.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 27.—Governor-elect Stanley states that he will not sign a warrant for the death of John Collins, convicted of murdering his father. The governor-elect does not believe in capital punishment.

Alleged Postoffice Robbers.

Saratoga, Dec. 27.—Robert Collins and John Mason are under arrest charged with having robbed the Saratoga postoffice of a large number of Christmas packages.

FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Population and Cost of Living on the Decrease at Dawson.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 27.—The steamer Farralon has arrived from Alaska with a number of passengers from Dawson direct, who came out over the ice. The trail is good and a large number of people are on the way out.

Among the passengers is Jack Carr, Yukon mail carrier, who left Dawson Nov. 21. He says the population of Dawson City has materially decreased, it now being estimated at 16,000. Cost of living has also decreased, good meals costing but $1. There will be no food shortage this winter. There is little hope of the mail service being kept up between Dawson and the outside world this winter.

Thistle creek, on the American side, is attracting considerable attention, pans averaging $25 being reported.

The execution of the four Dawson murderers, Ed Henderson, Dawson Jim, Joe Nantuck and —— White, has been postponed until March. Nov. 1 was set as the day of execution. It is said that Indians of Alaska have petitioned Governor Brady of Alaska to go to Washington to represent them.

The body of J. P. Candenhead, a Dominion land surveyor, was found frozen in the ice on Klondike river near Dawson on Oct. 7. He had left Sulphur Creek the day previous and in the night had broken through the ice. Unable to pull himself out, he slowly froze to death with his hands spread on the ice. Before losing consciousness he took his field notes and papers from his pockets and threw them from him so that they might be picked up and saved.

Drowning Accidents.

Boston, Dec. 27.—A skating accident, due to the breaking of thin ice on Leverett pond, in the park system, Sunday afternoon, brought sorrow on Christmas day to three homes. More than a score of other children were precipitated or fell into the water, and were rescued only by prompt action on the part of witnesses of the accident. The children drowned were: John Clattenburg, 11; Arthur Collins, 12, and Emma Miller, 14. The bodies of all three were recovered, that of little John Clattenburg at the time of the accident and before death ensued, he expiring on the embankment. The two other bodies were not recovered until 10 p. m., after over five hours' search.

Woonsocket R. I., Dec. 27.—Herman Kiseo, 12 years old, and Arthur Leedham, 9 years old, were both drowned while skating on Harris' pond yesterday afternoon. The boys skated over some thin ice and broke through. Kiseo's body was recovered, but that of Leedham still remains in the pond.

Indians Want Cash.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 27.—Indian Agent Anderson and Allotting Agent Humphrey have been trying to allot lands in severalty on the Colvill Indian reservation, peopled by 900 Indians, but have met with resistance, the Indians being opposed to surveys and allotments unless the government pays for the land. There are 1,500,000 acres on the reservation, and the government contends that the Indians have no right to it. The government proposed to allot 80 acres to each Indian and give them nothing more. The Indians demand that they be paid $1,500,000, claiming this under the report of a commission made many years ago. A truce has been secured on the promise that the two chiefs will be taken to Washington to see the president. Under the truce, surveys are proceeding. The Coville reservation contains a number of thriving mining towns.

Pana's "Merry Christmas."

Pana, Ills., Dec. 27.—The Christmas festivities here resulted in innumerable drunken brawls and encounters between union and negro non-union miners. Eleven of the latter are in jail and as many more are nursing serious wounds. Two negroes fought a duel with knives in West Pana, and both were badly cut up. James Meyers, a non-union miner, was assaulted last night by unknown persons and his injuries are reported to be fatal. A negro miner named Snyder attempted to shoot his wife yesterday. A bystander turned the gun and the charge entered Snyder's right lung, making a fatal wound. The provost guard arrested 20 persons, among them City Treasurer Corwin, Mine Operator Overholt, ex-Deputy Sheriffs Buckley and Hyburger and Secretary Treasurer Ellison of the local Miners' union, who were found with arms upon their persons.

A man must reap as he sows. If he sows ill-health he will reap ill-health. If he neglects his health the weeds of disease will grow up and choke it.

It is a daily and hourly marvel that men will recklessly neglect their health, when a moment's thought should tell them that they are courting death. It lies in most every man's power to live to a green old age. If a man would only take the same care of himself that he does of his horse, or cow, or dog, he would enjoy good health. When a man owns a hundred-dollar horse, and it gets sick, he does not waste any time about doctoring him up. When his garden gets full of weeds, he doesn't delay about rooting them out, for he knows they will choke out his vegetables. When he is out of sorts, sick, nervous, headachey, has no appetite and is restless and sleepless at night, he pays little attention to it. The result is consumption, nervous prostration or some serious blood or skin disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best of all medicines for hard working men. It gives edge to the appetite, facilitates the flow of digestive juices, invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections, weak lungs, bleeding from lungs and kindred affections. Do not wait until the lungs are too far wasted, to admit of being cured.

"As you know, five years ago the doctors had given me up to die with consumption," writes Mr. E. G. McKinney, of Deepwater, Fayette Co. W. Va. "I took treatment from Dr. R. V. Pierce, and am entirely well now. I had taken steadily, as directed, his 'Golden Medical Discovery.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. One little "Pellet" is a dose.

New Turn at Marlboro.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 27.—The Rice & Hutchins' Cotting avenue and the John A. Frye factories were opened as "free shops" today, and thus the fight of the manufacturers against the strikers begins in earnest. The cutters in Rice & Hutchins' factory started to work, while at the other shop all departments are in operation. The "free shop" has had no effect upon the courage of the labor men, who say they are just as strong and determined as when the strike started.

A Five-Story Jump.

New York, Dec. 27.—Jennie L. Ackerman, aged 19, yesterday jumped from a fifth story window. Worry over her illness, the grip, is said to have been the cause. Her skull was crushed and both of her legs were broken by the fall. She died a few hours later.

Going to Porto Rico.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Bishop William E. McLaren of the diocese of Chicago has accepted the mission to Porto Rico to investigate the field there for promotion of the Episcopal church interests, as delegated to him by the Episcopal conference in Washington.

Stackpole Released.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 27.—Daniel Stackpole of Lowell, Mass., the pedlar arrested on Saturday, as a suspect in the murder of Mrs. Moses of North Pembroke, was discharged last night, there being no evidence upon which he could be held.

Kelly Quit,

Utica, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Adam Miller of Buffalo met Jack Kelly of Toledo in a wrestling match here yesterday. Kelly quit after the first fall, claiming that his elbow was hurt. The time of the bout was 17 minutes.

MANY PEOPLE CANNOT DRINK

coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

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We want you to call and examine references of people you know—people we all know, who would not vouch for ABSORPTION had they not been cured. Ask for references marked H.

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SPECIALIST IN CANCERS, TUMORS AND CHRONIC DISEASES.

2 A Beacon Street, BOSTON.

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Building Flooded.

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 27.—A fire which started from some unknown cause about 6 o'clock yesterday morning in the composing room of The Standard office caused about $15,000 damage. The entire building was flooded with water.

Suicide In Bathroom.

Toledo, Dec. 27.—Frank Huber, one of the proprietors of the Catawba Wine company, last night shot himself to death in a bathroom. There is no apparent motive. He was one of the largest wine dealers in the United States.

consumption reaps his richest harvest where diseases of the throat and lungs are neglected.

HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

If you have ever tried Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar you know what a safeguard it is against throat and lung troubles. Sold by druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

J. H. DINEGAN, - - Auctioneer.

Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Warren E. Steeves of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated December 1st, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 805, Fol. 350, will be sold on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on TUESDAY, the third day of January, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and herein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of Quincy called Atlantic, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 256, on plan of "Norfolk Downs," by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans, No 14, plan 640, and bounded as follows, viz: Northeasterly by Rawson Road, fifty (50) feet; southeasterly by lot No. 255 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly by lot No. 218 on said plan, fifty-five and 33-100 (55.33) feet; northwesterly by lots No. 217 and 257 on said plan, one hundred and 14-100 (100.14) feet. Containing, according to said plan, 5,266.5 square feet of land.

Being the premises conveyed to Warren E. Steeves by Henry A. Smith, by deed dated Nov. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 802, page 147, and subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed.

These premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

Terms cash.

QUINCY CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
Mortgagee.

By Richard D. Chase, Treasurer.
Dec. 12. 3t 12-19-26

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

TO the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, holden at Dedham within and for our County of Norfolk.

Respectfully libels and represents EMILY E. FITZGERALD of Quincy in our County of Norfolk aforesaid, that she was lawfully married to EDMUND FITZGERALD now of New York City in the State of New York, on the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. 1890, and that thereafter your bibellant and the said libellee lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit: at Boston in our County of Suffolk and at Hyde Park in said County of Norfolk; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but said Edmund Fitzgerald being wholly regardless of the same at said Hyde Park on divers occasions has cruelly and abusively treated her, and that being of sufficient ability, he grossly and wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide suitable maintenance for her,

WHEREFORE your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and said libellee, and that your libellant may be allowed to resume her maiden name of Emily E. Waldron, and that such other orders and decrees may be made in the premises as to your Honorable Court may seem meet and proper.

Dated this seventeenth day of December, A. D. 1898.

EMILY E. FITZGERALD.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. SUPERIOR COURT.

ON the foregoing Libel, it is ORDERED that the Libellant give notice to the said Edmund Fitzgerald, the Libellee, to appear before the Justices of this Court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said County, on the First Monday of February next, by causing an attested copy of said Libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of February next; and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Edmund Fitzgerald an attested copy of said Libel and of this order thereon, that the said Edmund Fitzgerald may then and there show cause why the prayer of said Libel should not be granted.

By the Court,

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

December 17, 1898.

A true copy of said Libel, and of the Order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

PETER A. FREDETTE or FREDERICKS, late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank E. Fredette of Quincy without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Eastern District.

On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	* 6 30	5 55	ihgfedcba*	6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 43	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and inuicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

JUSTIN SMITH MORRILL.

Long and Honorable Career of Vermont Statesman Ended.

An Attack of Grip Developed Into Pneumonia.

Represented His State at Washington For a Period of Forty-Four Years.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Senator Justin Smith Morrill of Vermont, the nestor of the senate, died at 1:25 this morning of pneumonia, the after effects of the grip.

Last Wednesday, when congress adjourned for the holiday recess, Senator Morrill was in his seat in the senate, apparently as well as ever. Despite his advanced age, being in his 89th year, the senator has always preserved his vitality and his full mental faculties. He has been regular in his attendance at the senate, and has followed its business with the greatest attention.

SENATOR MORRILL.

With him when the end came was his sister-in-law, Miss Louise Swan; his son, James; Mr. Benjamin Durfee, for a long time associated with the senator in the finance committee work at the capital, and Colonel S. E. Chamberlain, an intimate friend. Senator Proctor was in the house at the time, as were also several other friends. The senator never recovered from the unconscious state into which he lapsed early Monday, and his death was calm and peaceful.

No definite funeral arrangements have yet been made. It is altogether likely that public services will be held in the senate chamber, but just when cannot now be stated. The remains of Mrs. Morrill, who died during the present year, are now in a valut at Rock Creek cemetery, near this city, and it may be that the senator's body will be deposited there pending removal to Strafford, Vt., where a mausoleum is now in course of construction.

In the death of Hon. Justin Smith Morrill the senate lost its senior member in point of service and its oldest in age. He had served continuously in the senate for more than 31 years, and he was 88 years of age on the 14th of April last. With the single exception of Hon. Galusha Grow of the house of representatives he was the only man in congress whose congressional career began prior to the beginning of the Civil war, and he had the honor over Mr. Grow in that his congressional service had been continuous, covering, in the senate and house combined, almost 44 years.

Mr. Morrill was a native of Vermont. He was first elected to the house from that state as a member of the Thirty-fourth congress, taking his seat at the first assembling of that body after the 4th of March, 1855. He was re-elected to the Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth congresses, and was in 1867 elected to the senate to succeed Hon. Luke P. Poland. He had held his seat in the senate since that date without interruption, having been elected six times successfully. His present term, for which he was chosen in 1896, would not have expired until 1903.

Previous to entering congress Mr. Morrill had been engaged in mercantile and agricultural pursuits, and much of his public life was devoted to the uplifting of interests dependent upon these lines of business. He had received in his youth an academic education, and from his early days he was a close reader and careful analysist of public affairs.

It was the beginning of war that Mr. Morrill's practical business training first brought him forward as a man of national reputation. He was the author of the Morrill tariff act of 1861, which was the basis of all the tariff legislation of war times. In 1864 he became chairman of the committee on ways and means, the principal committee of the house and at that critical time of especial importance.

After entering the senate, Mr. Morrill continued to give his attention largely to financial and commercial questions, and during the greater part of his term of service he was a member of the committee on finance, which committee deals especially with these subjects. He became chairman of this committee in 1877, succeeding Senator Sherman when the latter entered the cabinet of President Hayes, and he held this position continuously after that date, except during the Forty-sixth and Fifty-third congresses, when the Democratic party controlled the senate, and during the intervals he continued at the head of the Republican representation on the committee. In recent years he delegated the greater share of the details of the committee work to the younger members of the committee, but there had been but few times when he was not a regular attendant upon the committee meetings, and many instances are related of his surprising activity in directing the affairs of the committee up to the last. He had at his fingers end a wealth of information concerning the tariff and financial questions which was always useful in the elucidation of problems then under consideration.

During his long career, Mr. Morrill gave his attention to many questions, and no man in public life was more given than he to taking up a subject and holding on to it through years and years until consummated. He was the real father of the scheme for the construction of a building for the congressional library, and to him and Senator Voorhees, who early joined him in pressing this question upon congress, is the splendid library building a monument. Very near to his heart also was the plan for the erection of a sister building for the United States supreme court. He had been pressing a measure looking to the construction of such a building for many years, and had on three different occasions prevailed upon the senate to pass his bill for this purpose.

His last appearance in the senate was on the 19th inst., when he made a speech of half an hour's duration in advocacy of the supreme court building bill. He at the same time prevailed upon the senate to pass the bill in the face of some opposition. To Senator Morrill, probably more than anyone else, was the present splendid endowment of most of the state agricultural colleges due. He was the author of the original bill giving aid to these colleges from the proceeds of the sales of the public lands, and he had never refused them the encouragement of his assistance. He opposed the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands to the last, and he was understood to be averse to the exercise of any American sovereignty over the Philippines.

Mr. Morrill was an indefatigable worker and, while not an orator, he spoke gracefully and forcibly and was always listened to attentively. His great age and high position caused him to be universally esteemed by the other members of the senate.

An Alleged Embezzler.

Newton, Mass., Dec. 28.—The arrest last night of Horatio Nelson Hyde, until a few days ago superintendent of the Newton water works, has produced a sensation seldom equalled in this vicinity. The allegations are embezzlement and the obtaining of money under false pretences when occupying his official position.

Bryan at Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—The Democratic congressmen from Illinois, several prominent state and local Democratic leaders, and W. J. Bryan held a protracted meeting here yesterday. Colonel Bryan left last night for Lincoln, Neb.

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Millbury, Mass., Dec. 28.—The Bowden felt works will start up next week. The industry is a new one, and will employ about 40 hands at the outset. All qualities of felt will be manufactured.

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FREE SHOPS STARTED.

Jeering Crowds Made It Unpleasant For Non-Union Operatives.

Mrs. Avery Is Not Popular With the Strikers.

Violent Hands Laid Upon Her at a Meeting of Union Labor Men.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 28.—The labor difficulties in the shoe interests in this city yesterday absorbed all other matters, beginning in the morning, when a number of the factories were started as free shops, gathering excitement late in the afternoon as the non-union operatives left the factories and were followed home by a jeering crowd, while one factory was stoned, and culminating in the evening, after a tremendous union labor meeting, with an unprovoked personal attack upon Mrs. Martha M. Avery, a socialistic-labor advocate of Lynn. Mrs. Avery was jeered from the labor meeting, and although escorted to the hotel by two policemen, was hustled by the crowd of over 500 men, called every kind of a disagreeable name, buffeted and bruised by rough hands, spit upon, and subjected to many unmanly indignities by striking shoe workmen.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the local Boot and Shoe Workers' union, and John F. Tobin, president of the National union; William Inskip, secretary of the Shoe Workers' union of England, and Harry J. Skeffington of Revere were the principal figures. Their remarks were of the usual character, and each urged the men to stand fast.

Mrs. Avery arrived just before the speaking began, but every seat in the hall was taken, and although the only woman in that part of the hall, she was obliged to stand in the aisle until the meeting was over. As this was not Mrs. Avery's first appearance during the present strike, and as it was a general opinion that she had come to advocate the manufacturers' side of the case, her presence at the meeting was not at all welcome.

Just as Mr. Skeffington had finished his remarks, Mrs. Avery started toward the stage for the purpose, she afterwards said, of speaking privately to Mr. Inskip. She said afterwards that she had no intention of addressing the meeting, being in the city on account of a lecture which she is to deliver tonight.

She had no sooner started forward than there was a wild roar from the entire audience and a number of men rushed forward to prevent her reaching the stage. A policeman, however, reached her first and escorted her from the hall. A crowd of 500 men and boys followed, and as she walked up the street with the policeman she was crowded, jostled, and as bruises on her arms afterwards showed, was roughly handled. All the way up the street she was called every kind of a name, and frequently spit upon. Her escort did not seem to be able to ward off any of the attacks, and the officer evidently felt relieved when she at length reached her hotel.

In an interview last evening, Mrs. Avery said that she was in favor of the strike and should consider it a crime if she, in advocating the socialistic-labor principles, should favor a calling off of the strike, or oppose the side of the workingmen.

At a late hour last night the excitement of the day diminished.

Brave Ensign Dead.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—The steamer China has brought word from Shanghai of the arrival there on Dec. 12 of the gunboat Petrel. Ensign George I. Fermier, who fought bravely at Manila, died on board the vessel. The deceased had suffered with stomach trouble, and the disease finally developed paralysis. Ensign Fermier was born in Indiana 29 years ago. He graduated from Annapolis in 1889. He fought at Cavite, and was mentioned in the dispatches for gallantry. The alumni of his college have subscribed for a sword of honor, which was to have been presented to him for his behavior during the late war.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	36	45	24	17
Monday	33	29	32	35
Tuesday	41	38	35	19
Wednesday	24	39	22	27
Thursday	—	44	22	40
Friday	—	45	46	43
Saturday	—	44	40	45

New Advertisements Today.

Plumbing ordinance.
A. A. Linscott—Jeweler.

The Eclipse.

The total eclipse of the moon was not well advertised but it had a large audience last night, and was a unique spectacle. The moon rose partially eclipsed, but many watched the shadow of the earth until at 6 o'clock the eclipse was total. At 7.30 the moon began to make its appearance once more and before 9 o'clock was shining again with all its splendor. Astronomers at Harvard noted the occullations of the stars by the moon, watched for an attendant satellite, and took photographs.

A Christmas Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Smith of Wollaston avenue held their annual Christmas party Monday afternoon and evening. There was a large gathering of relatives from Brookline, Boston, Swampscott and Lynn.

They played games in the afternoon and evening and later all went up stairs to the Christmas tree, the branches of which were laden with presents. The party after bidding good night to Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family went home at a late hour, and a generally good time was enjoyed.

New Lodge.

A new lodge of Good Templars has been instituted in Quincy under the name of Thor lodge, No. 26; and the following officers elected and installed:

Cl. T.,—Alf Wessman.
V. T.,—Fred Johnson.
P. T.,—A. Peterson.
C.,—Aug. Nebery
F. S.,—Alf. Johnson.
R. S.,—Aton Olson.
T.,—Albert Pierson.
I. G.,—Emil Nelson.
O. G.,—C. E. Erickson.
D. G. C. T.,—Swan Cederstran.

The workings of the lodge will be in the Swedish language.

Meetings will be held every Saturday evening in Wilson's hall. All good Swedes are invited to join.

It is expected that C. F. Lyback, the Grand Chief Templar will be present at the next meeting to exemplify the unwritten work of the order.

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Why not come and join the Granite Street Bowling Club and get your bowling for 2 cents a string after Jan. 1, 1899. For further particulars call and see S. A. NEAL, proprietor of Granite Street Alleys.

Quincy, Dec. 27. 5t

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

LOCATION REVOKED.

Railway Tracks on Adams Street to Come Up.

Councilman Newcomb Alone in Opposition.

Mayor Sears Vetoes an Increase of Salary.

Absent members at Tuesday night's meeting of the City Council were Coucilman Cain and Nicoll.

WATER STREET CROSSING.

The Mayor forwarded the opinion of the City Solicitor on the widening of Water street where it is crossed by the tracks of the New Haven railroad. The opinion was that if said street had been laid out to a sufficient width but not built to it, the Commissioner of Public Works should build it to the required width. If the railroad will not widen between its tracks action should be taken under chapter 112 of the Public Statutes. Placed on file.

VETO OF SALARY ORDER.

The Mayor returned to the City Council without his signature the order increasing the salary of the Overseer of the Poor from $400 to $500 per year, giving as his reasons that the present salary was sufficient for the time actually demanded by the office, and that he was not aware that there had been any material increase in the duties of the office.

The question was on passing the order over the mayor's veto.

Councilman McGrath thought the pay of that office should be increased. $500 was small for the amount of work done. It requires much time and money can be saved to the city. We can not get a man to take it unless there is a salary to compensate for the work done.

MAYOR SEARS.

Councilman Little said the Finance Committee had considered the matter carefully and it seemed to him that $400 was very low for an office of that kind.

Councilman Sidelinger was usually opposed to passing orders over a veto but in this case it should be passed. It was a position where a man could save the city money.

Councilman Packard said the work of the office now runs like clock work and should be paid $500.

Councilman Merrick said there seemed to be a disposition to raise salaries at this time of the year. This office is undoubtedly worth $600. No doubt but the salary of the Commissioner of Public Works should be raised to $2,000 yet we get no report concerning that proposition. When a man assumes office he is supposed to do his duty. He had heard nothing about raising the salaries of the City Council. He would be the last to cry down salaries, but they should be taken up in a systematic manner and regulated. He was opposed to singling out one.

Councilman Willard asked if the office paid any per quisite, to which President Pinkham replied that it did not.

Councilman Little thought if we compared the salary of this office with any other department it is only about one-third of the lowest.

Councilman Jameson asked of Councilman Little if he knew the average time the office required, to which the latter replied he did not.

Councilman Sidelinger also did not know.

Mayor Sares was then asked, and replied that Mr. Bass' predecessor gave one or two hours a week to the work. This year the city had been fortunate in having an overseer who could devote his time to the office. He could do no better than to quote ex-Mayor Adams in saying, that more time was given to the office than necessary.

Councilman Poland thought the salary sufficient if the office did not require the whole time. He thought there were men who would be glad to take the office and put in half of the time.

Councilman Sidelinger hoped their Council would not think the Finance Committee's report was because Mr. Bass was a good fellow. The Committee thought the office was underpaid.

Councilman Merrick spoke of the school janitors who were obliged to give more time to their duties receiving but $300 per year, also of the teachers who if they were in service fifteen years received the maximum pay of $500, yet we propose to raise the salary of an office that does not require over three days a week.

Councilman Jameson thought the office was receiving all the salary it was worth, especially when compared with other salaries. He did not believe that $500 would get any better man than $400.

Councilman Packard referring to the last speaker as the Councilman from the "North End," said there were men who would pay to sit here in the City Council but they can not get here. When business is dull there is much demand upon the Overseer, and it is fortunate we have a man who can give his time to it.

The Council refused to pass the order over the Mayor's veto, a two-thirds vote being necessary. The vote was:

Yeas—Clark, Freeman, Hultman, Keith, Little, McGrath, Nash, Newcomb, Packard, Parker, Prout, Sidelinger, Swithin and Willard.

Nays—Badger, Hill, Jameson, Merrick, Owens and Poland—6

Absent—Cain and Nicoll.

Not voting—President Pinkham.

MORE FOR SNOW.

The City Auditor reported that the appropriation for removal of snow was not sufficient. — To Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS.

Several petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

DAMAGES.

The Committee on Finances reported an amendment to the order allowing Charles W. David of Abington $500 for damages in laying out Faxon road, reducing the amount from $500 to $250, the sum of $200 having been already appropriated. Amended and passed.

CODDINGTON STREET.

The Finance Committee reported ought to pass on the $50 order for plans for the widening of Coddington street to sixty feet. Passed.

MORE FOR POLICE.

The Finance Committee reported an order appropriating $100 additional for special police and $100 additional for enforcement of liquor laws. Read once.

TO HAVE THE RECEIPTS.

The Finance Committee reported an order transferring receipts of the Highway department to the credit of the Highway appropriation. Read once.

LICENSES, ETC.

The License Committee reported favorably on applications for licenses to collect junk, also for an auctioneer's license. Adopted.

There were also favorable reports on three applications for State aid. Adopted.

An order offered by Councilman Clark granting a pool license was adopted.

CARS WANTED.

Councilman Parker offered an order, that the Mayor request the Quincy & Boston street railway to operate its road between Hancock street and Reeds corner.

COUNCILMAN PARKER.

In support of the order he said this route had not been operated since the big storm, and that the people who desired to go to Quincy or Boston were not accommodated as they had a right to expect. The order was passed.

CALENDAR.

The order appropriating $65 additional for miscellaneous expenses of the Board of Health, and $235 additional for collection of garbage was passed.

The orders refunding taxes illegally assessed on Patrick Cunniff and Louis Slaugher were passed.

ADAMS STREET TRACKS.

The order revoking the street railway location on Adams street took its second reading. Without debate the rules were suspended and the order put upon its final passage, the vote being:

Yeas — Badger, Clark, Freeman, Hill, Hultman, Jameson, Keith, Little,

COUNCILMAN NEWCOMB.

McGrath, Merrick, Nash, Owens, Packard, Parker, Poland, Prout, Sidelinger, Swithin and Willard—19.

Nay—Newcomb—1.

Not voting—President Pinkham.

Absent—Cain and Nicoll.

Adjourned at 8.45 until Friday evening.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

There were ninety-nine, 'neath the mistletoe vine,
When the hero came that day;
And some were as fair as the June buds rare,
And some were the other way,
But they never flinched, when Hobson clinched,
And they gave him smack for smack,
Till he quite forgot the whistling shot,
On the deck of the Merrimac.

Like sparks from the wire, flew the rapid-fire,
From the lips of the maidens gay,
Till the volley of bliss, with its smokeless kiss,
Took the breath of the hero away;
Then they charged on the man, as bewildered he ran
Persued by the osculant pack;
And he cried Great Scott—I'd better been shot
On the deck of the Merrimac.

Cold wave today.

Warmer tomorrow.

A dry storm today.

Another snow flurry last night.

Sunday will be New Year's day.

It was a grand eclipse last evening.

The new plumbing ordinance is advertised in this issue.

The City Council of 1898 will meet again on Friday evening.

A high northeast gale prevails making it disagreeable on the street.

The East Weymouth polo team was defeated at Taunton 9 to 4 last evening.

John W. Prescott of Hooksett, N. H., is the guest of his daughter in this city.

The Ledger of Monday next expects to print the Inaugural Address of Mayor Keith in full.

Rev. Herbert Alden Youtz has been called to the Plymouth Congregational church of Providence, and he has accepted.

Rev. Charles L. Butler, father of Rev. E. C. Butler of this city, died at his home at Union Mills, N. Y., on Tuesday afternoon.

Many of those who have been prominently mentioned in connection with city offices in 1899 were in attendance at the City Council meeting.

Mr. A. J. Preston of Wollaston has written an interesting story entitled "Five hours with a Wollaston baby." It will appear in Saturday's Patriot and every one will want to secure a copy.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, Dec. 29th at 3 P.M., in the room of the Granite Manufacturers' Association in Durgin and Merrill's block. A large attendance is desired.

The Grand Lodge of Masons installed officers Tuesday. R. W. Charles B. Lawrence of Campello is again D. D. G. M. of District No. 24 which includes Rural lodge of Quincy. R. W. Franklin D. Thayer of Braintree was appointed D. D. G. M. of District No. 25.

The annual New Year's reception of the Y. M. C. A. will be held next Monday. Among the entertainers will be Fred H. Lord, C. C. Bradford, the Wollaston orchestra, Charles E. Snow, the Watson brothers, and Lieut. Kennibbs of the 7th U. S. Infantry who was twelve times wounded at Santiago.

TODAY'S COURT.

Charles N. Straustina was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Louis DeCota was arraigned for assault on Mary DeCota at Randolph. Case continued until Jan. 28.

Benjamin Bavin and Nellie Hathaway were arraigned for lewd cohabitation at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

Edward Walsh was arraigned for keeping liquor with intent to sell at Braintree. He entered a plea of nolo and paid $50.

LATEST!

NOT HANSON

As Hanson Has Just Returned on Vessel.

The Shaw Burglar is, Therefore, Unknown.

The Police Will Now Await Developments.

How difficult it is to recognize a dead man! This morning a dispatch was received from Gloucester stating that the fishing vessel Charles C. Lane had arrived and on board was Charles Hanson, the man who was supposed to be the dead burglar found last Thursday at the residence of John Shaw, and who is now in the receiving tomb at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The first news that Hanson was alive was received by the Ledger at 10.30. At that hour the police had received no word about the matter. Fifteen minutes later an official dispatch was received from the city marshal of Gloucester confirming the report of the Ledger.

The identification of the unknown as Charles Hanson was made by Charles Matson of Gloucester, who said he was intimately acquainted with Hanson having boarded with him, gone on the same vessel with him, and eaten at the same table with him for several years. He also identified him by a peculiar cast in the eye which had previously escaped the notice of the officers.

Now that the Hanson theory has been exploded the police have the satisfaction, if such it can be called, of knowing that they are but little nearer the solution of the mystery than they were the day the body was found.

The police, however, should be given the credit for doing all that was possible to establish the identity of the fellow, and clear up the mystery, and they have expended considerable money in following clues that looked promising, but which in the end turned out for naught. The prospects are that the police will not do anything more but quietly await developments, and unless something does turn up the affair will pass into history as an unexplained mystery.

Tuesday several inquiries were received from the Boston police as to certain marks upon the body of the unknown, as it was thought he might be a party wanted by them. These marks were a scar on the left arm and another on the head. The scar on the left arm the unknown had, but that on the head could not be found, and he is not the party the Boston police are looking for.

Officers Elected.

Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F. elected the following officers on Friday evening, Dec. 23.

C. P.,—Alex. Shirley.
H. P.,—William J. Williams.
S. W.,—James Arbuckle.
Scribe,—Frank W. Folsom.
Treas.,—E. B. Souther.
J. W.,—John Huess.
Trustee for three years,—N. B. Furnald.

Election of Officers.

Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers on Tuesday evening:

N. G.,—William J. Williams.
N. G.,—Archibald Macleod.
R. S.,—Franklin Jacobs, P. G.
F. S.,—Arthur W. Stetson, P. G.
Treasurer,—Charles F. Pettengill.
Trustee for three years,—Tobias H. Burke. P. G.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. I it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy. Wollaston.

DIED.

JOHNSON—In Quincy, Dec. 27, Paul A., son of Mr William O., and Mrs. Emma Johnson, aged 5 months and 3 days.

HARDWICK—In Quincy, Dec. 28, Mrs. Flora, A., wife of Mr. Edward Hardwick, aged 55 years.

HARNISH—In Braintree, Dec. 28, Henry S., son of Mr. Isaiah and Mrs. Sarah Harnish, aged 9 years, 6 months and 15 days.

Now is the Time For Bargains....

I have a few Watches, Clocks, Rings, Pins, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, Cuff Buttons, Silver Novelties and Silverware of all kinds, which I will sell at the regular wholesale price until Jan. 1st, 1899. Come early and get your first choice, as this sale only lasts for a few days.

A. A. LINSCOTT,
JEWELER,

Formerly with J. O. Holden,
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Ties that Bind

Us to our patrons. Stylish ties that make friends for our FURNISHINGS. For the holiday trade we have the newest designs and colorings in silks and satins, made in all the latest shapes.

Over 50 dozen to select from.
Look at our window display.

GEO. W. JONES,
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KEEPER OUT? YES.

But I keep a line of

HOLIDAY GOODS

That defies all chance for a controversy.

I have TOYS in great variety that I am almost giving away.

Books, Glassware, Vases and Fancy Crockery.

Both Parents and Children can find what they want in my mammoth stock.

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Hancock Street, Quincy.

JOHNSON BROS.

MARKET,

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Nov. 10, tf

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Dreams of lovliness in all the newest notions. 60 patterns to choose from in Mahogany, Curly Birch, White Enamel, Golden Oak, Quartered Oak, Bird's Eye Maple, and Ash.

Beautiful White and Brass Bedsteads, Odd Dressers and Chiffonieres.

Our prices are at least 25 per cent. lower than Boston prices. That's what the people tell us and they ought to know.

There is wisdom, reason and satisfaction for anyone in trading at this wonderfully low priced store.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Cut-Price House Furnishers,
Hancock Street, - - Quincy.

A Happy New Year.

If your Christmas Dinner was first-class it was a great help toward making a Merry Christmas.

We have everything to make a first-class dinner. Our Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, and Chicken are the best on the market.

Our Groceries and Vegetables are all fresh goods, and our prices are low for the class of goods we sell.

Call and see us.

GOSS & GOULD,
98 and 100 Hancock St.

Quincy, Dec. 16. tf

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President's Hill.

President's Hill Annex.

Cranch Hill.

Choice Lots and Improved Property for Sale in West Quincy, Wollaston, South Quincy, Quincy Point, Quincy Centre.

Room 12, Durgin & Merrill's Block, Quincy.

$5 REWARD.

LOST—On Monday afternoon, Dec. 5th, between the waiting room at South Braintree and the Adams House, Quincy, a lady's Gold Watch, Hunter Case, with short fob chain. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.
Quincy, Dec. 20. tf

Teeth, $10.00 per Set.

Gold Filling, $1.50 to $2.00. Silver Filling, $1.00. Cement Filling, 50 and 75 cts. Gold Crowns, $6.00. Cleaning, $1.00.
Money paid for extraction deducted from price of teeth to be made.
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You will find a large, clean, and fresh assortment to choose from.

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Quincy Invited to Use Boston Normal School.

Economic Test of Hard and Soft Coal.

Expenses of Year Within the Appropriations.

The School Committee of 1898 held its last meeting Tuesday evening, Messrs. Porter, Field, Hallowell, Page, Record and Miss Adams being present.

HOUGHS NECK PUPILS.

The matter of transportation of the Coddington school was left to the subcommittee.

HARD OR SOFT?

It was voted to try the economic merits of hard and soft coal for heating purposes at the Gridley Bryant and Massachusetts Fields schools.

WITHIN THE LIMIT.

The Superintendent reported that there would be no deficit in the annual budget.

NEW TEACHERS.

It was announced that Miss Pauline Wilkins had been appointed to fill the vacancy at the Adams school caused by the resignation of Miss Parker.

Mabel McClusky was granted permission to be absent from school Wednesday mornings to take lessons in Boston.

BOSTON WANTS HELP.

A letter was read from the Boston School department in relation to the extension of the City Normal school, so as to take a limited number of pupils from surrounding towns, the idea being to have the towns represented upon the board of management and pay their proportional part.

The matter was referred to the next School Board, although the general impression seemed to be against Quincy entering when there was so good a normal school as Bridgewater to which Quincy pupils could go without expense to the city.

ANNUAL REPORT.

Miss Adams read the annual report of the board to the citizens. It was in the nature of a comment upon the school system, special reference being made to the finances and the need of increased school accommodations in certain sections. Reference also was made to the salary question. The report was adopted, and ordered to be printed in the annual report.

Adjourned sine die.

Bicycles as Baggage.

There has been a test case in the English courts on a question which is agitating cyclists all around the world, more or less. It was brought in the Queen's Bench division against the Great Northern Railway Company "on behalf of one Britten," seeking "to recover sixpence paid for the conveyance of a bicycle from King's Cross to East Finchley." And after hearing and argument the court decided that the plaintiff could not recover for the reason that "a bicycle cannot be ordinary luggage within the definition."

The special interest attaching to this case is found in the fact that the attorney for the plaintiff made his argument on the very line on which similar claims are based in this country. He claimed that a bicycle came clearly within the definition of "personal luggage" for the reason that it was carried by the traveller for his own personal convenience and used in connection with his journey, and was an article such as was ordinarily carried for that purpose. But his Lordship, in rendering his decision, brushed away all such considerations by declaring that "the idea of luggage" must control; and as luggage implies something that is "packed," not taken loose, "like a bicycle," the wheelman lost his case.—Boston Post.

MacQueen Interesting.

Rev. Peter MacQueen, who will lecture at Quincy Music hall, Jan. 9, was in Hyde Park the other evening. The Gazette says:

"The weather on Wednesday morning, bright and crisp, was all that could be desired by the club members, who were anticipating a great treat in hearing the Rev. Peter MacQueen relate his experiences as war correspondent in the Cuban campaign. Mr. MacQueen was introduced by the President. He forthwith proceeded to fulfill our brightest expectations, for the lecture abounded in interesting information, interspersed with witticisms, that caused a frequent ripple of laughter to run through the hall, although deep seriouness frequently prevailed."

TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW NIGHT

and each day and night during this week you can get at any druggist's Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, acknowledged to be the most successful remedy ever sold for Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma and Consumption. Get a bottle today and keep it always in the house, so you can check your cold at once. Price 25c. and 50c. Sample bottle free.

TO BE MUSTERED OUT

That's What Company K Now Expect at Early Date.

With Co. K, 5th Mass.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 24.

K company is this morning preparing for its weekly inspection. It is once more a clear day. So that we are once more enjoying bright sun. The boys throughout the regiment rose bright and cheerful at reveille, as there was a rumor circulated that the Fifth would in all probability be mustered out of the service soon.

The following is a part of a message from the President giving the several regiments which are to be mustered out;it is dated Washington, D.C., Dec. 23:

President McKinley today directed Secretary Alger to arrange for the muster out of 50,000 volunteer troops. The determinaion was reached apparently while the President was away on his southern tour, and it was in accordance with the intentions of the administration that Representative Hull of Iowa, chairman of the committee on military affairs introduced in the house yesterday a bill to provide for paying volunteers for two months' additional service on being mustered out, instead of keeping them on furlough with pay for that length of time and then mustering them out. The President and Secretary Alger told the cabinet all about the matter at the cabinet meeting today.

Some surprise is expected in military circles over the decision of the President, as it was recently announced officially that no more volunteers would be mustered out until congress had provided for an adequate standing army. There were two principal reasons for the decision to reduce the present military force. The desire to cut down the expenses of the government was the most important of these. By the mustering out of 50,000 men the government will save $780,000 a month in pay alone. This saving will not be realized however until after the two additional months for which the volunteers will be paid have expired, but other expense connected with the caring for such a great number of soldiers will be reduced immediately.

The other reason is that in curtailing the size of the army in the manner mentioned the military service would be composed of about 100,000 men, the force of which, the President, Secretary Alger and Major General Miles are agreed is necessary to furnish garrison for Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines and at home.

The boys of this regiment when hearing of the gladsome news, almost became frantic for many have a desire to return to a more cheerful home. We would like to have gone further south, but the prospects for doing so do not look favorable at the present writing.

The guard for today is Sergt. McGrath, Private Brown, Burns, Currie, Collins, Dunleavy, Deslauries, Gunderson and Faxon.

Private Gunderson was selected as orderly to Col. Whitney. The boys are getting ready for their Christmas dinner tomorrow. The boys of K wish the Quincy Daily Ledger and the friends of the company A Happy and Merry Christmas. Volunteer.

Trustee and Commissioner.

Portland, Me., Dec. 28.—In the United States district court yesterday, upon the petition of the Portland Steamship company that the company's liabilities for the loss of the steamer Portland be limited to the wreck and pending freight, William Leavitt was appointed trustee and William Bradley commissioner to receive proofs of claims of loss. Claimants were directed to present their cases on or before March 30. Injunctions were issued forbidding the bringing of suits against the company pending these proceedings.

Had Rough Experience.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—Captain McDonald of the burned bark C. D. Bryant, accompanied by his wife and children, arrived here yesterday from Honolulu on the steamer China. The Bryant, which was bound from Puget sound for Africa with lumber, burned at sea on Nov. 5, and the survivors traveled 2200 miles in an open boat to one of the Hawaiian group.

For the Naval Militia.

Boston, Dec. 28.—Governor Wolcott has received word from the navy department at Washington that the request for the loan of the U. S. S. Inca, to be used by the naval militia of the state for purpose of instruction and drill, has been granted, and that the department has issued orders to prepare the vessel for the purpose requested.

Deficit Made Good.

Wickford, R. I., Dec. 28.—Postoffice Inspector Pendleton was at Hamilton yesterday and states that Postmaster Perkins, who was short $1400 in account with the department, has made the deficit good. Whether further action will be taken by the government is not known.

Town Badly Scorched.

Litchfield, Ky., Dec. 28.—This town was visited yesterday by the second destructive fire this year. Eight stores, three residences, the postoffice and the Deposit bank were destroyed, and the courthouse and two other stores were badly damaged. Loss, $100,000.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

ACROSS COUNTRY.

Another Feeder for the Quincy & Boston Street Railway.

Many Quincy people who desire to reach Franklin Park, Forest Hills, West Roxbury and Dedham will be pleased to learn that the Boston Aldermen have finally granted a cross country location from Neponset.

The order in part reads:

Ordered, That the consent of the Board of Aldermen be hereby granted to the Directors of the Forest Hills and Quincy Street Railway Company, to establish and maintain the electric system of motive power in the operation of its cars in the City of Boston, by the overhead system, so called, as follows:—

Beginning at a point on Washington street, opposite the north bound station of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company at Forest Hills, thence through Washington, Morton, Washington, Codman, Adams and Marsh streets, to a point on Neponset avenue, near the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company at Neponset, etc.

The location must be accepted within 30 days or it will be void.

In support of the order Alderman Charles said:

Mr. Chairman, in answer to the alderman's arguments in regard to fares, I will state to him that an eight cent fare is just what will be avoided by granting the location to this road, for this reason: It is the connecting road with other roads beyond, which are not the West End road, but which will work in unison with this road. Therefore there will be but one five-cent fare. Furthermore, it is known by all people conversant with the West End Railroad that that road never intends to build beyond Forest Hills, for the simple reason that it cannot afford with the present five cent fares to carry people away from the centre of the city out beyond Forest Hills. For that reason that road will never do it, and another very singular thing in connection with the matter is that they have not petitioned or asked for it. Another reason why the people of West Roxbury want this road is this: It gives direct commuication with all the towns to the south of the city, including Quincy, Neponset and Braintree, and it furthermore eables all the people living in that section to take cars at Forest Hills and go direct to Nantasket Beach, to and from which there will be a great deal of travel in the summer. Now if the West End Road has this location the people will be obliged to pay two different fares, whereas in this case they will not be obliged to do so; and it is well known that in all that section of the city out beyond Forest Hills, where this road is going to be, they have already been given other rights. The West End has never petitioned for rights out there, and never will. They will not go as far as Roslindale, because they cannot afford to carry pasengers as far as that. We want to go to Nantasket and to these towns south of Boston. We can never go as far as New Bedford on electrics, and if this road is allowed to make the connections it desires here it can connect with other roads ad go to Newton and other towns on the north. The Committee on Railroads have acted wisely in reporting this unanimously.

New Trains.

A new time schedule on the New Haven Railroad for next week is promised today or tomorrow. No great increase of accommodation for Quincy patrons is expected at this time, but the company will be in a position to give the city excellent service next summer. It is reported that a much wanted train will be added on Monday however, and that is a theatre train to leave Boston at 10.58 for Quincy and Braintree and way stations. There will also be a later inward train.

The first train from Quincy into the tnew Terminal will be the train leaving at 7.12 next Sunday morning. The pioneer train out of the new station will be the newspaper train at 4.30 A. M. on Sunday, which runs through Quincy to Newport, R. I.

On and after Monday next 260 trains per day will be run in and out of the terminal.

Nobody who follows the hither to prevailing time schedule on the Plymouth and Midland divisions of the New York, New Haven and Hartford will get left, but trains will run from the new station at a few minutes later than the running card now in force prescribes. The 8.54 A. M. Plymouth and South Shore train on Sunday morning will leave the Southern station at 9.13, and other trains in similar ratio. Watch the Ledger for the new timetable.

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Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

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AN ORDINANCE

REGULATING PLUMBING

IN THE

CITY

OF

QUINCY.

Be it ordained by the City Council as follows:

SECTION 1. No person shall carry on the business of plumbing unless he is a plumber and shall have first registered his name and place of business in the office of the Board of Health; and notice of any change in the place of business of a registered plumber shall be immediately given to said Board of Health.

SECT. 2. Every plumber before doing any work in a building, shall, except in the case of the repair of leaks, file at the office of said Board of Health, a notice of the work to be performed, and no such work shall be done in any building without the approval of said Board of Health or its Inspector of Plumbing.

SECT. 3. The plumbing of every building shall be separately and independently connected with the public sewer, when such sewer is provided, or with a proper and sufficient drain connected thereto outside of the building, and if no sewer is provided, with a proper cesspool.

SECT. 4. Pipes and other fixtures shall not be covered or concealed from view until approved by them, who shall examine the same within two working days after notice that they are ready for inspection.

SECT. 5. The Board of Health must be notified when the main drain, soil, waste, branch connections or ventilating pipes are in and ready to be tested. The Board must again be notified immediately after the work is completed and before it is covered from view. All work must be left uncovered and convenient for examination until inspected and approved; and no drainage system shall be used until a certificate of approval has been granted.

If, on inspection, the work is not satisfactory, the plumber will be notified and a limit of five days (unless otherwise permitted) given in which to complete said work; at which time the Board of Health must be notified.

SECT. 6. Drain and connecting ventilating pipes shall be of sufficient size, and made of cast-iron within the building, and for a distance of at least eight feet outside, except that lead pipes may be used for short connections exposed to view. Such pipes shall be of uniform thickness throughout, and shall have an average weight not less than below specified, viz.

2-inch pipe,	3 2-5	pounds	per	foot.
3 " "	5	"	"	
4 " "	6 2-5	"	"	
5 " "	8 2-5	"	"	
6 " "	10 2-5	"	"	
7 " "	13	"	"	
8 " "	17	"	"	

Drain pipes shall be properly secured by irons to walls, laid in trenches to uniform grade, or suspended to floor timbers by strong iron hangers. The space between these hangers shall not exceed ten feet. Every drain pipe shall be supplied with a running trap with an accessible screw clean out, at or near the point where it leaves the building, and shall have a fall of at least one quarter of an inch to the foot. Soil pipes shall be carried above the roof, open and undiminished in size, and to a distance of not less than two feet above the roof, or more if the said Board shall so direct, and as far from any window as possible. Changes in direction shall be made with curved pipes, and all connections with horizontal or vertical pipes shall be made with Y branches. No trap shall be placed at the foot of a vertical soil pipe.

All branches of soil or waste pipe twelve feet or more in length must be carried up not less than two feet above the roof, undiminished in size, or more than two feet if said Board shall so direct, or they may be connected with the main soil pipe above the highest plumbing fixture. All drain pipes shall be exposed to sight where practicable within the building, and shall not be exposed to pressure where they pass through walls. Every part of every drain pipe below a cellar floor shall be accessible through sufficient unattached covers.

In all cases of sewer connections there shall be an extra heavy iron pipe laid from eight feet outside and carried through the foundation wall and connected with the drain inside by a Y branch with a brass screw cleanout in a direct line with the sewer, and the drains under the cellar bottom shall be of extra heavy iron pipe also.

Standard galvanized wrought iron may be used for ventilating pipes, when in the opinion of the inspector it is practical.

SECT. 7. When the waste pipe does not exceed three feet in length from its connection with the fixture to its connection with the trap, one round trap may be used for a sink and waste trays or for bath tub and bowl, if over three feet in length, the wash pipe of each and every sink, basin, bath-tub, water-closet, slop hopper, and of each set of trays or other fixtures, shall be furnished with a separate trap, which shall be placed as near as practicable to the fixture that it serves. Traps shall be protected from siphonage or air pressure by special cast-iron air pipes of a size not less than the waste pipes they serve, run from the crown or outlet of the trap. Lead air pipes may be used only when they are exposed to view. Air pipes for water-closet traps shall be of two-inch bore if thirty feet or less in length, and of three-inch bore if more than thirty feet in length; other air pipes shall be as large as the waste pipes from the traps. Air pipes shall be run as direct as practicable. Two or more air pipes may be connected together or with a drain pipe; but in every case of connection with a drain pipe such connection shall be above the upper fixture of the building.

No ventilation shall be required from a deep drum-trap in cases where there is no other plumbing than a sink waste or other single fixture connected with a cesspool and in which no soil matter is admitted. Air pipes shall be so constructed as not to allow the formation of a trap nor be used as waste pipes.

SECT. 8. All waste or overflow pipes from safes under water-closets and other fixtures or from ranks shall be run separately to basement or cellar, and left open; in no case shall they be connected with a soil pipe or any other waste pipe.

No waste pipe from a refrigerator or other receptacle in which food or provisions are stored shall be connected with a drain, soil or waste pipe, but shall be separated therefrom by an open air sink or tray furnished with a trap.

No steam exhaust, blow off or drip pipe shall connect with a sewer, house drain, rain-water conductor, soil, waste or vent pipe. Such pipes shall discharge into a suitable tank or condenser from which a proper outlet to the home drain shall be provided.

SECT. 9. Every water-closet, or line of water-closets on the same floor, shall be supplied with water from a tank or cistern, and shall have a flushing pipe of not less than one inch in diameter; but this requirement shall not apply to water-closets substituted for vaults, where the same are located outside of the building proper; and such water-closets may be arranged so as to receive their supply directly from the main, with proper fixtures approved by the board of health.

SECT. 10. No saddle hubs will be allowed on any plumbing. No return bends will be allowed except by special permission of the inspector.

All connections of lead waste and ventilating pipes shall be made with plumber's wipe solder joints and no cup joints will be allowed.

Every joint of an iron and a lead pipe shall be made by a brass furrule of the same size as lead pipe, set in the hub of the branch of the iron pipe and caulked with lead; the lead pipe to be attached to the furrule by a wiped solder joint. Every joint in a cast-iron bell and spigot pipe shall be made with packed oakum and molten lead well caulked, at least one and one-half inches deep, and made water and air tight, and no paint or putty shall be allowed until it has been tested.

SECT. 11. A suitable grease trap shall be constructed under the sink of every hotel, eating-house, restaurant, or other public cooking establishment, so as to be easily accessible for inspection and cleaning.

SECT. 12. When vaults, privies or cesspools are hereafter abandoned they shall within ten days (unless otherwise permitted) be thoroughly cleaned, disinfected and filled with earth or other suitable material and left in a proper condition satisfactory to the Board of Health.

SECT. 13. Penalty—Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding (50) fifty dollars for each and every violation thereof, and his license may be suspended or revoked.

SECT. 14. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and ordinance No. 28 of the City ordinances entitled "An ordinance Regulating Plumbing in the City of Quincy" is hereby repealed.

Passed to be ordained Dec. 12, 1898.
Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR,
Clerk of Council.
Approved Dec. 17, 1898.
RUSSELL A. SEARS, Mayor.
A true copy Attest:
EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.
Dec. 28. 2t

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WANTED—A bright young man of good address for our office, one who can write shorthand and operate a typewriter. $3.00 per week. HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
Quincy, Dec. 27. tf

WANTED—Agents to sell largest line of lubricating oils, greases and specialties; liberal contracts made, salary or commission. Commonwealth Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio.
Dec. 27. 6t

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Dec. 27. 2t

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A House of 9 rooms at No. 12 South Walnut street. Nearly quarter of an acre of land with fruit trees. Apply to ALEXANDER McCABE, 16 Penn street.
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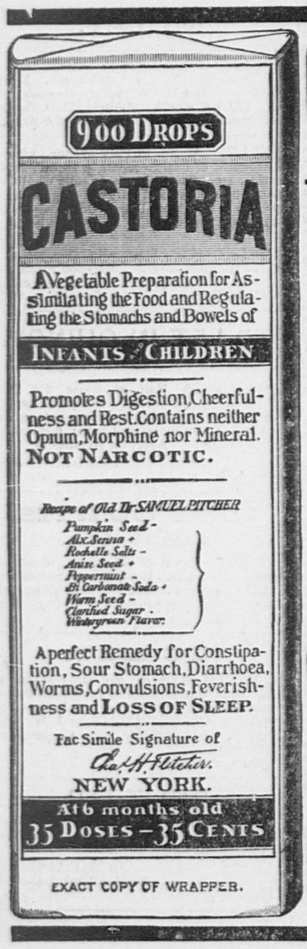

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Articles of Association for the Formation of a Street Railway Corporation.

WE, the subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers, agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be NEPONSET RIVER AND CANTON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

The proposed Railway is to commence at the boundary line between the town of Milton, County of Norfolk, and the City of Boston, County of Suffolk, on the Blue Hill Parkway, at the Neponset River, and to extend along said Blue Hill Parkway through the Blue Hill Reservation, so called, through the town of Milton and town of Canton, both in the County of Norfolk, to the junction of Hillside street and Washington street in said town of Canton, its terminus.

Its length will be about six (6) miles, and its gauge four feet eight and one-half inches, as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be Twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000).

The seven following-named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of said Milton or Canton, shall act as a Board of Directors, until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.: James S. Russell of Milton, Mass.; Harrison O. Apthorp of Milton, Mass.; Nathaniel T. Kidder of Milton, Mass.; Howland S. Russell of Milton, Mass.; Edward W. Atkinson of Brookline, Mass.; George Lemist Clarke of Boston, Mass.; Howard C. Forbes of Boston, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the Capital Stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, 1898.

Subscribers.	Residence.	P. O. Address.	No. of Shares.
James S. Russell,	Milton, Mass.	31 State St., Boston, Mass.	25
Edward W. Atkinson,	Brookline, Mass.	152 Congress St., Boston, Mass.	10
A. L. Hollingsworth,	Milton, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	10
George Lemist Clarke,	Boston, Mass.	31 State St., Boston, Mass.	10
Henry S. Russell,	Boston, Mass.	Bristol St., Boston, Mass.	10
Howland S Russell,	Milton, Mass.	50 State St., Boston, Mass.	10
Nathaniel T. Kidder,	Milton, Mass.	Sears Bldg., Boston, Mass.	15
Howard C. Forbes,	Boston, Mass.	4 State St., Boston, Mass.	20
Timothy W. Sprague,	Boston, Mass.	4 State St., Boston, Mass.	10
Wm. R. Richards,	Boston, Mass.	31 State St., Boston, Mass.	10
John O. Shaw, Jr.,	Boston, Mass.	31 State St., Boston, Mass.	10
Bradley W. Palmer,	Boston, Mass.	53 State St., Boston, Mass.	20
G. L. Peabody,	Boston, Mass.	44 State St., Boston, Mass.	25
William Cobb,	Boston, Mass.	31 State St., Boston, Mass.	15
Harrison O. Apthorp,	Milton, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	10
James S. Russell,	Milton, Mass.	31 State St., Boston, Mass.	40

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POLICY OF EXPANSION

Discussed by Ex-Governor Boutwell and President Capen of Tufts.

Former Thinks Administration Is Making Mistake.

The Latter Takes a Directly Opposite View of the Situation.

Boston, Dec. 28.—"What should the United States do with the Philippines?" was the question discussed at the December meeting of the Boston Congregational club in Tremont Temple last evening. President Elmer H. Capen of Tufts college spoke in favor of expansion, and ex-Governor George S. Boutwell gave an arraignment of "imperialism" and his own party's policy. Said the ex-governor:

"It is my purpose on this occasion to consider this question: Is the policy on which the country is entering a policy of peace or war? The seizure, possession and occupation of the Philippines, whether the occupation is treated as temporary or permanent, proceeds upon the theory that our present peaceful relations with England, Russia and Japan are never to be broken or disturbed seriously. Three years have not yet gone since England and the United States were on the brink of war, and there can be no security for continued peace with Great Britain. The laxity of our policy during the insurrection in Cuba, if imitated by us in the event of revolutionary movements in Canada, would open a controversy with Great Britain that might end in war. War with England is not an impossibility.

"I now lay before you," continued the speaker, "two statements as my fixed opinions concerning the future of the country:

"First—If, by the treaty with Spain, ratified by the American senate, we take jurisdiction of the Philippine islands for any purpose or for any period of time, that jurisdiction will never be surrendered voluntarily by the United States.

"Second—That the sovereignty of the islands will be yielded to force finally, and that that force may be exerted by the inhabitants of the islands, or by England, or by Japan, or by Russia, and not unlikely by the combination or the co-operation of two or more of these powers. If we hold the Philippines, we shall hold them because Russia permits us to do so, and not otherwise. This in itself is a humiliation. The fortunes of Russia and China are now identical, and henceforth their immense resources are to be wielded as one power.

"Americans may take note of four or more observations that are of supreme importance: First, we are indebted to the protecting naval strength of England for our successes in the war with Spain; second, we are to deal generously with Canada; third, whatever trade benefits may arise from the conquest of the Philippines, England is to enjoy with us; fourth, there must be mutual help in the coming contest with Russia.

"The president proposes to take jurisdiction of the Philippines, and then consider how they are to be governed. Thus he announces the essential doctrine of an unlimited tyranny. We are to pursue the policy which we condemned in Spain, and which has ended in unmitigated disaster.

"The victory of 1896 had been a partisan victory, but it was full of the promise of benign results in which all could participate. We were at peace with the world, and there were no disturbing divisions among our people. Yet fourteen months only from the day of the inauguration the country was involved in a war with Spain, and without the ability on our part to allege truthfully of any act of wrongdoing on the part of Spain that had been injurious to us.

"We have loaded ourselves with possessions which we do not need; we have assumed jurisdiction over millions of human beings who do not recognize the rightfulness of our authority. We have extended our system of taxation and have increased the public debt in a sum of hundreds of millions. Our pension rolls have been lengthened to the end of the first half of the next century, and we are threatened with a permanent increase of the army and navy, at a cost of $150,000,000 a year. It is a matter of minor importance that the supremacy of the Republican party has been put in peril, that some of us seem to think such an event is no slight catastrophe.

"While we are not to under-value the achievements of the army and navy, they are but lsight compensation for the sacrifices and sufferings incident to the war. It is the boast that the war has cemented the Union, but the Union was compact and firm when the war opened. Finally, all events in the war culminated in this: The foundations have been laid on which may be set up, as Rufus Choate said, the 'frowning arch of a ranged empire.' "

Mr. Capen began his remarks by saying that after a careful consideration he felt himself compelled to lift his voice in behalf of the policy of President McKinley.

"My sense of nationality is too intense to permit me to do otherwise. I hate to be called a little American. Moreover, I feel that expansion has been the moving principle of the country from the time of the earliest settlement. I believe that the United States is perfectly justified in wresting the Philippines from the grasp of Spain, and in holding them for the purposes of good government and progressive civilization.

"The constitution of the United States stands face to face with a condition to which it must bend.

"Again, it is said that the course proposed by the president, and involved in the treaty of peace, is unjust; that it is contrary to the Declaration of Independence, which asserts that the just powers of the states are "derived from the consent of the governed."

"There has never been a time when the principles of the doctrine of independance has been in perfect operation. Yet now shall the operation of those principles be secured in the Philippines? By leaving them to anarchy, or by taking control, preserving order, prescribing just laws, setting up schools, teaching letters, morals, and the free and wholesome religion which the Pilgrims brought to our shores?

"No doubt the fathers would have been stricken dumb at the thought of a dominion in the far-off islands of the Pacific sea. Again, the policy of expansion is found in the demands of commerce. Again, the policy of expansion is demanded by the law of reciprocal obligation.

"Finally, I may claim that expansion is justified on the grounds of humanity. For myself, I cannot take the most hopeful view of the entire situation. The coming of the Olympia on that May morning into the bay of Manila was the herald of the dawn of a new day in the Malayan archipelago."

A Soldier's Suicide.

Knoxville, Dec. 28.—Captain John M. Tobin, until recently quartermaster of the First brigade of the division at Camp Poland, committed suicide yesterday by firing a pistol ball into his mouth. The bullet passed through his spinal column, killing him instantly. The deed was committed in his room in the Palace hotel. Captain Tobin was formerly a Boston man. He had been morbid for some time, presumably on account of his discharge from the volunteer army when it was being reorganized. He was relieved from duty about a month ago.

Had Small Audience.

Detroit, Dec. 28.—Rev. S. R. Fuller of Boston spoke against so-called imperialism before a small audience at the Light Guard armory here last night. Governor Pingree, in introducing Mr. Fuller, expressed his opposition to both the late war and expansion. Mr. Fuller said that he could not see that the establishment of sovereignty over the Philippines would bring to this country any prosperity. In attacking the imperialistic policy from the standpoint of taxation, he averred that for every dollar taken out of the Philippines 20 would be taken from the people of this country.

Judkins Convicted.

Augusta, Me., Dec. 28.—The jury in the case of Loring Judkins of Waterville, after being out 30 minutes, returned a verdict last night of guilty of assault with intent to kill. Judkins was charged with having on Nov. 4 assaulted Tador TaMouse of Waterville on a railroad bridge and pushed him into the river. Judkins is alleged to have wanted Tallouse's position as crossing tender at Winslow. It is also alleged that the defendant gave Tallouse some carbolic acid to drink. The case will be carried to the higher courts.

Sagasta Is Better.

Madrid, Dec. 28.—The dangerous symptoms of Senor Sagasta's illness are passing away. In the course of conversations with his intimates before the malady became serious, he spoke bitterly of the anxiety which the peace negotiations and the lack of generosity on the part of Americans had caused him. Regarding the future, he said he thought that in five years he could effect radical reforms in all branches of the administration.

Water Pipes For Austria.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—One-half of the largest foreign order for finished steel ever sent to this country has been ordered from the Illinois Steel company of this city. The order amounts to $2,000,000, and is for water pipes to be used by the Austrian government. The Carnegie company of Pittsburg will supply half the amount. The Chicago firm may contribute the balance. The pipes are to be used to supply water to the Coolgardie mining district.

Masons Instal Officers.

Boston, Dec. 28.—The stated communication of the most worshipful grand lodge of the Free and Accepted Masons of Massachusetts was held yesterday for the purpose of celebrating the feast of St. John the Evangelist and of installing officers. Charles C. Hutchinson, the most worshipful grand master, who installed by Junior Past Grand Master Holmes, and the other officers were installed by the worshipful grand master.

Creditor's Claim Fraud.

Cleveland, Dec. 28.—A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed here yesterday praying that Coe, Powers & Co., manufacturers of Findlay, be declared bankrupt. It is alleged that the firm owes $100,000, with assets of $15,000. It is further alleged that certain property was mortgaged with "the intent of hindering, delaying and defrauding creditors of Coe, Powers & Co."

Officers Imprisoned.

Paris, Dec. 28.—Thirty officers have been arrested and all sentenced to four days' imprisonment for subscribing to the fund started by The Libre Parole to enable Mme. Henry to meet the expenses of her contemplated prosecution of Joseph Reinach, editor of The Republique Francaise and Conservative deputy, for declaring her late husband, Lieutenant Colonel Henry, a traitor.

A Cool Operation.

Delaware, O., Dec. 28.—Thieves looted every piece of baggage in the Hocking Valley depot yesterday morning. When Baggagemaster William Ulery appeared on the scene three men, who were doing the work, levelled guns at him and compelled him to retreat. The loss will reach $5000.

Killed His Bookkeeper.

Spartanburg, S. C., Dec. 28.—J. K. Stucky, one of the wealthiest merchants of this city, shot and killed his bookkeeper, John Sevier. There was no eye witness to the tragedy, but it is reported the men disagreed about a settlement. Both were well connected.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:13; sets, 4:20.
Moon rises—6:07 p. m.
High water—12 m.; 12 mid.

Fair and generally clear weather now promises to prevail Thursday, with light and variable winds, becoming southwesterly; while it will probably be colder during the morning, higher temperatures promise to prevail during the afternoon and night.

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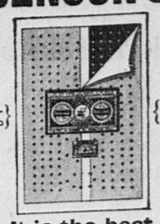

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Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

AMERICANS TOO LATE

To Prevent the Capture of City of Iloilo by Insurgent Forces.

Southern Islands Evacuated by the Spaniards.

Problem Already Before the State Department Is Greatly Complicated.

Washington, Dec. 29.—A feeling of anxiety prevails here over the receipt of news from Manila that the insurgents, under Lopez, practically completed the conquest of the island of Panay on Monday. They occupied Iloilo on that day before the arrival of the American expedition, the Spaniards having evacuated the city and gone to Zamboanga.

Just before noon yesterday, a dispatch came from General Otis that at once confirmed the fears of the officials of the war department as to what had taken place at Iloilo. It appears that the American forces arrived too late on the scene and that the insurgents had added to the difficulty of the problems already presented by hoisting their flag over the city, which they have been besieging for months. The news was contained in the following message from General Otis:

Manila, Dec. 29.—Adjutant General, Washington: Sent Colonel Potter on fast vessel to Iloilo on Dec. 24 to communicate with Spanish General Rios; latter evacuated evening of 24th, and Potter 39 hours late. Insurgents took possession of the city on 26th, and Potter found Aguinaldo's flag flying. Cannot now report probable results. Will not hear from there for four days, as no cable communications. Spanish forces have evacuated all stations in southern islands except Zamboanga and Mindanao, by orders, they say, from Madrid. Otis.

The evacuation by the Spaniards of all the Philippine ports, as reported by General Otis, although doubtless inspired by a desire to secure their safety by concentration, undoubtedly has done much to complicate the problem already presented to the war department of extending the military jurisdiction of the United States over the islands. It will now be necessary to expedite the execution of the original plans, and it may be fully expected that within a week important events will have happened in the Philippines. It is presumed that General Otis will demand the surrender of Iloilo into his hands, and this demand may at once raise the issue between the insurgents and our own government of possession of the islands.

Description of Iloilo.

Iloilo is about 300 miles south of Manila. It is pronounced Eel-o-eelo, and sometimes is spelled Yloilo. The trip between the two cities is one of the most charming experiences that a traveler could ever hope for. During the 40 hours that it takes one of the small steamers of the Compania Maritima to make the run, the sight of land is never lost, and the scene is constantly shifting, and is always new and wonderful. There are several volcanoes that are active, and may be marked by the hazy smoke that lifts lazily against the clouds. Just now there are very few vessels venturing on the run, for the Compania Maritima, a Spanish concern, has only two of its vessels put under the American flag. Conditions are critical. The town is almost defenseless. An old fort, which was ancient 100 years ago, commands the harbor, but it spends all its time commanding, for there are no guns mounted in it. The river a month or so ago was choked with Spanish steamers that were afraid to venture out under the Spanish flag. There were three Spanish gunboats in the river—the Samar, Mindoro and El Cano. The two first-named were small, but the last was much larger. Her engines were in bad order, and it was common gossip that if her heaviest guns were fired the shock would shake the ship to pieces. General Rios concentrated all the Spanish forces of the other islands on Panay, in the hope of preventing the fall of the city before the conclusion of the Paris conference.

The province of Iloilo is set down in the official directories as having a population of 472,000, and the city is the second seaport of importance in the Philippine group. It is located on a river navigable for vessels of 15 feet draught, so that very few of our gunboats would be available to assist the troops in case it should be necessary to take forcible possession of the city.

The Spaniards have chosen a strong place for the concentration of their troops in the town of Zamboanga, which, as the reports indicate, is strongly fortified and possessed of considerable natural strength from a defensive point of view. It is not doubted that they will be able to maintain themselves for an indefinite period of time against the insurgents, presuming that they are not cut off from obtaining supplies from the sea. The town itself has a population of 21,000 inhabitants.

A Disagreement.

Providence, Dec. 29.—The jury in the manslaughter case of John McWilliams, Jr., disagreed. They stood 11 to 1 for conviction, and were discharged after being locked up 23 hours and 20 minutes.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

IN WICKED CHICAGO.

Entire City Council Under Suspicion of Being Guilty of Bribery.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Allegations of bribery in city affairs are under investigation by the grand jury, and the entire city council has been asked to appear before that body. The inquiry was begun yesterday. The investigation will not be confined especially to charges made in connection with the 50-year street car franchise ordinance. Alleged bribery in other matters of public importance will receive attention.

Shortly before noon yesterday the clerk of the grand jury was instructed to send out subpoenas for nine aldermen and two ex-aldermen. All of these except one appeared during the afternoon. All who appeared were heard. Enough evidence of interest was brought out to determine the grand jury to proceed along the line adopted, and the clerk was instructed to send out summons for every member of the Chicago city council to appear.

Cooling Off.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 29.—After many futile attempts to address the citizens of this city, Mrs. Martha Moore Avery succeeded last night, and Liberty hall was crowded. "Three Stages of Wealth Production" was the subject of her address. There were no marked demonstrations during the evening. At a meeting of the board of aldermen last night a discussion took place over the question of preserving order around the factories and in the streets. City Marshal Curtis was present. The result of the discussion was to the effect that the police department must do its duty. There were no demonstrations about the factories last night.

Enforcing the Law.

Louisville, Dec. 29.—For the first time in the history of the city the pool rooms are permanently closed. For some time a bitter fight has been waged upon the pool room interests, which resulted in the three rooms in this city being raided Saturday and over 125 men were arrested. These were dismissed at a preliminary hearing, but as the grand jury had announced its intention to continue raiding them, the proprietors came into the criminal court yesterday and stated that they had determined to close their doors permanently. In view of this fact all indictments against them have been dismissed.

From Bad to Worse.

Buda Pest, Dec. 29.—Lieutenant Geza von Matassich-Keglevich has been sentenced by court-martial to military imprisonment for five years for forging on bills of exchange the name of Austrian Imperial Crown Princess Stephanie. He became notorious some time ago, owing to a fierce duel he fought with Prince Philip of Saxe-Coburg, and Gotha, husband of Princess Louise Marie of Belgium, whose love affairs with the lieutenant were at one time the talk of Vienna, and who is now confined in a private lunatic asylum.

Perished In Flames.

Manistee, Mich., Dec. 29.—Details have reached here of the burning to death of Bruce and Alice Milks, children of Tilman Milks of Maple Grove township. The children were left in the house for a short time, and when the father returned the house was in flames.

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CHINAMEN SHAKEN UP.

Treasury Official Visits Springfield and Gathers In Illegal Residents.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 29.—The Chinese population of this city was thrown into a big ferment of fear yesterday, through the coming of Dr. Jin Fuey Moy of New York, a United States treasury official and interpreter. Dr. Moy came here to round up the local Chinamen, intending to arrest all those who could not produce certificates of registration as required by the Chinese exclusion act of 1892. With a police inspector he captured six of the celestials, one of whom was later released. The other five will be taken to Boston to be tried before a United States judge. Inspector Izart of New York will take the prisoners out of the city. They will be charged with illegally living in this country, the penalty being one year's imprisonment at hard labor, followed by deportation to the old country.

The coming of Dr. Moy terrorized the hundred or more local Chinamen, with the result that a number, getting a tip of what was going on, fled from the city. One laundry was found closed with shutters down. One of the men arrested, Jue Fue, is a civilized Chinaman. He rides a bicycle, has cut off his queue, and has a white wife in Boston. He has been here four years.

Dr. Moy said that complaints had been sent to Washington by local labor unions, and for that reason he was ordered here to make a wholesale raid.

Sam Small on Chaplains.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 29.—Rev. Sam Small, the evangelist, now chaplain of the Third engineers, U. S. A., arrived here yesterday. He says: "The chaplains are a sort of sop to the church sentiment without much substance to them. They just take a minister and put a uniform on him with a silver cross on the shoulder, pay him $200 a month and turn him loose on 1200 men without any of the implements of the scriptural warfare to fight with. I've been disappointed. When I get out I am going to suggest that they do away with the chaplains. When we get down to Cuba I'll wager most of the men would rather go to a cock fight or a bull fight than attend services. To tell the truth, I am beginning to think there is a heap of balderdash about what the chaplains do accomplish outside of meeting the sentiment that calls for their presence with every body of troops."

Unrest In Havana.

Havana, Dec. 29.—A Spaniard named Fernandez, a member of the municipal police, was surrounded by a crowd of Cubans in Bomba street yesterday. Cuban and American flags were waved in his face, his rifle was twisted out of his hands, and 50 men yelled to him "Shout viva Cuba libre or die." Fernandez cried out "Viva Espana, Viva Espana." Three knives were thrust into him, and he is dying. A fight was started yesterday by some Cubans carrying American and Cuban flags, who declared they had been insulted by Spanish marines. A Cuban drew a pistol and, declaring that he would defend the American flag, fired. Other shots followed. According to unofficial reports a Spanish soldier was killed, a Spanish marine fatally wounded, and at least one other, if not several, hurt.

Too Early to Predict.

Omaha, Dec. 29.—William J. Bryan arrived here yesterday from Chicago. When asked if he thought the question of imperialism would overshadow the money issue in the campaign of 1900, Mr. Bryan said it was difficult at this time to say what relations these subjects would bear to each other then. He thought if congress would adopt a resolution pledging this government to keep the Philippines only as a trust for their people, until a stable government is established, the expansion issue would be at an end. If, however, the question was not settled in some such way as this, he said, it would continue to be a matter of discussion until it was disposed of.

Victim of Hydrophobia.

Melrose, Mass., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Lindsey M. Emery, 32 years of age, died last evening of a pronounced case of hydrophobia. On Sunday, Nov. 14, last, while in the Highland Baptist church, a dog ran in and bit Mrs. Emery, horribly lacerating her face, so that 12 stitches were required to close the wounds. The dog regained liberty, and bit a boy before he was killed. A few days ago the unfortunate woman was stricken with hydrophobia. Two more dogs have been shot in Melrose since the injury inflicted upon Mrs. Emery.

Now is the Time For Bargains....

I have a few Watches, Clocks, Rings, Pins, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, Cuff Buttons, Silver Novelties and Silverware of all kinds, which I will sell at the regular wholesale price until Jan. 1st, 1899. Come early and get your first choice, as this sale only lasts for a few days.

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You'll see two thousand Ties strung out in all the swell styles and shapes at 25c.—Puffs, Techs, Imperials, Strings, Band, Bow and Four-in-Hands. These are the kind the dry goods stores sell for 37c, marked down from 75c. If you want the kind they sell for 25c., you'll see them here, too, only at 19c.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	36	45	24	17
Monday	33	29	32	35
Tuesday	41	38	35	19
Wednesday	24	39	22	27
Thursday	31	44	22	40
Friday	—	45	46	43
Saturday	—	44	40	45

New Advertisements Today.

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Good Afternoon.

A report from Washington says that either the Eighth or the Fifth Massachusetts regiments now in the South, will be mustered out. The Eighth has been longer in service and seems more likely to be selected.

It is reported that it is not the intention of the Boston Elevated Railway to make any immediate changes in the street car lines to accommodate passengers arriving at the new South station. Quincy people had hoped that they would be better accommodated by the street cars as well as by a new station. Much of the pleasure of going to the Castle Square theatre and events at the Mechanic's Building is lessened because of lack of convenient cars, and many doubtless stay at home.

Had the City Council selected a Quincy hotel for its grand wind up, it would have escaped the annoying delay on the railroad, which made the members and guests an hour late to their dinner, and shortened their evening around the festive board. It was at the same time a reflection upon the city, for those who "represent the city" to cry down Quincy, and say they could not get a good dinner in the city.

Travellers on the New Haven road who desire the company to furnish first class cars will not object to the new rule. Hereafter all who put their feet on cushions in front of them will be requested by the conductor or brakeman to take them down, provided the directions of the company are regarded. This may seem hard on the individual passenger, but those who come after him will appreciate the ruling. The chief trouble with railway travelers is that they act as if nobody else were going to occupy the seat they leave. The evil is less pronounced in parlor cars, where a porter is employed to "clean up" occasionally, but the ordinary passenger car gets filthier the farther it goes.

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Quincy, Dec. 27. 5t

GOT THEIR DESERT.

A Roast on the Good Bill of Fare.

And Another in an Original Poem.

City Council of 1898 Wind Up with a Banquet.

A special meeting of the Quincy City Council was held Wednesday evening at Young's hotel, Boston. Councilman Cain was the only absent member. Mayor Sears and several of the city officials were present, as were also the reporters.

The meeting was called for 6.45 o'clock, but owing to a derailed engine at South Boston it was nearly 8 o'clock before the members and officials had taken seats around the immaculate covered table.

Clerk Spear forgot to call the roll and City Messenger Tirrell neglected to perform his usual function of turning up the gas.

President Pinkham occupied a seat at the head of the table with Mayor Sears on his right. President Pinkham called order and briefly stated that all rules were suspended, and that the business would be found upon the third page of the folder placed in front of each plate. This was as follows:

THE MENU.

Oysters on deep shell.

Mock Turtle. Consomme Vegetables.

Fillet of Beef, a la Jardiniere.
Roast Haunch of Venison, Jelly sauce.

Chicken Croquets with Peas.
Vol au Vent of Oysters, a la Reine.
Banana Fritters Glace, Benedictine.

Frozen Pudding. Charlotte Russe.
Roman Punch.
Ice Cream. Sherbet.

Apples. Bananas. Oranges.
Coffee.

No second invitation was needed and for the next hour and a half the clash of silver would occasionally be heard above the music of the piano which was presided over by a young man from one of Boston's amusement houses.

During the dinner cigarettes were served in true Bohemian style, and much amusement was afforded watching some of the novices try to light them. No further evidence was necessary to prove that they were not guilty of being cigarette fiends.

Another pleasing variation during the session was a solo, entitled, "All Alone," rendered by the pianist, in which several of the Councilmen's names were brought out in rhyme. Several also tried to sing some of the popular airs played by the pianist, but as he played in one time and key and they sang in another, the two did not jibe very well, but everything went.

Dinner over, President Pinkham made a few brief remarks and called upon Mayor Sears who spoke of the work accomplished by the Council during the year, the principal of which were the paving of Hancock street, the furtherance of permanent sidewalks and proposed street widening. He said it was an old Saxon custom when anyone died to meet together and have a banquet over the corpse. Well, there we.e some corpses here, (Laughter).

City Aditor Hall spoke of the Councils of the past, and said this one ha. been very conscientious in the discharge of its duties. Much thought had been given to the issues before it, and members had considered all matters in the best and strongest way. There had been Councils that had, perhaps, been more brilliant, when there had been a constant display of fireworks, but in thinking them all over, the present had given the most satisfaction. He rejoiced that the Councils had not deteriorated. As had been said no Council had shown more ability, care and watchfulness of the people's interests.

City Solicitor McAnarney never likes to be called upon for an after dinner speech. He, however, spoke of the pleasant relations of the Council, and the only grievance he had was that the Council of 1897 had not increased his salary. He had a feeling that he was one of the corpses the Mayor had referred to.

Councilman Merrick was pleased to say that he had enjoyed his service on the License committee. He had been in places that were not savory but as a whole the work was pleasant, and he had learned many things. If he had been able he should liked to have returned. He wished all God speed.

City Messenger Tirrell made the speech of the evening. He was sorry on some accounts that the citizens of Ward One had never recognized the fact that he possessed oratorical powers and sent him to the City Council, but as they drew no salary and the City Messenger did he was willing to retain that office for another year. For ten years it had been his privilege and pleasure to face the City Council and he had attentively listened to their debates and good natured squabbles, as they had endeavored to obtain some legislation for the city, but more especially for the member's individual ward. But of all the many sessions during the past ten years, he felt more at home tonight than ever before, for this was his element. This session was also free from the monotony that had characterized many of the meetings. His relations with the present Council had been most pleasant, and he regretted that they were not all to return next year. As far as the ability of this Council compared with those of other years, it was not in his province to say. In closing he thanked all for the courtesies shown him.

A letter of regret was read from City Treasurer Gray, who was unable to be present.

Brief remarks were also made by Councilman Sidelinger, Clerk of Council Spear, Commissioner Knowlton, Councilmen Willard and Hultman.

Councilman Jameson was then called upon for his surprise, which was a poem. At the close all joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne," and a run was made for the 10.30 train.

Listen my friends and hear me relate
Of Mayor Sears and the Quincy Council of '98;
How many a sleepless night was passed
In dealing with problems and burning gas.
(And speaking of gas, I'll say right here
We'll roast that Gas Co., the very next year,
For gas at two plunks per thousand you know
Is no joke; just tell 'em I told you so.)

How Russell A. Sears, a bright youg man
And friend of us all, say what you can,
Has served as Mayor for just one year,
And did what he thought was right with never a fear,
But somehow or other, I can't just tell,
When the votes were counted, he did catch—well
I've puzzled my brain and cussed the luck,
Tried to figure it, and always got stuck,
But finally came to the conclusion, you see,
That the other fellow got more votes than he.
(And that is how he got left on the Mayoralty.)
But our friend Sears is not dead yet,
There may be another time yet, you bet.

Well, the Council of '98 was as good as Councils go,
With just enough Democrats to make a show.
Ward Four tried hard to help out a "Little,"
By sending a man, who has shown his mettle,
And the Republicans thought to keep in the swim,
Sent one of their "Owen" to help us to win,
But in spite of all this Republican gain,
The Democrats succeeded in raising "Cain."

Ward Five, as usual, sent three of a kind,
Republicans all, right straight in a line.
Jameson with sidewalks and fence on the brain,
But the fence remains there just the same.
And Willard, the professor, a man of great mind
From Wollaston Park, now so "free from crime."
Another is Pinkham, our President square,
There's a rumor about, he's up again for the "chair."

Ward Six, sent three Republicans strong,
And facts have proved they were far from wrong,
For although they were obliged to run up a "Hill,"
All three have certainly worked with a will.
John Poland, who talked on his Billings road scheme
'Till the reporters notes would fill up a ream,
And Parker, chairman of streets, bridges and light,
I'm sorry, next year, is out of the fight.

Ward Three, with a Democrat, and Republicans two,
Is well represented, three men, true blue.
They sent us a "Nicol," instead of a dollar,
He's expected to kick, and if possible, holler,
But together with McGrath to help him out
They did all the work, without poor Prout,
Who with the benedicts fell into line,
"And his little wife was with him all the time."

And Ward Two, to keep up with the band,
Sends three straight Republicans with plenty of sand,
For didn't they send Capt. Hultman, true,
Who tells salty stories that will break you in two,
And Arthur Newcomb of Newcomb Square,
Who, because we wouldn't fix North street, thought it unfair.
Then Councilman Keith to raise the Mayor's salary, tried,
But we were onto the curves, and the order it died.

Ward One, two Republicans, and one,—
I don't know what,—but he's a son of a ——,
For all improvement orders to him look the same
The only John Swithin, of real estate fame.
And Packard who looks like a saint, to me,
But some do say, the devil a saint is he.
For didn't he fill us with clams and trash
And yet never a word from Councilman Nash?

Our five Councilmen-at-large we mustn't pass by,
We couldn't forget them, however we try.
There's Badger, the heavy weight from Ward Four,
Who means what he says when he stands on the floor,
And little Sidelinger, our friend from Ward Two,
Also out for the Presidency, I'm told by a few,
And Freeman from Wollaston, I really think,
Eats golf balls for breakfast and lives at the link,
And Merrick, the pedagogue, who comes from Ward Six,
On questions of license, is onto the tricks.
Our friend Clark would the plumbing laws change,
But the Council said "nit," which was not very strange.

Next year, Christopher A. Spear, our genial clerk,
Would have Messenger Tirrell do all the work,
And unless Brother Hall, who audits accounts,
Will audit our salaries, he'll get the bounce,
And if rumors are true, our mutual friend Gray,
After the first day of February will have to eat hay
With Commissioner Knowlton about the same date,
Unless our new Mayor will break up that slate.
City Clerk Cleaves, and McAnarney of legal lore,
Also, I fear, will be shown the door.

Now friends of the Council I've tried to amuse
But over my efforts I doubt you'll enthuse.
However, on all such occasions as this
Each one is expected to add to the bliss
(Or agony) by telling a story or doing some trick,
Or be fired out the window pretty D. quick,
But evidently I was not cut out for a poet,
As these few lines will plainly show it.
And more might have been said in much less time
By one with more brains who knew how to rhyme,
But I've done the best my abilities allow,
And make at this time, my retiring bow.

Man Hole Cover Off.

Officer Murray reports that while coming through Water street at 3.45 he found the cover to the sewer man hole at the corner of Water and Phipps street had been removed, either by accident or design. The drivers of the fire department apparatus report that when they drove through the street they saw the cover and supposed it was an old coat. The horses also saw it and jumped one side. It is hard to believe that anyone would remove the cover and leave the hole open by design, but at any rate it was a narrow escape for the fire department horses.

Theatre Train.

Acting upon the suggestion made by the Ledger, Mayor Sears made an appeal to General Superintendent Clark of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad to have the 11 P. M. train for Quincy restored when the new timetable went into effect. Wednesday he received word from Supt. Clark to the effect that the train desired would be put on Jan. 1. This train is much appreciated by theatre goers who are greatly pleased at the successful efforts of Mayor Sears.

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

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Bottom Round, 12½c
Fresh Pork to roast, 8c
Hams, 10c lb
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We also have a full line of First-class Groceries. We will deliver your order promptly. Our store is at 100 Hancock street. We will be glad to see you.

Thank you! I will send you my order, as your prices are lower than I have been paying.

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CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Almost too cold to snow.

It was a very cold night.

Miss Carrie Heald has returned from an extended visit to Solon, Me.

Mr. James C. Hall, Jr., of Wollaston, is very sick with pneumonia.

It is rumored that Mr. D. Vinton Pierce will reside in Quincy again.

Mr. Charles S. Joss of Copeland street spent Christmas at Saco, Me.

The Lafayette club hold a social dance Friday evening at St. Mary's hall.

Sherman Gould of Portland, Me., visited friends at West Quincy this week.

W. F. Bassett of Copeland street passed Christmas with friends at Plymouth.

Many who enjoy skating appreciate the large pond at the Montclair station.

Geo. I. Aldrich was on Wednesday re-elected superintendent of schools at Newton.

Wollaston Lodge will be the official designation of the new Masonic Lodge at Wollaston.

Miss Susie M. Page is spending her vacation with relatives on Massachusetts avenue, Boston.

Miss Nellie Shaw of Quincy has been visiting Mrs. Henry Shaw of Botolph street, the past week.

The hurdy gurdy party at Quincy Music hall Wednesday afternoon was a great success socially, and largely attended by young people.

There is a couple at Wollaston who have kept house for nineteen years and never owned a clock until last Christmas, when one was given to them.

Mrs. B. F. Bowen and Miss Emma F. Bowen of Central Falls, R. I., have been the guests of Mr. George W. Thayer of Crescent street this week.

The Boston aldermen passed on Tuesday the order granting the Quincy & Forest Hills Railway a location from Neponset to West Roxbury. It will be a short cut from Quincy to Dedham.

Mr. A. J. Preston of Wollaston has written an interesting story entitled "Five hours with a Wollaston baby." It will appear in Saturday's Patriot and every one will want to secure a copy.

The unfinished house of Mr. Ford on Belmont street, Wollaston, was entered last night by prying open a window at the rear, and a big haul of carpenter's tools was made. Only the best tools were taken.

Dr. J. H. Ash has commenced work demolishing the old building on that part of the Farnum estate recently purchased by him, and will shortly erect a fine residence on that site. The old partly burned building has long been an eye sore to West Quincy people who are now rejoicing at its removal.

In the cast of the "Confederate Spy," at Music hall tomorrow night, will be: Mr. John Troupe, Mr. John Wedderburn, Mr. Dan McCarthy, Mr. Robert Findlay, Mr. Robert Kennedy, Mr. Alex. Russell, Mr. Alex. Rose, Mr. John Capaccioli, Miss Lillie O. M. Smith, Miss Katherine Black, Miss Mary Rose, Mrs. Alex. Russell.

Next Monday evening occurs the opening night of the Monday Evening Club at Atlantic. Superintendent of Police Benj. P. Eldridge of Boston is to give an address of half an hour on "The Police in America," and Miss Lillian Waterhouse is to have a paper on "Current Events." Mr. Eldridge is well-known as an interesting speaker.

Wednesday Mr. Joseph N. Smith of Wollaston severed his connection with the New Haven road, after a continuous service of 27 years. On Saturday of this week he enters the service of the Boston Terminal Company as Superintendent of the gas, steam heating and air brakes at the South Terminal station. He will have a crew of fourteen men to assist him.

Mr. Rollin N. Van Buskirk of this city and Miss Elizabeth L. Gibbs, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Lot H. Gibbs of New Bedford, were married in the latter city on Monday evening. Mr. Ernest Gourd of this city was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Van Buskirk went to New York and Washington on their wedding tour, and will be at home at The Greenleaf on Wednesdays after January first.

☞ How funny it all is! Here is the Boston Record fighting expansion because it will work harm to the cause of protective tariff, while Harper's Weekly is agin it because it will strengthen protection. "You pays your money and takes your choice." It don't cost a cent more in one case than in the other—Milford Journal.

DIED.

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Nov. 2. tf

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Quincy, Nov. 1. 1p 6m

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French vs. English

The Frenchman who, when bidding a friend good-bye said "May Heaven pickle you," *meant* all right—he said "pickle" when he should have said "preserve."

A little mistake in the proper use of names often leads up to unpleasant situations. If you will just remember, please, that the words, "Bunker Hill Pickles" stand for good, sound, crisp pickles, you will make no mistake in ordering your pickles.

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LAST NIGHT'S FIRES.

Large Loss at Eagle Polishing Mills.

Three Alarms in as Many Hours.

Three Others Were Attended with Small Losses.

It was cold night for a fire last night yet from 11.30 until after 3 o'clock this morning the fire department had their hands full, three alarms of fire sounded between those hours.

The first alarm was at 11.33, from Box 35, and was for a fire in the harness shop of James R. Taylor on Quincy avenue. It was caused by an overheated stove, and as it had made good headway considerable water had to be used in extinguishing it. Mr. Taylor says that he had about $700 of stock on hand and that the loss will be in the neighborhood of $200.

POLISHING MILLS.

While the Central Station apparatus was at work at this fire an alarm was sounded from Box 39. Hose 4 which was at the Central station was the first to respond, but the other apparatus quickly followed. This proved to be a stubborn and disasterous fire in the Eagle Polishing Mills situated off Intervale street, South Quincy.

The mill is a large frame building and was full of polishing machinery, chilled iron tools and granite blocks in the process of polishing owned by a number of firms.

The fire, which was evidently caused by an incendiary, had made rapid headway before the department arrived, and before the flames were extinguished the plant was entirely gutted. The blocks of granite were ruined by the heat and water. The loss on building and contents is estimated to be from $6,000 to $7,000, upon which there is an insurance of $4,000.

SPARKS SET ANOTHER.

The sparks from the burning mills were blown all over the granite section, and that several more fires were not started is to be wondered at. As it was the roof of McGilvary & Jones sheds half a mile away took fire, and was burning briskly when someone summoned the department by sounding a second alarm from Box 39.

The loss at McGilvary & Jones' will not exceed $100.

Quincy Man President.

The committee that was appointed by the New England Association of Opticians and given full powers to incorporate the optical school, after inviting all members to join them as charter members, have formed an association and obtained a charter. The corporation is known as the New England Optical Institute. The object of the corporation as stated in the charter is "to teach the art and science of optometry and such sciences as pertain to optometry, also to teach scientific and mechanical optics." There is no capital stock. They have elected the following officers: President, John W. Sanborn; vice president, George H. Brown; secretary, Charles E. Tucker; treasurer, George H. Loyd; auditor, Albert G. Barber. They have elected a board of nine trustees.

It is proposed to give a three years' course, beginning with evening classes. The course of study will include Algebra, Geometry, Trignometry, Physics and Chemistry (laboratory instruction), Physiology and Anatomy, Optometry and Ophthalmology, Optical Instruments, Clinical Instruction, and such other studies as the faculty may decide upon. Classes in mathematics will begin early in January. The cost of tuition will not exceed $50 per year.

Co. K Extend Thanks.

At a meeting of Co. K, 5th Mass. Inf., U. S. V., held at Camp Wetherill, Greenville, South Carolina, Sunday evening, December 25, 1898, it was unanimously voted to extend a vote of thank to Mr. George H. Wilson, the local papers and people of Quincy, through whose kindness we were enabled to enjoy Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners. The boys were made to feel that although hundreds of miles from home, they were not forgotten by the dear people of Quincy.

Sergt. John R. McGrath,
Corp. William J. Leslie,
Priv. W. E. Morrissey,
Committee.

☞ The regular corps of legislative messengers and pages go on duty at the State House on Monday next. The messengers number twenty-three and the pages ten. The sergeant-at-arms has made no changes in the list from last year, excepting that he has appointed Luke K. Davis of Worcester assistant doorkeeper of the Senate.

CHRISTMAS GAMES.

How Co. K Passed the Holiday at Greenville.

With Co. K, 5th Mass.
Camp Wetherill,
Greenville, S. C., Dec. 26.

This has been an ideal day, both warm and clear. The temperature registered 74 degrees.

We have had a holiday today, so that this afternoon the officers planned a list of games for the enlisted men of our regiment. The sports were well patronized by volunteers of other regiments and citizens, which the boys always appreciate. These games commenced at 2.30 Major Morrison was starter, with Surgeon McPherson as time keeper. The prizes ranged from one to five dollars, for the winners.

The first one on the slate was a pole rush game, with selected men from each company, the prize being $2. A flag was nailed about ten feet from the ground on our flag staff, which stands directly in front of the Colonel's quarters. When Major Morrison gave the signal to a sergeant of Co. A, he discharged his rifle, and the several combatants made a grand rush for the flag staff. As soon as one man nearly touched the prize he was quickly hauled down by members of other companies. On the second round which only lasted a few minutes, a private by the name of Keenan of Co. F, who was aided by the other seven men of his company, secured the prize. The boys cheered loud and long.

Privates A. Garbutt, Frank Clapp, Peter McPhee, Dave Smith, P. Carlson, Hector Gillis, Gus Livendale, and Jack Fitzgerald, were the entries from K Co. These men did remarkably well and put up a good fight.

The next on the list was a 10-yard dash, the prize being $2; then 100 feet backward run, prize $1. potato race, prize $1; 3-legged race prize $2; wheel barrow race, one man sitting in each barrow, prize $2; scrub football, prize $5.

This evening there is to be a grand entertainment in the Army Christian Commission tent, which the boys will pack to its full capacity.

Many of the boys have enjoyed Christmas today, just as much as they would if at home. The boys of K company speak in high esteem of the kindness of the Daily Ledger, Mr. G. H. Wilson and Quincy friends for their kindess in remembering us boys so many thousands of miles from home. For many members of K, it was their first absence from home at Christmas.

Our Christmas bill of fare included the following: Roast turkey with dressing, turnips, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce and gravies, mince and apple pies, with cheese, bread, butter, cheese, milk and sugar.

The same courses were repeated again today at dinner. The boys cannot speak too highly of the kindness of Quincy friends.

Herbert F. Tucker is once more abroad having recovered from a slight attack of grip. Herbert has asked to be reduced from Corporal to private for feeling in ill health, he was unable to attend to the duties of a non-commissioned officer. We are pleased to say that he is progressing rapidly towards health.

Sergeants McGrath and Phillips, spent Christmas at a country farm house about four miles from camp. The sergeants were royally entertained.

Corporal Haskins had his photographic machine at work this afternoon, taking pictures of the several events of the games.

Quite a number of the boys of the regiment attended the Christmas services of the Episcopal and Catholic churches on Sunday. The churches were overcrowded with men from the regiments.

Quartermaster Sergeant Crane, after partaking of his bountiful Christmas dinner, had to retire for a few hours. Tom said, that he wished Christmas would come about every day, "by gosh."

Sergeants Barrett and Phillips Corporals Haskins, Whiting and Johnston have donned their new uniforms, with white stripes and cheverons.

Nearly all the officers and non-commissioned officers are wearing their new regulation uniforms. They look prettier than the old dark blue stripes. They are also visible at night.

At this evening's review quite a number of citizens witnessed the parade. The boys marched with a quick, snappy step, that was applauded by the civilians. The Dandy Fifth "cuts all the ice" in Greenville, that has been cut. Any special duty to perform, the 5th Massachusetts always has the preference. There has been nothing new or definite in relation to the movement of our regiment.

The detail for guard duty today are: Bugler Johnson, Privates Rafferty, Swanson, Osgood, Newcomb and Olsen.

The boys are in remarkably good health, except for a few colds.

VOLUNTEER.

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Memorial Church.

The suggestion of Christmas was very apparent at the Memorial church Sunday from the beautiful decorations. Above the pulpit hung an evergreen bell with the red of the holly berries peeping out here and there while garlands were festooned from the point from which it was suspended to other parts of the room. All features of the church, pulpit, doors, windows and candelabra were appropriately decorated. An abundance of hemlock was used making a most effective display. Mr. Sanborn deserves great credit for his fine artistic work. The greens he used came from his home in Laconia, New Hampshire.

The text of the Christmas sermon was "Thanks be to God for his unspeakable gift." Rev. Mr. Whitaker said that never in the world's history was the name of Christ held in such great reverence and the work of His Life so highly appreciated as now. Some persons might claim that the work for Christ was less penetrating than formerly because the interpretation of the plan of salvation was somewhat different in the light of modern thought from that of twenty-five years or more ago. It was a fact, however, that in dropping the encumbrances from which the highest nature of man had revolted, "Salvation" had assumed a meaning and taken on a grace that appealed to the hearts of men, real character and not a simple statement of belief being accepted as a proof.

The music was fine, by the church quartette, though unfortunately Miss Susie Hall, the soprano, was ill and her place was filled by a substitute from Boston.

In the evening was held the Sunday School concert, the older members of the Sunday School taking part. Master Adin Wilde recited a "Christmas carol," by Philips Brooks, Miss Winnie Seaman contributed "Christmas in Bethlehem," Miss Annie Hall, Longfellows "Christmas bells," Miss Lillian Waterhouse, "Old Pegs, a Christmas sketch" and Miss Helen Bemis a "Christmas carol," by Lowell. Miss Alice Coe sang two Christmas solos and Mr. Gassett one, the Sunday School and audience joining in several choruses with Mr. W. F. Cummings as leader.

Monday evening at six o'clock the younger children of the Sunday School entertained with a Christmas cantata Mr. W. F. Cummings taking the part of Santa Claus. Mr. Cummings made a perfect Santa and delivered the presents as usual from the Christmas tree. Mrs. Charles Cherrington and Miss Gertrude Hall had charge of the cantata and were remarkably successful in preparing so pleasing an entertainment in so short a time. The boys drill with guns was well done and the solos and choruses were frequently applauded. All the little ones were well remembered and had a jolly Christmas time.

Maxwell—Rushton.

Miss Lillian Maud Rushton of Springhill Mine, N. S., and Mr. Charles Loring Maxwell of Norfolk Downs were married at the residence of the groom's father Mr. A. L. Maxwell on Hamden Circle, at 7.30 Wednesday evening by Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor of the Atlantic Congregational church. The best man was Mr. Eddie Prince of Wollaston, while the bride was attended by Miss Florence Munroe of Nova Scotia.

The bride was attired in blue silk trimmed with taffeta ribbon of the same color, and the bridesmaid in blue silk.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell were the recipients of many handsome presents, notably a pretty parlor lamp from Mr. Edward Maxwell, brother of the groom; a handsome lemonade set, from Mrs. P. Connell; and a dainty china piece for the table, from Mrs. Joseph Hicks of Malden; and many other pretty tokens.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held, guests to the number of thirty being present from Wollaston, Norfolk Downs, Malden and Old Orchard, Me. After a supper and social time at whist the happy couple were bidden goodnight with many good wishes for the future. Mr. Maxwell is with the Boston & Maine railroad and stationed at Concord, N. H., at present.

TODAY'S COURT.

Fred E. Norton was arraigned for the larceny of two rings from Alfred W. Jelenick at Quincy. Case continued until Friday.

Daniel Purcell pleaded nolo contendere, to a complaint for exposing liquor for sale at Braintree, and paid a fine of $50.

Minnie Ghiozzi was arraigned for being a stubborn child at Weymouth. Case continued until March 1.

Theatrical companies that do not present the attraction they have billed are subject to fine in Mexico. A fine is also placed on bull fighters who give a poor performance, or who do not begin on time.

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AN ORDINANCE

REGULATING PLUMBING

IN THE

CITY OF QUINCY.

Be it ordained by the City Council as follows:

SECTION 1. No person shall carry on the business of plumbing unless he is a plumber and shall have first registered his name and place of business in the office of the Board of Health; and notice of any change in the place of business of a registered plumber shall be immediately given to said Board of Health.

SECT. 2. Every plumber before doing any work in a building, shall, except in the case of the repair of leaks, file at the office of said Board of Health, a notice of the work to be performed, and no such work shall be done in any building without the approval of said Board of Health or its Inspector of Plumbing.

SECT. 3. The plumbing of every building shall be separately and independently connected with the public sewer, when such sewer is provided, or with a proper and sufficient drain connected thereto outside of the building, and if no sewer is provided, with a proper cesspool.

SECT. 4. Pipes and other fixtures shall not be covered or concealed from view until approved by them, who shall examine the same within two working days after notice that they are ready for inspection.

SECT. 5. The Board of Health must be notified when the main drain, soil, waste, branch connections or ventilating pipes are in and ready to be tested. The Board must again be notified immediately after the work is completed and before it is covered from view. All work must be left uncovered and convenient for examination until inspected and approved; and no drainage system shall be used until a certificate of approval has been granted.

If, on inspection, the work is not satisfactory, the plumber will be notified and a limit of five days (unless otherwise permitted) given in which to complete said work; at which time the Board of Health must be notified.

SECT. 6. Drain and connecting ventilating pipes shall be of sufficient size, and made of cast-iron within the building, and for a distance of at least eight feet outside, except that lead pipes may be used for short connections exposed to view. Such pipes shall be of uniform thickness throughout, and shall have an average weight not less than below specified, viz.

2-inch pipe,	3 2-5	pounds	per	foot.
3 " "	5	"	"	
4 " "	6 2-5	"	"	
5 " "	8 2-5	"	"	
6 " "	10 2-5	"	"	
7 " "	13	"	"	
8 " "	17	"	"	

Drain pipes shall be properly secured by irons to walls, laid in trenches to uniform grade, or suspended to floor timbers by strong iron hangers. The space between these hangers shall not exceed ten feet. Every drain pipe shall be supplied with a running trap with an accessible screw clean out, at or near the point where it leaves the building, and shall have a fall of at least one quarter of an inch to the foot. Soil pipes shall be carried above the roof, open and undiminished in size, and to a distance of not less than two feet above the roof, or more if the said Board shall so direct, and as far from any window as possible. Changes in direction shall be made with curved pipes, and all connections with horizontal or vertical pipes shall be made with Y branches. No trap shall be placed at the foot of a vertical soil pipe.

All branches of soil or waste pipe twelve feet or more in length must be carried up not less than two feet above the roof, undiminished in size, or more than two feet if said Board shall so direct, or they may be connected with the main soil pipe above the highest plumbing fixture. All drain pipes shall be exposed to sight where practicable within the building, and shall not be exposed to pressure where they pass through walls. Every part of every drain pipe below a cellar floor shall be accessible through sufficient unattached covers.

In all cases of sewer connections there shall be an extra heavy iron pipe laid from eight feet outside and carried through the foundation wall and connected with the drain inside by a Y branch with a brass screw cleanout in a direct line with the sewer, and the drains under the cellar bottom shall be of extra heavy iron pipe also.

Standard galvanized wrought iron may be used for ventilating pipes, when in the opinion of the inspector it is practical.

SECT. 7. When the waste pipe does not exceed three feet in length from its connection with the fixture to its connection with the trap, one round trap may be used for a sink and waste trays or for bath tub and bowl, if over three feet in length, the wash pipe of each and every sink, basin, bath-tub, water-closet, slop hopper, and of each set of trays or other fixtures, shall be furnished with a separate trap, which shall be placed as near as practicable to the fixture that it serves. Traps shall be protected from siphonage or air pressure by special cast-iron air pipes of a size not less than the waste pipes they serve, run from the crown or outlet of the trap. Lead air pipes may be used only when they are exposed to view. Air pipes for water-closet traps shall be of two-inch bore if thirty feet or less in length, and of three-inch bore if more than thirty feet in length; other air pipes shall be as large as the waste pipes from the traps. Air pipes shall be run as direct as practicable. Two or more air pipes may be connected together or with a drain pipe; but in every case of connection with a drain pipe such connection shall be above the upper fixture of the building.

No ventilation shall be required from a deep drum-trap in cases where there is no other plumbing than a sink waste or other single fixture connected with a cesspool and in which no soil matter is admitted. Air pipes shall be so constructed as not to allow the formation of a trap nor be used as waste pipes.

SECT. 8. All waste or overflow pipes from safes under water-closts and other fixtures or from ranks shall be run separately to basement or cellar, and left open; in no case shall they be connected with a soil pipe or any other waste pipe.

No waste pipe from a refrigerator or other receptacle in which food or provisions are stored shall be connected with a drain, soil or waste pipe, but shall be separated therefrom by an open air sink or tray furnished with a trap.

No steam exhaust, blow off or drip pipe shall connect with a sewer, house drain, rain-water conductor, soil, waste or vent pipe. Such pipes shall discharge into a suitable tank or condenser from which a proper outlet to the home drain shall be provided.

SECT. 9. Every water-closet, or line of water-closets on the same floor, shall be supplied with water from a tank or cistern, and shall have a flushing pipe of not less than one inch in diameter; but this requirement shall not apply to water-closets substituted for vaults, where the same are located outside of the building proper; and such water-closets may be arranged so as to receive their supply directly from the main, with proper fixtures approved by the board of health.

SECT. 10. No saddle hubs will be allowed on any plumbing. No return bends will be allowed except by special permission of the inspector.

All connections of lead waste and ventilating pipes shall be made with plumber's wipe solder joints and no cup joints will be allowed.

Every joint of an iron and a lead pipe shall be made by a brass furrule of the same size as lead pipe, set in the hub of the branch of the iron pipe and caulked with lead; the lead pipe to be attached to the furrule by a wiped solder joint. Every joint in a cast-iron bell and spigot pipe shall be made with packed oakum and molten lead well caulked, at least one and one-half inches deep, and made water and air tight, and no paint or putty shall be allowed until it has been tested.

SECT. 11. A suitable grease trap shall be constructed under the sink of every hotel, eating-house, restaurant, or other public cooking establishment, so as to be easily accessible for inspection and cleaning.

SECT. 12. When vaults, privies or cesspools are hereafter abandoned they shall within ten days (unless otherwise permitted) be thoroughly cleaned, disinfected and filled with earth or other suitable material and left in a proper condition satisfactory to the Board of Health.

SECT. 13. Penalty—Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding (50) fifty dollars for each and every violation thereof, and his license may be suspended or revoked.

SECT. 14. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and ordinance No. 28 of the City ordinances entitled "An ordinance Regulating Plumbing in the City of Quincy" is hereby repealed.

Passed to be ordained Dec. 12, 1898.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk of Council.

Approved Dec. 17, 1898.

RUSSELL A. SEARS, Mayor.

A true copy Attest:

EDGAR G. CLEAVES, City Clerk.

Dec. 28. 2t

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WANTED.

WANTED— A boy or girl to assist in our office, one who can write shorthand and operate a typewriter; $3.00 per week. HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
Quincy, Dec. 29. tf

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Dec. 27. 6t

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Quincy, Dec. 24. 6t

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Quincy, Dec. 22. 6t

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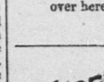

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Wealthy Woman Took a Dose of It and Death Soon Followed.

New York, Dec. 29.—Through a remarkable chain of circumstances, which has a tinge of suspicion about it, Mrs. Kate J. Adams, a wealthy widow living in this city, was poisoned by what the authorities believe to have been a dose of cyanide of potassium. The theory that the police are working on is that murder was intended, but the intended victim was Harry Cornish, the physical culture director of the Knickerbocker Athletic club of this city, and not Mrs. Adams, his cousin. The poison was taken from a vial sent to Mr. Cornish from some unknown source, and the police are attempting to discover where the vial came from.

Mrs. Adams was 50 years of age. Her daughter, Florence, is the wife of Edward Rogers, general agent for the Hartford Fire Insurance company. Mrs. Rogers and her husband occupy the third floor of the apartment house at the corner of Columbus avenue and Eighty-sixth street. The rooms are luxuriously furnished and show evidences of refinement and culture. With the Rogers family live Harry Cornish and the mother of Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Kate J. Adams.

On the morning of Dec. 24 there came to the desk of the Knickerbocker Athletic club office by mail a package wrapped in manila paper and sealed with wax. On the flat surface was written Cornish's name in a feminine hand, disguised to cause the impression that the writing was done by a man.

The package had been mailed at the general delivery office down town. In the wrapper of manila paper was a pasteboard box marked "Tiffany;" in the box the usual cotton packing and in the center wrapper in white tissue paper a vial holder of polished silver. On the bottom of the holder is marked "sterling silver, No. 814." In the receiving cylinder of the holder was a 10-cent vial of "bromo seltzer." The bottle was wrapped in the usual label of the drug made in Baltimore. The vial with its deadly contents was placed in Cornish's room. There is rested until yesterday morning.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Adams, escorted by Cornish, attended a theater. They partook of a light supper before returning home. While breakfast was being prepared yesterday Mrs. Adams complained of a severe headache. Mrs. Rogers then mentioned the bottle of bromo seltzer that Cornish had in his room. Cornish went to his room and got the vial of supposed bromo seltzer. He poured out a small quantity in a spoon and mixed it with water. Mrs. Adams took the mixture. It gave off an odor of almonds, but this was not noticed, nor did the absence of the effervescence of the salt attract attention. Cornish also took some of the mixture.

Suddenly all were attracted by the screams of Mrs. Adams calling for her daughter. Mrs. Rogers rushed into the bathroom and found her mother writhing in pain on the floor and gasping for breath. Cornish himself grew ill. He immediately sent for a doctor and Dr. E. F. Hitchcock was brought in. The doctor saw that the woman had taken some violent poison and gave her medicine to stimulate heart action. He applied other remedies and gave a powerful antidote to Cornish.

Dr. Hitchcock tasted the poison, which, he said, was evidently cyanide of potassium. He began to feel the effects of the poison and Dr. Potter was sent for. Before he arrived Mrs. Adams was dead. Dr. Potter gave it as his opinion that the poison was cyanide of potassium.

Mrs. Rogers was prostrated by the death of her mother and is confined to her bed.

Dr. Hitchcock telephoned to the coroner and informed the police of the West One Hundredth street station. Mr. Cornish went, on the advice of Dr. Hitchcock, to Assistant District Attorney McIntyre's office and told the incidents connected with the tragic death of Mrs. Adams. At the advice of the assistant district attorney, three detectives were placed in the hallway of the house. No one was allowed to go up to the apartments of the Rogers family without permission from the district attorney's office.

Coroner's Physician Weston called at the house about 7:30 o'clock last night. He took the vial holder and the bottles of poison. He also took the wrapper containing the address. After careful examination of the contents of the bottle he said it was his opinion that the contents were cyanide of potassium. He was sure that this was what caused Mrs. Adams' death, and that it was a murder, cold-blooded and premeditated. He said he would perform an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Adams.

District Attorney Gardiner and Assistant District Attorney McIntyre gave out a statement of the case substantially as related above. Late last night Assistant District Attorney Bluementhal was placed on the case to act in conjunction with the police.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecats.

Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:21.
Moon rises—7:07 p. m.
High water—12:45 a. m.; 12:45 p. m.

The indications for Friday now point to partly or cloudy weather, probably with light snow flurries in northern parts of New England; it will be decidedly warmer than today, with southwesterly winds, probably shifting to northwesterly, with lower temperatures during the night and Saturday.

Woodbridge Resigns.

Hartford, Dec. 29.—At a special meeting of the state prison directors yesterday the resignation of Warden Woodbridge was formally requested, and upon receipt of the communication from the board, the warden tendered his resignation. This action is the sequel to the recent conviction of H. K. Woodbridge, a son of the warden, who was recently sentenced to state prison for five years for defalcations committed while a clerk in the prison. The board does not believe that Warden Woodbridge is in any manner personally implicated in the defalcations.

Funds Are Short.

Nashua, N. H., Dec. 29.—Information was received here last evening that Harry F. Bailey, cashier of the Colebrook National bank of Colebrook, had been arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Horner. Cashier Bailey is charged with violation of the national banking laws. The shortage is alleged to be $34,150. The warrant for the cashier's arrest was issued by United States Commissioner Shurtleff, at Concord, and the arrest was made yesterday afternoon. Bailey is said to have allowed over-drafts to 10 depositors.

Railroad Shops Kept Busy.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Railroad Gazette states that during the past year all the contracting locomotive shops in the United States, outside of the railroad shops, constructed 1875 locomotives, as against 1251 last year, an increase of nearly 50 percent. The total output of cars will aggregate 105,158. Of these 1663 were for export. The past year was the best for the car building industry since 1890, the record breaking year, when the total number of freight and passenger cars built by contracting firms was 103,000.

Services Appreciated.

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—Out of respect for the late Senator Morrill of Vermont, and in recognition of the educational value of his services to this country, the Ohio state university, which, with more than 50 other colleges and universities in the United States, owes its beginning to the foresight and wisdom of Mr. Morrill, will hold memorial services, probably during the second or third week of the new term.

Dunn Must Settle.

Boston, Dec. 29.—Frank V. Dunn, a theatrical manager, was fined $500 by Judge Sheldon in the superior criminal court yesterday for libel, and in addition was obliged to make a complete retraction of what reference he made concerning the character and reputation of Lawyer Thomas J. Barry, which reference appeared on the programs distributed to the patrons of the theater.

Victim of Burglars.

Utica, N. Y., Dec. 29.—John Mooney, a young man who was shot by burglars on a farm near Cassville last Friday, died in this city yesterday. A man who is supposed to be one of the burglars was chased and captured after a hard fight and is now in Utica jail. The other man escaped and has not yet been apprehended.

Danger Point Passed.

Madrid, Dec. 29.—Senor Sagasta, who has been suffering from bronchial pneumonia, is much better, and is now considered out of danger. Senor Emilio Castelar, the Republican orator and statesman, who has been confined to his room for some time with a serious pulmonary catarrh, is improving.

Watching French Movements.

Halifax, Dec. 29.—The officials of the dockyards have been informed that during 1899 an increase will be made in the British fishery protection fleet of Newfoundland. This move will be made in view of steps said to have been taken by the French government to strengthen its fleet by adding three ships.

Sang on the Scaffold.

Princeton, Mo., Dec. 29.—Ira Sexton was hanged here yesterday for the killing of Nathan Stark, a young farmer, Oct. 28, 1897, while trying to rob him. Sexton sang two songs and made a speech on the scaffold.

A New Obstacle.

The old obstacles that used to prevent the marriage of loving couples are out of date. The blood-and-thunder villian is a myth nowadays. The cruel father is only a tradition. Distance, absence and shipwreck in these days of cheap, safe and swift transportation do not count. The new obstacle is a common sense one. It is ill-health on one side or the other, and sometimes on both.

Men nowadays hesitate to marry a woman, no matter how beautiful, no matter how attractive, or interesting, or witty, if she is a sufferer from ill-health. All men worth having desire happy, healthy children. Any woman who will, may fit herself for the duties of wifehood and the exalted function of motherhood. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription banishes all hindrance in the nature of local ill-health. It gives health, power and capacity to the delicate and important organs concerned in wifehood and maternity. It corrects all displacements, allays inflammation, heals ulceration, stops exhausting drains and soothes pain. It prepares for natural, healthy motherhood. It makes maternity easy and safe and almost painless. It insures a new-comer constitutionally strong and able to withstand the usual ills of babyhood. It is the greatest of nerve tonics and restoratives. Medicine dealers sell it and an honest dealer will not urge a substitute upon you.

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Loss to Lakeport.

Lakeport, N. H., Dec. 29.—The negotiations which have been in progress looking to a change of ownership of the Halifax mills at this place have fallen through and the plant will not be started. The knitting machinery has been sold to P. Bartlett & Son of Milford, and will be removed to that place at once. These mills were formerly controlled by Dr. J. C. Moore, and up to the time of his financial embarrassment was considered one of the leading industries of the place, manufacturing hosiery, and employing upwards of 300 hands.

Artists Want Representation.

Boston, Dec. 29.—Massachusetts artists, under leadership of members of the profession of Boston, have submitted a petition addressed to the board of managers of the Paris exposition of 1900, in which they plead earnestly for proper representation at the exposition. The petition asks that the power of selecting pictures for exhibition be left in the hands of a local jury to be elected by ballot by Massachusetts artists.

Against Judge and Senator.

Cleveland, Dec. 29.—The charges against Judge Dellenbaugh and Senator Burke were filed in the circuit court yesterday by the committee of the Bar association appointed to prosecute the charges. The charges in each case declare that the accused has been guilty of misconduct in office as an attorney-at-law of the state of Ohio, and has been guilty of unprofessional conduct involving moral turpitude.

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Resorting to Torture.

Seville, Dec. 29.—A number of the recently arrested Carlists, it is rumored, are being tortured to induce them to swear allegiance to King Alfonzo, and to reveal details regarding the Carlist organization. Such reports are, of course, denied officially, but they are believed throughout the country. Detailed stories tend to show that torture is quite common in Spanish prisons.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Georgie A. and Charles C. Rich of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Wilmot V. Everson, dated Dec. 20th, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 804, page 430, which mortgage has been duly assigned to Charles W. Glidden, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, January 17, 1899, at 9 o'clock in the morning, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in said Quincy on the westerly side of Bennington street, being lot numbered twenty-nine (29) on a plan of lands of George H. Field, made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, and duly recorded in Norfolk County Registry, and dated May 4th, 1892, it being the same premises conveyed to Georgie A. Rich by deed of even date from Wilmot V. Everson. Said lot numbered twenty-nine (29) is bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Bennington street and running southeasterly fifty (50) feet; thence turning at an angle of ninety degrees and running southwesterly one hundred twenty-five (125) feet; thence running at a right angle northwesterly fifty (50) feet; thence running northeasterly one hundred twenty-five (125) feet to the point of beginning, containing six thousand two hundred fifty (6,250) square feet.

The above described premises will be sold subject to a mortgage to the Quincy Savings Bank for $1,000 and to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments.

Terms: $200 cash at time and place of sale, other terms at sale.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.5 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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Eastern District.

On and after Oct. 16, 1898, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.

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r 8 26	ad	8 43	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 30	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 17	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 17	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	eba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 05	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
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The Bottom Has Dropped Out

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Christmas Goods.

BARGAINS FOR ONE WEEK.

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I have a few Watches, Clocks, Rings, Pins, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, Cuff Buttons, Silver Novelties and Silverware of all kinds, which I will sell at the regular wholesale price until Jan. 1st, 1899. Come early and get your first choice, as this sale only lasts for a few days.

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Nov. 10. tf

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

NO SIGN OF ALARM.

United States Forces Able to Cope With Those of Insurgents.

Spaniards Were Glad to Get Rid of Philippines.

Congress Will Fight Over Permanent Annexation vs. Temporary Stewardship.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The war department is expecting definite word from General Otis within the next 24 hours as to what has occurred at Iloilo, for by that time General Otis will have heard from General Miller, in command of the American force sent on this expedition. The officials about the war department do not appear to be apprehensive over the results, and there is no evidence of tension or alarm, although it is recognized that the situation at Iloilo is one which may bring about a sharp and possibly a decisive issue between the insurgents and the United States forces. Up to the close of office hours yesterday is was said at the war department that nothing had been received from General Otis bearing on the military situation. All that had come was a reply to an earlier dispatch conveying orders, the reply giving the assurance that definite news could be conveyed within the next 24 hours. What General Miller will do as to taking possession of the city, either with force or without, is not officially disclosed, and indeed it is likely that considerable discretion is lodged with the commanding officer as to what steps should be taken. But in event of a clash between the United States forces and the insurgents, war department officials say there could be no doubt as to the outcome.

Where everything else fails, considerable weight seems to attach, with even the most pronounced and conservative Democrats, to the administration's plea that it has taken the Philippines from Spain "because it could not help it." The facts in support of this argument date as far back as last May. Not a few converts to the expansion idea frankly say that they do not know, or that they would prefer not to inquire at this late stage, whether Admiral Dewey did right in arming the insurgents at the gates of Manila, after he had destroyed the Spanish fleet. The fact remains that he did so, and without consulting the authorities at home. He will doubtless assert—and no one will be able to refute his statements, because no one can put himself exactly in the admiral's position and thus acquire a point of view for complete judgment—that it was a military necessity that he should act as he did after the assistance which he had been compelled to ask of the insurgents in carrying out his naval program.

Setting aside the question of necessity or even of expediency as one which cannot now be raised, a member of the administration is authority for the statement that the diplomatic correspondence, when published, will show that the Spaniards, under the conditions which existed after the early days in May, were not only willing but desirous that the Americans should complete their conquest of the island of Luzon. It was the only hope the beleaguered whites had of salvation from the bloodthirst and rapacity of Aguinaldo's barbarian hordes. The correspondence shows a mere feeble and formal protest, which reads between the lines almost like an appeal.

Luzon having passed into our hands, the administration argues that, by the universal assumption of Americans and foreigners alike, we had constructively captured the Philippine group. On the principle that a bailee, no matter how reluctantly he may have accepted a responsibility, cannot get rid of it by a simple act of will, the president's friends claim that he has no authority to give away, or even to relinquish possession of, the Philippine archipelago. It is congress, they claim, which alone has jurisdiction of such a matter. It was therefore the plain duty of the president to conserve his trust till he could make it over to congress and wash his hands of the whole business. If he had done anything else, his apologists argue, congress would have felt that he had intruded upon its prerogative, and it is even a question whether he would not have been liable to severe criticism. Nobody seems willing to father a guess that extreme measures would have been taken, but it is pointed out that the president could not afford to place himself in a position where trespass on the constitutional rights of the law-making body could have been charged upon him.

It is plain that this line of argument is making great headway among the Democratic contingent. They are evidently getting ready in the senate to raise the cry again that congress should give an undivided support for the president until the last remnants of the war are out of the way; and then, when it comes to deciding what to do with the Philippines, to have its fight over the issues of permanent annexation versus temporary stewardship.

Hydrants "Tied Up"

Holliston, Mass., Dec. 30.—P. Andrews & Sons' big three-story wooden block and a small wooden building adjoining were burned yesterday, causing a loss of nearly $40,000. Owing to a controversy among the town authorities regarding the water supply, the hydrants were not available until both buildings were practically destroyed.

☞ Advertise houses to let in the Ledger.

SENSATIONAL SUICIDE.

Many People Saw Young Greenfield Man Take His Own Life.

Boston, Dec. 30.—Over 200 persons saw Herbert E. Dickinson of Greenfield commit suicide by shooting in the Union station yesterday afternoon, and it was miraculous that no one was hit by two of the bullets, which went wide of the mark. The third bullet, however, lodged in the unfortunate man's brain, and he died three hours later. Dickinson was seen about the station for some time before he committed this act, and he gave every appearance of being under a tremendous nervous strain. The first shot was fired upward, the bullet going through the skylight. The second crashed through a glass window at the top of the inquiry booth, but the third went straight for its intended place—Dickinson's brain.

Greenfield, Mass., Dec. 30.—The young man who killed himself in the Union station at Boston was Herbert S. Dickinson of this town. He was 23 years old, and had been employed at a shoe shop until recently, when, getting out of work, he went to Boston to find a position. It is thought he became despondent over his failure to find employment and decided to end his life. His uncle went to Boston this morning and will bring the body here.

For Morrill's Seat.

Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 30.—The successor of the late Senator Morrill will undoubtedly be appointed by Governor Smith. If the vacancy had occurred during the recent session of the legislature, that body would proceed in joint assembly to elect a senator. The vacancy occurring during a recess of the legislature, the power of appointment rests with the governor. Vermont has many candidates for the senatorship. Among the names most frequently mentioned are ex-Governor Dillingham, ex-Governor Page, Hon. C. S. Prouty, Judge Henry C. Ide and Congressman Grout. The senator, by an unwritten law, will come from the east side, it being the unbroken custom to have a senator from each side of the mountain chain that divides the state. All of the above mentioned candidates are from the east side.

Hello Central!

Give me 84-2, please.

Hello! GOSS & GOULD?

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Will you give me your prices on Provisions?

Certainly. Glad to do so:

Face Rump to roast, 17c
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Sirloin, " 18c
Good Roasts, 10 to 12½c
Best Rump Steak, 28c
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Best Rib Steak, 12½c
Bottom Round, 12½c
Fresh Pork to roast, 8c
Hams, 10c lb
Shoulders, 8c lb
Sausages, 10c lb
Poultry at lowest price.

We also have a full line of First-class Groceries. We will deliver your order promptly. Our store is at 100 Hancock street. We will be glad to see you.

Thank you! I will send you my order, as your prices are lower than I have been paying.

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WILSON'S BIG CLOCK.

Boston, Dec. 2. 1y

NEAR ABSORPTION.

A Toronto Newspaper Sees Uncle Sam Reaching Out For Canada.

Toronto, Dec, 30.—The Toronto World, which opposes the present Liberal government at Ottawa, has a startling editorial under the heading, "Canada on the Brink," in which it warns the people of this country that times are critical so far as the maintenance of Canada as a free, independent and integral portion of North America is concerned.

Unless Canadians, declares The World, are fully alive to the situation and speak out in no uncertain way, they will find themselves between a grasping annexation movement in the United States, having for its end the domination of the whole continent and a great party in England, prepared to make almost any sacrifices to the United States in consideration of some kind of support of England in her race with Russia, France and other European powers.

The World then refers to James H. Wilson's recent speech at Macon, Ga., in which that gentleman expressed the hope that he would see the day when our starry flag shall float everywhere from the frozen north to the sunny clime of Central America.

We believe, The World proceeds, that these words of Mr. Wilson only show too well the opinion of a great number of Americans when once their appetite for expansion is aroused in the direction of the north, and if once they get it into their heads that they only have to go far enough in their game of bluff, which seems to be their best and their strongest card of diplomacy, will force Canada, willy-nilly, into annexation.

In conclusion the paper says: We are nearer to absorption than ever we were. Do Canadians realize it?

Late Election Figures.

Albany, Dec. 30.—The state board of canvassers yesterday canvassed the vote of the state and declared these state officers elected: Governor Roosevelt, plurality 17,786; Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, plurality 9661; Secretary of State McDonough, plurality 15,839; Treasurer Jaeckel, plurality 8664; Comptroller Morgan, plurality 10,964; Attorney General Davies, plurality 12,476; State Engineer Bond, plurality 9682. There was a defective and scattering vote of 9216, much less than in former years. None of the successful candidates had a majority. The socialistic-labor candidates received on an average 25,500 votes. The Prohibitionists received 20,000. Either of these party votes added to the Democratic vote would have defeated the Republican ticket.

Situation at Marlboro.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 30.—Last evening, a crowd of probably 700 gathered in front of the J. A. Frye factory to watch the operatives file out. In anticipation of trouble, City Marshal Curtis sent a squad of 12 officers to the scene. Several hundred strikers followed four operatives nearly a mile, but no violence was offered. Mayor Hoitt, when asked as to whether he should call on the state police, said that the next meeting of the board of aldermen would consider the matter.

Passed Over Veto.

Providence, Dec. 30.—Mayor Baker returned to the board of aldermen yesterday without his approval the resolution directing the New York, New Haven and Hatford Railroad company to remove its rails from certain city streets, and also the resolution and agreement permitting the Union Railroad company to lay rails and operate electric cars for passenger and freight service in these same streets. The board passed both ordinances over his veto.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Lord Salisbury will be asked to protest against differential duties in the Philippines or Cuba.

Christian Diden, one of the oldest members of the reichstag, died at Berlin, in his 89th year.

Eight business houses were destroyed and six stores damaged by a fire at Oberlin, O. Loss, $50,000.

Andrew Leighton, 28 years old, the owner of a large fleet of fishing vessels, dropped dead at Gloucester, Mass., of heart disease.

Thomas Kennedy, who resided with his daughter at Fall River, Mass., wandered into an air hole near the edge of Slade mill pond, and was drowned.

Jim Jeffries has been matched to box 20 rounds with Joe Kennedy at San Francisco Jan. 27. The purse will consist of 60 percent of the gate receipts.

By a treasury department ruling collectors cannot allow a transportation company demurrage charges on cars detained beyond the time allowed for unloading.

Sailing orders have been received at the Boston navy yard for the Detroit to leave for Santiago the instant she is ready. It is expected that she will sail on Sunday.

A blaze started by a newsboy putting a quantity of paper in an old stove in the press room of the Dover (N. H.) Republican caused a damage of $5000 to the building and tenants.

Clay Montgomery, a prominent merchant of Decatur, Ills., and ex-treasurer of Macon county, shot and killed himself in a Chicago hotel. Business troubles are supposed to have been the cause.

The rights of British colonies to manage their internal affairs to suit themselves without interference by imperial authorities is affirmed by Joseph Chamberlain in an official communication to the governor of Newfoundland.

A secret meeting of sewer pipe manufacturers was held at Akron, O., in the interest of the proposed new trust with $30,000,000 capital. Indications favor a successful termination of the conference. Akron manufacturers have blocked the deal heretofore.

To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week
To Strengthen the Nerves in One Week
To Cure Sick Headache in One Day

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

Glenwood Ranges.

The true range for a house. Bakes well, wears well, looks well. That's not all, they are the greatest coal savers on earth.

They cost no more than other ranges when you buy them here—$18.00 to $30.00. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

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New Year's Presents.

Remember That Hats and Bonnets may be purchased at Greatly Reduced Prices.

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EVERY KIND OF COAL. KIND OF WOOD.

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Quincy, Dec. 21. tf

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	36	45	24	17
Monday	33	29	32	35
Tuesday	41	38	35	19
Wednesday	24	39	22	27
Thursday	31	44	22	40
Friday	—	45	46	43
Saturday	—	44	40	45

New Advertisements Today.

G. B. Bates—Stoves and ranges.
Administratrix's notice.
W. C. T. U.—Annual meeeting.

Good Afternoon.

Just one-half of the letters of the alphabet will be represented in the next City Council, although there are twenty-three members.

As Mayor of this city, Mr. Keith has an opportunity to distinguish himself which comes to few men. As a Democratic nominee nobody understood better than himself at the opening of the campaign that, if elected, it would be by Republican votes, practically making him a citizen's Mayor. Over 500 Republican votes were thrown for him at the recent election. To the Republican party equally with the Democratic, he owes the bestowal upon himself of the highest honor within the gift of the citizens of this municipality.

Mr. Keith is a man of sterling integrity. He is also a man of comparative leisure; one who can devote a large share of his time to the multifarious duties of his office. As a Democrat by long party affiliation it is natural to suppose that his tendencies, both as to appointments and other administrative duties will lean in that direction. There seems to be a strong belief that the city government, especially the administrative offices will be exploited for the benefit of the Democratic party. If Mr. Keith, who will be a citizens' Mayor, adopts the suggestions and bends to the will of his party managers, his failure as a citizen's Mayor and defeat at the polls next year is just as sure to come as the sun is to rise. On the other hand, if he gives this city a clean, business administration, largely non-political in its character, and appoints men to the various offices for their especial fitness for the places to be filled, regardless of their party affiliations, there is no apparent reason why he cannot be re-elected for an indefinite period. There is no man in this city, and we speak advisedly, better equipped to carry out a policy on these lines than Harrison A. Keith.

The Boulevard.

Although nothing has been heard of late in regard to the proposed Quincy boulevard, the matter has not been allowed to drop. The committee appointed some time ago by Mayor Sears to obtain an estimate in regard to the land damages, have been hard at work. This work has been about completed, all districts with one exception having reported their estimate. But for good reasons the figures will not be made public at present. As soon as the figures are all in the hearing before the Metropolitan Park Commission will be continued.

People's Course.

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Dec. 19. 1mlp

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THE NEW TIMETABLE

Three New Trains and One an Express to Boston.

As though to accommodate those who do not rise early on Sundays for their brown bread and beans, the first train to Boston on Sundays and the first train into the new Southern Terminal will run half an hour later than anticipated, as will be seen by the new timetable of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, which goes into effect on Sunday, Jan 1.

The Sunday train heretofore leaving Quincy for Boston at 7.12 A. M. will leave at 7.42, and it will enter the Terminal at 8.02. The 8.12 will also leave half an hour later (8.42), while the 9.12 will continue as now. A new express is added at 9.33 which will make the trip in eighteen minutes. The only other inward Sunday trains which will be changed will be the 1.12 which will leave at 1.27 and arrive at 1.47. The 5.12, 7.12, 8.08 and 10.08 will continue as at present.

There will be a change in all the Sunday trains from Boston. The present 6.30 is dropped and one at 7.28 substituted. The 8.30 will leave at 8.58, the 12.30 at 12.43, the 4.30 and 5.30 each two minutes earlier, the 6.30 at 6.58, and the 8.30 and 10.30 each two minutes earlier.

On week days there will be no change in the time of departure of the Quincy trains to Boston, but there will be an additional train at 9.34 P. M. which also stops at Quincy Adams, Wollaston, Norfolk Downs, Atlantic, Neponset, Pope's Hill and Harrison Square, arriving in the Terminal at 10.02. The time of arrival will be two minutes later, but many expect to reach their work a little earlier, although some will be considerably later.

All the outward trains for Quincy will leave Boston two minutes earlier, and arrive at the same time as at present. An additional train which will be much appreciated by theatre goers will leave Boston at 10.58 P. M. stopping at Harrison Square, Pope's Hill, Neponset, Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Wollaston, Quincy, Quincy Adams and Braintree. It will reach Quincy at 11.27, and although on the road 29 minutes it will save a wait of 30 minutes in Boston, and people will get home earlier.

West Quincy will have a train from the new Terminal before Quincy, the 7.16 A. M. on Sunday which will be No. 5017 and leave on track No. 5.

The 7.42 from Quincy on Sunday will arrive on track No. 7.

On Sunday there will be 63 regular trains in and out, and on week days 252.

See timetable in full advertised in this issue.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Eastern District.

On and after Jan. 1, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdef	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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SUNDAYS.

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r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
9 33	xx	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams, (xx), Express.

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NOTICE

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PATRONS OF BOWLING ALLEYS.

Why not come and join the Granite Street Bowling Club and get your bowling for 2 cents a string after Jan. 1, 1899. For further particulars call and see S. A. NEAL, proprietor of Granite Street Alleys.

Quincy, Dec. 27. 5t

National Granite Bank.

QUINCY, MASS., December 2, 1898.

THE Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, Mass., will be held on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1899, in the Banking Rooms, at 3.30 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and he transaction of any other business, that may egally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 2, 1898. 1-33t—p-6w

THE DEDICATION.

Formal Opening of New Southern Terminal.

The attendance at the dedication of the new Southern Terminal in Boston this afternoon will embrace the largest number of prominent railroad officials that ever before visited the city on a single occasion. From New Haven will come all the chief officers of the Consolidated system, while the twenty odd division superintendents will also be present. The high officials of all the lines operating in New England and their connections have been invited, and it is expected that many of them will reply in person.

Mayor Sears and the editors of the Quincy newspapers are included among the guests.

A large platform has been set up in the main waiting room, from which the mayor and others taking part in the dedicatory exercises will make their addresses. Music will be a feature.

The station was orginally estimated to cost $12,000,000, a large part of which has been paid in, and probably as much as $2,000,000 more will be required before it is completed. These are large sums, but as construction has been under the keen observance of the companies, it is not likely that much of the money spent has been wasted, and the speed which has been made in bringing such a gigantic work so near to completion at this time is highly commendable.

It will doubtless afford the average Bostonian some satisfaction to be able to say to those whom he may meet on his travels, or to the stranger within his gates, that his city has the largest railroad station in the world, equipped with the latest application of steam and electricity to the conveniences of the public. Previous to the construction of this station the area of whose roof is about twelve acres, or a quarter that of Boston Common, the Union Station in St. Louis was the largest railroad passenger station in this country, being 630 feet long and 600 feet wide, with tracks for thirty trains. This now takes second place before the new wonder, which is 710 feet in length, and 650 wide, with a trackage for thirty trains.

Tomorrow all who wish may avail themselves of a similar privilege, for it has been arranged to have the station open all day Saturday for an inspection by the public.

POINTS OF INTERESTS.

The Post summarizes considerable information in these brief paragraphs:

Main entrance 100 feet wide, corner of Atlantic avenue and Summer street.

Entrance on Atlantic avenue.

Entrance on Summer street.

From main entrance the ticket-offices, forty in number, are to the left, back of the tracks.

Waiting room near main entrance to the left, door this side of ticket office.

Carriage concourse corner Summer street and Dorchester avenue and farthest point on midway from main entrance.

Men's smoking room next to carriage concourse.

Ladies' waiting room off general waiting room, to the left.

Telegraph office next to main entrance, to the left.

Track No. 1 is at main entrance.

Track No. 28 is at the end of midway.

Outward baggage rooms on Atlantic avenue.

Inward baggage rooms on Dorchester avenue.

Railroad offices to the right, on Atlantic avenue side.

Parcel room at right of main entrance.

Entrance to lower tracks for suburban trains on Summer street and Atlantic avenue.

Barber shop next to smoking room on Summer street.

Restaurant next to barber shop.

Annexation of Cuba.

It is with telling force that the New York Tribune quotes against Mr. Charles Francis Adams this utterance of his distinguished grandfather in 1823:

"It is scarcely possible to resist the conviction that the annexation of Cuba to our Federal republic will be indispensable to the continuance and integrity of the Union itself.

But there are laws of political as well as physical gravitation, and if an apple, severed by the tempest from its native tree, cannot choose but fall to the ground, Cuba, forcibly disjointed from its unnatural connection with Spain, and incapable of self-support can gravitate only toward the North American Union, which, by the same law of nature, cannot cast her off from its bosom."

It is obvious that John Quincy Adams in his time was a man who would be stigmatized now as a "jingo" and "imperialist." But so, for that matter, were all of the earlier American statesmen whose names have survived the wear and tear of three-quarters of a century.—Boston Journal.

—Somebody estimates that this country spends forty-five million dollars a year for toys.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Swearing off this year will be harder
For some than it usually has been:
Because they wont want to break Sunday
And must wait a whole day to begin.

Warmer today.

A thaw at sunrise.

Decidedly warmer.

"Pease give me a calendar?"

"The Confederate Spy" tonight.

Everybody is complaining of a cold in the head.

The Crescent Avenue suicide has been identified.

There was a very heavy white frost early this morning.

Hop Long Lee has moved into his new quarters corner of Arnold sreet.

The T. R. & S. Co. factory has shut down for two days to take account of stock.

The young son of Mr. John Heuss, who has been seriously ill, is reported as somewhat better.

The new timetable of the New Haven road into the new Southern Terminal is published in today's Ledger.

Twenty men are employed today on the ledge at Jefferson Thayer's quarry at Quincy Neck, getting out stone for the State dock contract.

Many Quincy people are at the dedication this afternoon of the new Southern Terminal in Boston, an event long to be remembered.

A Wollaston business man in speaking of the change now being made in the fence, remarked:—It is about time the road got a "gate on."

Mr. Clarence Lincoln of Clive street, Atlantic, is lying dangerously ill with pneumonia and his family who are in the west have been called home.

The officers of Francis L. Souther camp, No. 27, Sons of Veterans, and Ladies' Auxiliary hold a meeting on Tuesday evening next in Plumer's hall.

Fully 150 persons, youths and maidens, were on the ice last night at the South street meadow, enjoying the skating, but this morning the ice is covered with water.

Charles Alden, the new Councilman from Ward Six, will head the list on roll-calls of the City Council. This is one of the times when it is not so desirable to be well up in the alphabet.

Hodenosaunee tribe of Red Men will meet next Thursday evening, and chiefs will be raised to their stumps by Deputy Great Sachem J. Frank Gardner of Rockland. Several applications are expected.

Mrs. Maria Louise, wife of Mr. W. A. Ross, died at her home on Hancock street, Braintree, about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, after an illness of about a week. Mrs. (Carver) Ross was born in Quincy in 1849.

The postponed lecture of Booker T. Washington to the Quincy Teachers' Association will take place at the Quincy High School Thursday evening, Jan. 5. No admission will be charged, but a collection will be taken.

The trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library held their closing meeting of 1898 on Thursday evening, and balanced their books. They find themselves within their appropriation, although the amount was reduced this year.

Mr. Hugh Jones of Quincy Neck has returned from Klondike, and has brought home some specimens of quartz and minerals from the earth there and some small nuggets. He has purchased a small claim and intends to return again in the spring.

Thieves have recently stolen over 300 feet of the street railway trolley wire at Norfolk Downs. Hereafter the current will be turned on the trolley lines at all times; both night and day, and it will be like playing with a buzz saw to monkey with it.

The Old Farmer's Almanac, and also a good supply of diaries, for 1899 can be found at Souther's periodical store. Who can live without this favorite old almanac, and what is better than a diary to commence the new year. Go to Souther's and examine his fine stock.

William A. Jordan of Wollaston, Great Senior Sagamore of Massachusetts, will raise up the chiefs of Nucataquissett tribe of Milton on Jan. 4, Sippican tribe of New Bedford on the 6th, and Mirimichi tribe of North Attleboro on the 11th. The later will be public.

Mr. Samuel W. Spear, one of Quincy's well known residents, died at his home at 51 Hancock street this morning after an illness of several years' duration. He was a member of the Knights of Honor, Knights and Ladies of Honor, and Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., having served during the rebellion in the 1st Heavy Artillery. He was about 56 years of age and leaves one daughter.

GOLD STANDARD MEN

Will Have Majority In Senate Finance Committee After March 4.

Allison Likely to Succeed Morrill as Chairman.

Something About Senators Who Have Been Long In Continuous Service.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Senator Morrill's death makes vacant the chairmanship of the senate committee on finance. This is the most important committee of that body, and corresponds to both the ways and means and the coinage, weights and measures of the house. The ranking member of that committee is now Mr. Allison of Iowa, with Mr. Aldrich of Rhode Island next. Mr. Allison is chairman of the committee on appropriations, and should he retire from that to become head of the finance committee, Mr. Hale of Maine would be left at the head of the appropriations.

The finance committee will undergo considerable change after the 4th of March. Two of its members, White and Turpie, will be succeeded in the senate by Republicans. Since the committee was last organized, Mr. Walthall of Mississippi has died. This makes three vacancies to be filled, besides that caused by the death of Mr. Morrill. All four will probably go to Republicans, as the present committee stands nine to five in favor of free silver. That is an extraordinary arrangement for even the present senate, and it would be much more so for the next one, where the gold forces will have a majority of 18.

If these three places are taken away from the silver Democracy and given to gold Republicans, the committee would stand eight to six for the gold standard, and even that would be a smaller ratio than the proportions of the chamber justify. The composition of this committee in the past has been responsible for much of the legislation of the senate during its period of free silver control. Before the campaign of 1896 resulted in the division of the two parties wholly on the financial issue, this committee was made up of seven Republicans and seven Democrats. These seven Democrats, in the present congress, have all been free silver men, while two of those classed as Republicans, Jones of Nevada and Wolcott of Colorado, have been on the same side. This has left only Morrill, Allison, Aldrich, Platt and Burrows to represent the gold standard.

There will be considerable interest taken in the selection of a successor to Senator Morrill. The governor of Vermont, upon whom the duty will doubtless fall, has it in his power to make a vote either for or against the peace treaty. It might happen that this one vote would turn the scale for this session, although the administration professes complete confidence in its ability to secure two-thirds vote at short order. Without doubt, Mr. Morrill would have voted against the treaty. He held out against Hawaiian annexation, and his record had been consistent throughout on this question.

Senator Chandler will succeed to Senator Morrill's desk in the senate. It is in the front row, and the position is quite advantageous.

The death of Senator Morrill leaves Allison of Iowa and Jones of Nevada the oldest members of the senate in point of continuous service. They became members of that body in 1873, and took their oath of office at the special session called to confirm the nominations made by President Grant at the opening of his second term. Mr. Cockrell of Missouri is the only man left of those who came in in 1875. George F. Hoar of Massachusetts and John T. Morgan of Alabama became senators in 1877, with the beginning of the Hayes administration. Platt of Connecticut and Vest of Missouri entered the senate in 1879. These seven men are the only ones of the 90 who have continuously served in the senate since a date prior to 1880. Stewart of Nevada, Turpie of Indiana and Teller of Colorado go back to years before the eighties, but their service has been interrupted. Mr Stewart became a member of the senate in 1864, when Nevada was admitted to statehood, but has served continuously only since 1887. Mr. Turpie was elected to the senate to fill the unexpired term of Jesse D. Bright, in 1863, but his continuous service dates, like that of Mr. Stewart, from 1887. Mr. Teller came to the senate when his state was admitted to the Union in 1876. He left that body, however, to become secretary of the interior under President Arthur. Considering the reputation which the senate has as a land of steady habits, it is rather remarkable that so few men have a history in that body extending over 20 years.

To Be Buried In Vermont.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The committee of senators named by the vice president to accompany the remains of Senator Morrill to Vermont consists of Messrs. Proctor, Allison, Cockrill, Hoar, Morgan, Gorman, Cullom, Vest, J. P. Jones, Turpie, Aldrich, Gray, Chandler, Faulkner, Fairbanks, Walcott. The house committee announced by Speaker Reed is: Representatives Grout, Powers, Hitt, Dingley, McCalla, Grow, Bankhead, Catchings, Richardson, Foss and Joseph Wheeler. The special train which will bear the remains to Vermont will consist of three cars. From Jersey City the train will go north over the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad to Montpelier. The remains will be taken to the cemetery there and placed in a vault pending removal to the mausoleum now under construction at Strafford, Vt., their final resting place. A number of senators and representatives besides the regularly appointed committees expect to go on the funeral train.

☞Piney Woods Inn at Southern Pines, N. C., the winter health resort has opened for the winter season and announces the annual banquet in honor of the Commercial Travelers, to be held at the hotel, Monday evening, January 9th.

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Deserters Captured.

Webster, Mass., Dec. 29.—Charles S. Corbin and Israel P. Dion of this town, who belong to company G, Third Connecticut volunteers, were arrested on a charge of desertion, and were taken yesterday to Fort Trumbull, New London, and there delivered to the officers. The men will be sent to Somerville, N. C., where they will be tried by court-martial. The men deserted Dec. 1, and, being without money, worked themselves home, arriving here on the 24th. Dion is married and has one child.

Warner In Court.

Northampton, Mass., Dec. 29.—Lewis Warner, the defaulting bank president, was placed on trial yesterday afternoon in the Hampshire county superior court. A jury was empanelled as soon as court convened. The men selected, with one exception, are residents of towns outside of Northampton. Many objections were taken by the defense. Warner's appearance was pitiable, and at times it was necessary for the deputy sheriff to support him.

Twins Were Killed.

Portsmouth, O., Dec. 29.—Two weeks ago the bodies of two children, about 6 months old, were found under a stump in a hollow near this city. The matter was kept a secret. The coroner yesterday charged Miss Rachael Glenn, a girl of 20, with the wilful murder of her twin children, and her mother and sister, Sarah, with aiding in the crime. The Glenns are prominent farmers. The three women will be arrested.

Supreme Court Records Missing.

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—A local paper says: Supreme Court Clerk Ward has discovered carelessness in the handling of the supreme court records of this state. Hundreds of thousands of important cases are missing, and it is doubtful if they can ever be replaced. The papers involve millions of dollars.

Objections to Morrison.

Omaha, Dec. 29.—The standing committee of the diocese of Nebraska has decided to refuse its canonical consent to the consecration of Dr. Morrison as bishop of Iowa.

Easy Enough.

The old man sighed as he took the golden haired, laughing little boy upon his knee, and, stroking his shining tresses, said, "Ah, how much I should like to feel like a child again!"

Little Johnny ceased his laughter, and, looking up in his grandfather's face, remarked, "Then why don't you get mamma to spank you?"—Exchange.

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MILTON.

The fire department was called out at 8 o'clock Wednesday night to battle a stubborn fire in the large barn on the T. Edwin Ruggles estate off School street. There are two large barns upon the estate which are only separated by about eighteen inches. The fire started from some unknown cause in the smaller of the two, which was destroyed. By hard work, the second barn was saved. In the burned building was upwards of twenty-five tons of hay, which was also lost. The cattle were got safely out. The loss will be about $1,200.

The railroad gates at East Milton, which were smashed during the storm the early part of the month, have been repaired.

Rev. Archy D. Ball will preach next Sunday at the East Milton Congregational church. The subject for his morning sermon will be: "The Message of Life," and that for the evening: "A Plea for Leaders."

Chief Engineer Choate, who has been sick with the grip, is about again.

The two-year-old son of Mr. William H. Welsh died quite suddenly last Sunday of pneumonia.

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Robert Robertson and Miss Turner of Milton.

The Christmas festival of the Episcopal Mission church was held Wednesday evening and was a very enjoyable affair. A large tree was provided, upon which were presents for all the Sunday School. Refreshments were also served and a general good time enjoyed.

Mr. Reynolds gave an interesting talk to the Thursday Evening club last week, on Spain and France. The talk was illustrated with the stereopticon.

The scarlet fever cases are all reported as improving.

Henry E. Sheldon and son are in New York this week.

Mr. James Gibbs is quite ill with rheumatism.

A little early yet, but local politics are beginning to warm up.

Among the Magazines.

Captain Mahran, in The Engineering Magazine for January, gives a world-wide interest to "The Relations of the United States to their New Dependencies." He depicts the two great colonial policies of recent times—Spanish extortion, decline, and disaster, and British beneficence, development, and strong federation. He draws a lesson as to government of minor nations, and the maintenance of the sea power under whose guardianship industry thrives. He shows how to lay securely the foundations of a numerous and contented population, and of ample resources, upon which power can securely rest. Mr. Warren has a stirring paper on "The Fighting Engineers at Santiago," disclosing startling facts.

The complete novel in January issue of Lippincott's is "The Mystery of Mr. Cain," by Miss Lafayette McLaws, daughter of the Confederate general of that name. The scene is in Georgia, and the plot is so uncommon that to reveal it would be unfair to the reader. "The Other Mr. Smith" is a society story—but of the unconventional kind—by Ellen Douglas Deland.

In no way is the march of progress better realized than by a comparison of the early an modern modes of travel, and a study of the development of the street railway system in a city like Boston. The completion of the subway has led Mr. George G. Crocker of the Boston Transit Commission, to make such a comparative study, and he contributes to the January issue of the New England Magazine a capital article on "Passenger Traffic of Boston and the Subway," which is accompanied by many fine illustrations. "It would have been simply impossible," he says, "at the beginning of the century to have predicted this wonderful development in transportation. It is equally impossible for us to the end of the nineteenth century to predict what will happen in the twentieth." Warren F. Kellogg, 5 Park Square, Boston, Mass.

It is hard to determine what is the most attractive feature of the January Woman's Home Companion, which starts into the New Year with a list of writers of exceptional ability. Fiction abounds, and the stories are up to the best standard of literary excellence. A new department of short storis, entitled "The Leisure Half Hour," contains the winning story in the recent contest. Mrs. Burton Harrison's new serial, "The Charcellini Emerald," a New York society romance, displays the author's ripest talents, and Lilian Bell is at her very best in her clever flings at English obtusity when describing her experiences in London.

☞The Receivers of the Massachusetts Benefit Life Association are sending out notices to all claimants on the "approved" list, telling them that checks for the 20 per cent. dividend will go forward Jan. 9, 1899, this being 30 days after the approval of the payment of a dividend by the court. There will be about 450 checks, and about a quarter of a million dollars will be paid out.

WEYMOUTH.

On Sunday morning at Trinity church, Weymouth, Rev. William Hyde will preach on "The Divine Child in the Temple, and Lessons Therefrom." In addition to the services in Weymouth, he will also preach and hold service in Gardner Street chapel, South Hingham at 2.45 P. M.

Miss Agnes Hyde left Weymouth Thursday for a professional trip in the west. She will fill a three weeks' engagement in Indiana in plays and dramatic readings.

False Religions.

L. A. Phippeny in reviewing the development of false religions and isms in The Signs of the Times, the great religious journal of the West, criticises "modern christianity" quite as severely as "Christian Science."

Of the former he says: "But it is well recognized that the popular Christianity of the closing years of this nineteeth century is far removed from the faith of its Author. It lacks the life. This condition is deplored by those who would be its friends, and exulted over by its enemies. There are many reasons for the deterioration, chief of which is the waning of faith in the Bible as the only inspired revelation of God to man. The weightiest factor in producing this condition is the attitude of a large majority of the professed ministers of Christ. In place of the Word, the teachings of a changeable science are publicly advocated, with the result, inculcation of doubt in the minds of millions prone to gauge their faith by that of their pastors. This is in harmony with the constant purpose of Satan ever since the fall of man. As the centuries have rolled by, and the race has departed more and more from God, its knowledge of Him and of His love has been lost in the mazes of fables. And so it is that against the Scriptures of truth are brought to bear, in these latter days, the most delusive sophistries with disastrous effect.

After considering Evolution, Higher Criticism, Buddhism and Theosophy, he says of Christian Science:

"Involved in the same thought of self-salvation, which is becoming so prevalent nowadays is the principal at the foundation of Christian Science. The world is full of misery and sorrow because of sin and bodily sickness, and whatever promises relief is eagerly sought after. Christian Science presents an attractive name, and its promises draw large numbers who are afflicted with disease. The system is based on peculiar interpretations which give to the teachings of Scripture a spiritualized meaning. It holds that all sin and sickness are mental only, and that by following certain rules which it lays down, these ailments will be mentally banished. Beyond question, marvelous cures are effected through this medium, but as we compare its teachings with the great Standard, we must unhesitatingly place it among systems of error. The Word reveals the existence of a power other than God, capable of healing disease, and which will in these last days point to the signs attending its disciples as evidence that they are the true ministers of Christ. This plain testimony concerning another power, Christian Science and like systems deny by giving to it a spiritualized interpretation. But in the Word itself is divine healing, full and complete, for soul and body, without interpretation or spiritalization of simple a plain language. Follow its direction. There is power in the Lord."

Other isms touched upon are Hypnotism, Spiritism, Psychical Research, and The True Light.

$100,000 Stone Job.

McNeil Bros. were the lowest bidders at $108,480, for building a $150,000 stone high service pumping station and gate house at Spot Pond, near the Ravine Road in Melrose for the Metropolitan Water Board.

TODAY'S COURT.

Archibald McNeil was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued two weeks.

Henry F. Rooney was arraigned for assault on Moses J. McGauchy at Randolph. He was fined $5.

The continued case of Frank E. Norton, for the larceny of two rings from Mrs. Frances Jellenick at Quincy, was heard. He was found guilty and sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

The continued cases of John J. Connell for assault on his wife at Quincy was called and again continued one month.

The case against Daniel J. Cronin, for the violation of the liquor law, was continued until next Monday.

—There are it is claimed, 199,900,000 old style copper pennies somewhere. Nobody knows what has become of them, except that once in a while a single specimen turns up in change. A few years ago 4,500 000 bronze two-cent pieces were set afloat. Three million of them are still outstanding but are never seen. A million of three-cent silver pieces are scattered over the United States, but it is very rarely that one comes across one of them. Of the 800,000 one-half-cent pieces not one has been returned to the Government for coinage or is held by the treasury.

THAT EMBALMED BEEF.

Board of Inquiry Will Probably Investigate the Matter.

Further Revelations Are Coming to Light.

Miles' Vigorous Denunciations Substantiated by Reports of Officers.

Washington, Dec. 30.—General Miles has played a higher card than Commissary General Egan by quietly referring the whole "embalmed beef" scandal to the inspector general. He took this legitimate and strictly military course after writing a reply to General Egan's demand that the general commanding the army should avow or disavow certain statements made in his testimony before the investigating committee.

General Eagan's plan was to get a hearing before the investigating commission, make reply to General Miles' charges, and then put General Miles in the attitude of responding to a charge made by a subaltern.

General Miles saw through the trick. The general said: "I do not propose to enter into any discussion of the matter except to say that when I found the troops were being supplied with food not fit to eat, it was my duty to find out who was responsible for it."

This controversy between General Eagan and Major General Miles has led to a singular revelation. This beef was first sent to Porto Rico on the Manitoba. The story is that the commissary general's officer in charge tried to land it. General Miles ordered this agent back on board, and told him not to unload the beef. Some of the beef had got ashore, but the large quantity of 290,000 pounds came back to New York, and was either fed to the fishes or supplied to the soap factories.

The company which sent it says it must be paid for the meat. The claim involves almost $27,000 worth of responsibility. The question before the department is: Is General Miles responsible, or is the commissary general to be held?

There is a well founded report in the office of the secretary of war that Alger will appoint a board of inquiry to investigate the matter, not so much because of the amount, but because of the high officials involved.

The war investigating commission held only a short session yesterday, devoted to executive business. There were no witnesses ready for examination.

The commission yesterday made public a synopsis of the reports of officers to General Miles on results obtained from the use of canned, fresh roast beef in campaigns in Cuba and Porto Rico. These reports were submitted by General Miles when he gave his testimony last week, and were presented in substantiation of his vigorous denunciation of the canned beef. A synopsis of the reports as furnished follows:

Commanding officer, Fourth infantry, Major Baker—The beef seemed to be of inferior quality, and was anything but palatable. Quite a number of men could not and did not eat it.

Commanding officer, Sixth infantry, Lieutenant Colonel Miner—The meat was utterly unfit as an article of diet for either sick or well. It had no nutriment in it, and turned the stomachs of the men who tried to eat it.

Commanding officer, Ninth infantry, Colonel Powell—The meat produced disordered stomachs, was not nutritious, soon became putrid, and in many of the cans was found in course of putrification when opened.

Commanding officer, Twelfth infantry, Major Humphreys—The meat presented such a repulsive appearance that men turned from it in disgust. "Nasty" is the only term that will fitly describe its appearance. Its use produced diarrhoea and dysentery.

Commanding officer, Thirteenth infantry, Colonel Smith—Many complaints were made concerning the meat. It was found very unpalatable and was unfi for issue to troops.

Commanding officer, Seventeenth infantry, Major O'Brien—The nutritious juices having been cooked out of the meat, it was neither nourishing nor palatable. It was often nauseating and unfit for use. It should no longer be issued.

Commanding officer, Second battalion, Twenty-first infantry, Captain Duncan—The meat soon spoiled, after opening the cans; the men tire of it, and it is not a proper food. It is not equal in any way to canned corn beef.

Commanding officer, Twenty-second infantry, Major Van Horne—The meat issued was nothing more than refuse, after various kinds of soup had been extracted from it. Further issues of it should not be made.

Commanding officer, Thirty-third cavalry, Major Jackson—The meat for canning was too fat, and as an article of diet soon became nauseating to a large majority of the men. If made of good beef and properly seasoned it might be satisfactory.

Commanding officer, Second artillery, Colonel Haskin—The meat was generally disliked, was soft, watery and insipid, agreeable to neither eye or taste. The men could only be induced to eat it when prepared as a stew.

Commanding officer, Fifth artillery, Lieutenant Colonel McCrea—The meat was unpalatable, because of excess of fat in it. Its appearance was black and stringy, and none of the men liked it. When prepared as a stew it was more palatable. If less fat, and mixed with vegetables, it would deserve further trial.

Commanding officer, light battery, First artillery, Captain Best—The appearance of the meat was not inviting. The men soon tired of it.

Commanding officer, Twenty-fourth infantry, Major Thompson—After a few days the meat becomes unpalatable, the men become disgusted with it, and will not eat it.

Commanding officer, First cavalry brigade, Brigadier General Viele—The meat was a miserable apology for food in a hot climate—a slimy looking mass of beef scraps—unpalatable to the taste and repulsive to the sight. Competition for the contracts placed the price so low that only tailings and scraps were used for canning.

Officers of Ninth cavalry—Very unsatisfactory; men soon tire of it, and will only eat it when they have nothing else.

Capitol Gleanings.

The postmaster at San Francisco has called attention to the large amount of mail accumulating there under the mistaken notion that domestic postage applies to Hawaii. Letters for residents of Hawaii still require the international postage of 5 cents per half ounce, though all mail to people in the United States military or naval service is transmissible at domestic rates.

The postoffice department announces it is now issuing the 10-cent ordinary stamp in brown, the 4-cent ordinary stamp in red, brown or copper red, and the 15-cent ordinary stamp in olive green.

The contract for a floating quarantine station for the United States marine hospital service was awarded to the Kensington ship and engine building works of Philadelphia. The station is to be utilized at Havana, and the cost of construction will be about $70,000.

The president has directed that the several executive departments and the government printing office be closed at 11 o'clock tomorrow on account of the funeral of the late Senator Morrill.

The postmaster general yesterday signed an order accepting as private mailing cards both the Canadian mailing cards, bearing United States stamps and mailed on this side of the line, and the United States cards mailed in Canada with Canadian postage.

An Important Discovery.

Provincetown, Mass., Dec. 30.—While fishing three miles northeast of Race Point life saving station yesterday afternoon, two fishermen had their lines caught and parted by some wreckage on or near the bottom, and it is believed here that the hull or some heavy portion of a vessel is sunk at that point. The water where the men were fishing is about 25 fathoms deep, and as they were not fishing on the bottom it seems likely that the wreck is of some size. The fishermen buoyed the spot, and a party will go out from here to make further investigation. As one or two vessels other than the Portland are known to have gone down in this vicinity in the storm of Nov. 27, it is just as likely that the wreckage may be from those vessels as from the long-sought-for Portland.

Warning to Cubans.

Havana, Dec. 30.—No procession or open air assemblages of bands of Cuban soldiers will be allowed in Havana during the first week of January. The plans of the patriotic committees for a dinner to the soldiers in the Prado, a civic parade and five days of public demonstration will not be permitted. No Cuban soldiers, except as individuals, can enter Havana. Should General Gomez and an armed following, large or small, attempt to reach this city they will be turned back. The American military administration is determined not to allow conditions favorable to an ebullition of violence. General Brooke is determined that no outrages upon the retiring or remaining Spaniards will be allowed to occur and no Spanish stores will be sacked if the Americans can prevent it.

Tempest In Teapot.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The grand jury investigation of bribery in the city council is at an end. After a day and a half of earnest effort, the grand jury was unable to develop any evidence upon which to base indictments. Nearly every member of the city council was before the grand jury yesterday, and at the end of the day's work Foreman Goodkin of the grand jury said: "We found no tangible evidence of bribery or attempted bribery, and the investigation is practically closed unless something definite comes to the surface today, which is unlikely."

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of

RICHARD J. LARKIN,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ANNIE E. LARKIN, Adm'x.

(Address) Hancock St., cor. of Gilmore St.
Quincy, Mass., Dec. 14, 1898. 3t 30-6-13

Are the Women Bashful?

Some Young women are bashful. They are afraid to go into a Clothing store to trade. Bless you! a clothing store is one of the easiest places in the world to get acquainted in. All you've got to do is to come in and you feel at home the minute you get in. You can go around and look at things all alone if you want to and you are always sure to find things that a man wants. The only trouble is you won't feel acquainted with such prices if you come into our store.

You'll see two thousand Ties strung out in all the swell styles and shapes at 25c.—Puffs, Techs, Imperials, Strings, Band, Bow and Four-in-Hands. These are the kind the dry goods stores sell for 37c, marked down from 75c. If you want the kind they sell for 25c., you'll see them here, too, only at 19c.

You'll see the swellest line of Umbrellas you ever saw at $3.00 for $5.00 ones, down to 98c. for $1.50 ones.

You'll see so many things that men want that you'll wish you had more friends to buy for. Come in and get acquainted—not with us particularly, but with our prices on Suspenders, Hosiery, Arm Bands, Mufflers, and the hundred and one things that men want. You'll be glad you saw us.

QUINCY CLOTHING CO. NEXT DOOR TO MUSIC HALL EXTRANCE.

LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Also the Amount of Each Persons Tax Bill for 1898.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

[Continued from Saturday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FIVE.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Harrington, William A., Boston, 5,391, Hamden circle, $350.	4 50
Hatch, Abbott L., Boston, 5,000, East Elm ave., $200. 7,000, Sachem, 200. 5,000, " 250.	11 70
Hatch, William A., Boston, 5,000, Sachem, $200.	3 60
Hastings, Eliza M., Boston, 5,250, Willow, $350.	6 30
Hayes, Mrs. Sydney, Boston, 6,473, Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Hawse, Charles W., Boston. 5,000, West Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Henry, Lizzie N., Boston. 1-2 acre, off Beale, $750.	13 60
Hicks, Herbert, Boston, 4,200, Beach, $400.	7 20
Hilbert, Thomas, Boston, 6,890, West Elm, $500.	9 00
Hinckley, Judith A., Boston, 5,250, Morton, $450.	8 10
Hooper, Abbie E., Boston, 3,486, Beach, $300.	39 50
Howe, Thomas J., Boston, 5,000, Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Hunt, Benjamin F., Jr., Boston, 21,813, Sec. 4, $1,000. 14,006, " 4, 500. 12,205, " 4, 600. 5,068, " 6, 800. 7,793, " 1, 1,300.	75 60
Hubbard, Mary, Boston, 11,250, Sec. 1, $1,750.	31 50
Ingolls, F. P., Boston, 10,875, Sec. 4, $450.	8 10
Inslee, Robert E., Boston, 6,473, Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Jenkins, Lucy E., Boston, 5,000, Sec. 6, $350. 5,000, " 6, $300.	11 70
Journal Newspaper Co., Boston, 5,000, West Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Kane, Alice N., Boston, 4,300, Davis, $400. 10,384, " $800.	21 60
Kendall, Charles A., Boston, 11,250, Sec. 4, $450. 11,250, " 4, 400. 11,250, " 4, 400. 14,334, " 2, 1,100.	42 30
Kendall, Clementina, Boston, 3,478, Morse, $150.	2 70
Kennedy, Bridget, Boston, 3,387, Eustis, $275.	4 95
Kimball, Robert W. W., Boston, 4,980, Huntington sq., $300.	5 40
Kingsley, John J. W., Boston, 5,000, Sec. $350.	6 30
Kirwin, William, Boston, 5,000, Copely, $250.	4 50
Kamer, Louis, Boston, 5,000, Hamden circle, $250. 5,000, " " $250.	45 00
Lambert, Patrick C., Boston, 10,000, Sec, 6, $450.	8 10
Lanning, John G., Boston, 7,148, Elm ave, $600.	10 80
Law, Delbert, Boston, About 5,670, Prospect ave., $650.	56 70
Lawson, Margaret H., Boston, 3,500, Watkins, $250.	4 50
Lacy, John P., Boston, 9,375, Sec. 4, $300. 9,375, " 4, 300. 9,375, " 4, 300.	16 20
Legg, Edward P., Boston, 4,200, Bromfield, $250.	6 30
Leeds, Edwin F., Boston, 5,000, Brackett est., $200.	3 60
Lennon, Malachi, Boston, 5,800, Bromfield, $350.	6 30
Lewis, Luther M., Boston, 5,000, Freeman, $350.	44 10
Lewis, Charles L., Boston, 10,000, East Elm ave., $600.	10 80
Libby, Herbert N., Boston, 5,000, Beach, $400.	7 10
Lund, Roduey, Boston, 13,650, Rufe's Hummock, $600.	43 20
Lynch, W. A., Boston, 6,311, Elm ave., $500.	9 00
Lyons, William, H., Boston, 6,235, off Adams, $200. 4,788, " " $150.	6 30

To be continued.

☞A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

School Attendance.

Report of all the schools of Quincy for the month ending Dec. 22.

	Whole Number at Date.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissals.	Truants.
High	381	356.7	91.6	35	32	0
Adams	389	360.9	92.4	32	26	0
Coddington	402	385.5	93.8	11	14	0
Gridley Bryant	254	217.5	92.3	6	23	0
John Hancock	410	391.9	94.5	9	16	0
Lincoln	399	374.1	95.4	13	13	0
Mass. Fields	270	249.1	93.4	4	23	0
Quincy	356	326.5	92.2	22	23	1
Washington	279	254.5	93.1	20	22	0
Willard	705	671.7	94.5	11	55	0
Wollaston	307	289.4	94.8	8	61	0
	4152	3,877.8	93.6	171	308	1
COMPARISONS.						
1897,	4,239	4,052.7	95.7	113	347	4
1896,	3,921	3,678.4	94.6	185	272	2

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the Distriet Court next Tuesday.

320—Atherton vs. Wales.
327—Petterson vs. Jenness.
336—Fallon vs. Thayer.
347—A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. vs. Hall.
348—A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. vs. Hall.

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You will find a large, clean, and fresh assortment to choose from.

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25 School Street.

South Quincy Market,

105 Water Street.

MARRIED.

BUTLER—WALES—In Braintree, Dec 21, by Rev. Thomas Van Ness, Mr. Willis Howard Butler of New York city to Miss Mary Helen Wales of Braintree.

DIED.

HARNISH—In Braintree, Dec. 28, Henry S., son of Isaiah and Sarah Harnish, aged 9 years, 6 months and 15 days.
HOLLIS—In Braintree, December 29, Elizabeth, widow of the late J. M. Hollis, aged 75 years, 2 months and 15 days.
WALKING—In Milton, Dec. 28, Mrs. Auguste W., wife of Mr. Ernest F. Walking, aged 58 years and 11 months.
WEBSTER—In Hyde Park, Dec. 28, Mrs. Eudore Converse, widow of Rev. Amos Webster, aged 70 years and 6 months.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED— A boy or girl to assist in our office, one who can write shorthand and operate a typewriter; $3.00 per week. HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.
Quincy, Dec. 29. tf

WANTED—Agents to sell largest line of lubricating oils, greases and specialties; liberal contracts made, salary or commission. Commonwealth Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio.
Dec. 27. 6t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A House of 9 rooms at No. 12 South Walnut street. Nearly quarter of an acre of land with fruit trees. Apply to ALEXANDER McCABE, 16 Penn street.
Quincy, Dec. 24. 6t

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street.
Nov. 9. tf

SLEIGH FOR SALE.

TWO Seated Sleigh in good order. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street.
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TO LET—Single house at Norfolk Downs, near church, school and beach. Newly painted and papered. All modern conveniences. Rent, $20 per month. Address, P. O. Box 32, Wollaston, Mass. dec 23 12t

TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 7. tf

TO LET.

APARTMENTS of five large rooms and bath, with all modern improvements. Also two large stores. Rent moderate. Apply to ARTHUR CRAIG, or J. W. HAYDEN, at Craig Building, cor. Copeland and Garfield Sts.
Quincy, July 15. tf

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House of 8 rooms, etc., No. 20 Canal street, Quincy. Nice house, excellent location.
R. D. CHASE,
Savings Bank Building.
Quincy, Oct. 8. pl tf

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OVER POST OFFICE
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GOLD DUST Washing Powder

Harmless, yet efficient —costs so little the mite is never missed.

Largest package—Greatest economy.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,
Chicago. St. Louis. New York. Boston. Philadelphia.

All the articles that are damaged or soiled during the Holiday rush, and all Fancy Goods and odds and ends, must go this week, regardless of cost.

D. E. WADSWORTH & CO.,
HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

Ties that Bind

Us to our patrons. Stylish ties that make friends for our FURNISHINGS. For the holiday trade we have the newest designs and colorings in silks and satins, made in all the latest shapes.

Over 50 dozen to select from.
Look at our window display.

GEO. W. JONES,
Adams Building, Quincy.

BOSTON BARGAINS

Are often worthless, and many times we have seen bargain prices quoted on watches that were actually higher than our regular every day prices. Our stock s as large as that of any two stores in Norfolk County.

All Prices, from $3.00 Up.

A Written Guarantee with Every Watch Sold.

We have them for Boys and Girls, Ladies and Gentlemen, in Nickel, Silver Gold Filled and Solid Gold.

No Trouble to Show Goods,
WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT.

OUR STOCK OF SILVER WARE IS COMPLETE.

Tea Sets from $6.00 Up.

Napkin Rings, Shaving Mugs, Pickle, Berry, Cake and Butter Dishes, Castors, Ice Pitchers, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Child's Sets, Puff Boxes, Ladies, Button Hooks, Shoe Horns, Tooth Brushes, Nut Picks and Cracks, etc. Jewelry: Pins, Rings, Chains, Charms, Bracelets, etc.

OPERA GLASSES FROM $1.50 UP.

Pen Holders, Clocks, Fancy Figures, etc.

Engraving Done While You Wait.

WILLIAMS' MODERN JEWELRY STORE,
104 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Chamber Sets

Dreams of lovliness in all the newest notions. 60 patterns to choose from in Mahogany, Curly Birch, White Enamel, Golden Oak, Quartered Oak, Bird's Eye Maple, and Ash.

Beautiful White and Brass Bedsteads, Odd Dressers and Chiffonieres.

Our prices are at least 25 per cent. lower than Boston prices. That's what the people tell us and they ought to know.

There is wisdom, reason and satisfaction for anyone in trading at this wonderfully low priced store.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Cut-Price House Furnishers,
Hancock Street, - - Quincy.

IS HARD TO FATHOM,

New York Poisoning Case Apparently Puzzles Police Officials.

Doctor Tells How Cornish Escaped Mrs. Adams' Fate.

Result of Autopsy on Victim's Body Given Out By Coroner's Physician.

New York, Dec. 30.—The Adams-Cornish poisoning case remains as great a mystery as ever. When the detective bureau, the district attorney's office, the coroner's office and others seeking to find a solution of the strange case ended their labors for the day, all said nothing had been learned that might assist in bringing the guilty persons to justice.

The police are inclined to believe that the person who sent the poison to Cornish is a woman, although the evidence is of the most flimsy character, and is largely based upon opinions of more or less responsible parties.

Cornish, who was also poisoned at the time of Mrs. Adam's death, is now completely out of danger, though confined to bed at the Knickerbocker Athletic club.

Captain McClusky, Assistant District Attorney McIntyre, Chief Devery and Coroner's Physician Weston were at police headquarters yesterday afternoon in consultation on the case. Acting under their instructions, detectives went to the Adam's flat at 61 West Eighty-sixth street, and requested Mrs. Florence Rogers, Mrs. Adams' daughter, and her friend, Mrs. Hovey, to accompany them to headquarters to give their version of the case.

Arriving there, they remained in consultation with the authorities for about an hour. Captain McClusky said after the women were taken home that he learned nothing from them. He said it was deemed best to get the versions of the poisoning directly from Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Hovey.

"But they told us nothing we did not know," he said. "The case is as much a mystery as ever. Nothing has developed. I have no theory. I have no person under suspicion."

Captain McClusky denied that he had placed or contemplated placing Cornish under surveillance. He sent word to the Knickerbocker Athletic club, however, asking if Cornish was able to come to headquarters. Dr. Coffin, who is attending Cornish, replied that his patient would not be able to leave his bed for two days.

He said he was undoubtedly out of danger, but he did not want him to take any chances. Dr. Coffin gave an interesting statement of how Cornish escaped death, while Mrs. Adams, drinking from the same glass, was killed by the deadly poison.

"Cornish mixed the poison," said Dr. Coffin, "and gave it to Mrs. Adams. She drank but a little, complaining that it was bitter. Cornish then took the balance and drained the glass to the dregs. I think the reason that Cornish was not killed is that he drank the dregs, while Mrs. Adams took the poison in solution. The quantity of powdered matter acted as an emetic, and cleared his stomach."

When they found he was unable to come to them, Captain McClusky and Mr. McIntyre, accompanied by a stenographer, went to the Knickerbocker Athletic club, and were in conference with Cornish for more than an hour.

Captain McClusky said little had been learned that had not already been published. He stated that Cornish told him that the silver holder had evidently been used, and while it was marked "sterling" it was plated. It was not a Tiffany article, but came in a Tiffany box, and had a Tiffany card in the package. That the contents of the bottle were cyanide of potassium is generally believed by physicians and police alike, but only a chemical analysis will determine this to a certainty.

Late yesterday afternoon an autopsy was held. When the anatonomical process was completed, and the parts of the body desired for analysis were sealed in jars, Coroner's Physician Weston issued the following report:

"I found the brain to be very soft, the lungs congested and the heart small, it having a calcerous deposit in it. The walls of the stomach were also very soft, and the mucous membrane was congested and contained a dark fluid. The stomach was also found to be ligated. All of the internal organs were more or less congested, and the blood was found to contain a dark fluid. The stomach was intensely congested, and there was the charatceristic odor of cyanide of potassium, which was noticeable particularly in the cavities. There was also disease of the valve heart. The condition of the kidneys was normal, but they were dark in color. The condition of the stomach indicated an irritant poison, and does not affect my opinion expressed yesterday that death was due to the use of cyanide of potassium."

No date has yet been fixed for the holding of the inquest in the case by the coroner.

Fought to a Draw.

Davenport, Ia., Dec. 30.—Jimmy Barry, the bantamweight champion, and his old time rival, Casper Leon, fought a fast 20-round fight to a draw last night. The fight was an even one from start to finish.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:22.
Moon rises—8:08 p. m.
High water—1:15 a. m.; 1:3[illegible] p. m.

While the warm weather will continue through today, it will be much colder during Saturday, probably with zero temperatures in interior and northern parts at night. It promises to be somewhat cloudy Saturday, but, excepting possibly light snow flurries, will continue fair, with brisk northwest winds. Sunday now promises to be fair and cold.

The World's Largest.

Boston, Dec. 30.—The new South Union station, the largest railroad station in the world, built by the Boston Terminal company, a combination between the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and the Boston and Albany railroad, was dedicated today with appropriate exercises in the gigantic waiting room. Tomorrow the entire edifice will be thrown open to public inspection, and on Sunday, two divisions of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad will formally open the station by making it a common terminal. The station has been in process of construction for about a year and a half, and it will still be months before it is entirely completed.

Bishop an Alleged Forger.

Buffalo, Dec. 30.—Charges of forgery have been made against Rev. Stephen Kaminski, bishop of the independent Polish Catholic church. Some time ago the secretary of the bishop brought suit against five Poles to recover $34 alleged to have been loaned, and for which a promissory note was given. In court yesterday it developed that the following words had been added to the note: "That we, the endorsers, agree to be held personally responsible for the amount." It is alleged that this clause was added to the note by Bishop Kaminski after it was made and signed.

Moss Wants Damages.

New York, Dec. 30.—An attachment was obtained yesterday against the property of Benjamin F. Cheney, husband of Julia Arthur, on behalf of Theodore Moss, proprietor of Wallack's theater. The attachment is the outcome of Julia Arthur's refusal to appear last Monday in "A Lady of Quality," on which occasion $1400 worth of tickets had been sold. The money for these had to be refunded. Moss brought the action to recover $5000, which he claims to have lost owing to the alleged violations.

Paid the Death Penalty.

Hartford, Dec. 30.—Benjamin R. Willis, aged 23, was hanged at the state prison, Wethersfield, at 12:20 this morning for the murder of David S. R. Lambert of Wilton, his former teacher, Dec. 17, 1897. Willis was the youngest person ever hanged in the prison. He was the seventh person hanged by the so-called automatic gallows and, as on all previous occasions, the gallows operated perfectly. The drop fell at 12:20, and he was killed instantly. Eight minutes later the body was cut down.

Not Pleasing to Germans.

Berlin, Dec. 30.—There is much comment here on the reported arrival of an American warship at Apia, Samoa, the newspapers regarding it as a sign that President McKinley means to carry out the plan outlined in his recent message to congress. The Vossische Zeitung says: No doubt Great Britain will support America and thus paralyze the slowly acquired German preponderance. There is no longer a chance of Germany securing exclusive control.

Gold Not Scarce.

New York, Dec. 30.—Foreign bankers said yesterday that sterling exchange rates were sufficiently low to permit of the importation of gold, and that it was not unlikely that some might come early in January; that imports really depended now on the rates for money here. If there was need for the gold here some would undoubtedly come. It would be easy, the bankers said, to bring in $50,000,000 of gold if any such sums were needed.

In Memory of Heroes.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—A magnificent memorial hall, in honor of the veterans of the Civil war, was dedicated yesterday in the new public library. General Black made the formal dedicatory address. Mayor Harrison, Judge Hawes and Colonel. Sexton, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., also spoke. The assembly rooms and hall were furnished at a cost of $22,000, appropriated by the state.

Release of Prisoners.

Rome, Dec. 30.—King Humbert has signed a decree amnestying or reducing the punishments of the rioters who took part in the disturbances last spring. About 700 persons who were sentenced by court-martial and about 2000 who were condemned by civil courts have been liberated. But all recidivists or habitual criminals have been excluded from the benefits of the decree.

Checks Almost Ready.

Boston, Dec. 30.—Receivers of the Massachusetts Benefit Life association are sending out notices to all claimants on the "approved" list, telling them that the checks for 20 percent dividend will go forward Jan. 9, 1899, this being 30 days after the approval of the payment of a dividend by the court. There are about 450 checks, and about $250,000 will be paid out.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
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Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

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Dec. 16. 24t

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Wiring and Fitting for Incandescent, Motors, Dynamos, Bells, etc.
GRANITE STREET, Near the Bridge, QUINCY.
Feb. 1. ly

Moths Are Plentiful.

Boston, Dec. 30.—Reports to the gypsy moth commission show that, notwithstanding the fact that the entire appropriation for the extermination of the brown-tail moth has been exhausted, the pest is practically in every city and town where the gypsy moth has been found. In addition the brown-tail moth has been found south of Boston, in Quincy and Hingham, where the gypsy moth never appears. The legislature will be asked to grant immediate appropriation so that the work can be done before spring opens

An Official Denial.

Madrid, Dec. 30.—The minister of foreign affairs, Duke Almodovar de Rio, and the minister of the interior, Senor Capdepon, have thought it advisable to deny as absolutely unfounded the stories of the Republican and Carlist press affirming that a foreign power is preparing to intervene in the event of the internal and financial affairs of Spain taking a bad turn, and that Great Britain has designs on the Balearic islands and the straits of Gibraltar.

The Wages of Sin.

Bloomfield, Ind., Dec. 30.—Dr. E. E. Gray killed Mrs. Lizzie Skinner on a street yesterday in plain view of many people. He stabbed her four times with a surgical knife and she died instantly. He made threats yesterday that he would kill her. After the killing he gave himself up. Mrs. Skinner left her husband on account of the doctor, and he had deserted a wife and family for her. Dr. Gray is about 30 years old.

Keely Machines at Boston.

Boston, Dec. 30.—Charles S. Hill, attorney for Mrs. John W. Keely, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia with the various machines of the late John W. Keely, which are held to be of importance in connection with the experiments which are to be made by Y. B. Kingsraide at his laboratory in Jamaica Plain to test the possibilities of the machine.

Took a New Crew.

New York, Dec. 30.—The ferryboat John E. Brinkerhoff, which started for Cuba a couple of weeks ago and put back, according to Captain O'Brien, because of a fire on board, started for Cuba yesterday from Stapleton, L. I. The crew which sailed with Captain O'Brien yesterday were all new men.

Clothing Caught Fire.

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 30.—Samuel, the 3-year-old son of David Kanuck, was burned to death yesterday, while playing about the stove in his father's kitchen. His dress caught fire from some paper, which he lighted at the stove.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.
Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Earthenware sleepers, the invention of a Japanese, were recently experimented with to a considerable degree of success at Shimbasi station.

SOME FOOLISH PEOPLE

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50. Trial size free. At all druggists.

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Everything first-class at the

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All kinds Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Pickeled

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The Whole Family.

Mary told them all about it and now the whole family goes there to trade. The store is filled with

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Both Will Hang.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Saul Parslow, whose trial for the murder of Isidore Perrier has been in progress for the past week, has been found guilty and sentenced to be hanged on March 10, the same day on which his accomplice, Cordelia Viau, wife of the murdered man, was sentenced to suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

Duel With a Result.

Paris, Dec. 30.—M. Musson, the well-known journalist, fought a duel with swords yesterday with M. Dupont, an energetic supporter of Dreyfus revision. M. Dupont was severely wounded, his adversary's weapon piercing his lung.

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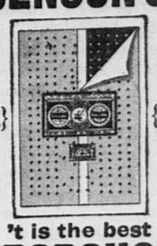

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

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On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

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Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Shall he be lavish of good promises
And spend his living all on them? Or shall
He quietly begin redeeming some
The old year made?

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A Happy New Year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Moulton and family of Wollaston, spent Christmas at Abington, the guests of Mr. Randall Richards.

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Mrs. Julia Cady has returned to Whitman after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. George A. Litchfield, of Wollaston.

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George S. Waterhouse, assistant superintendent of the Quincy & Boston street railway, is quite ill with a severe attack of the grip.

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Wednesday evening, Miss Gertrude A. Berry received a number of her friends at her home at Braintree. A most enjoyable evening was spent in games, and music A fine collation was served. Miss Berry is enjoying to the full every moment of her vacation. She returns to her school duties at Wellesley on Jan. 5.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Emerson of Wollaston spent the holidays with Mr. Moses Bullard of Whitman.

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Miss Amelia Hall of Wollaston has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Saba Sprague of Bridgewater.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Brackett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a little son on Friday, December 30.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitcomb Porter who were married at First church on Nov. 22 are at home to friends at 12 Alleyne terrance, on Tuesdays after January first.

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Dr. Roblin of the Columbus avenue church, Boston, is to deliver the lecture on Monday night in the popular course at the Universalist church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emery of Boston spent the holidays with Mrs. Briggs, Appleton street.

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Many from Braintree attended the wedding of Miss May Goode of Randolph to Mr. Fred Whitcomb of Holbrook. The marriage service was performed by Rev. T. Kelleher of Brooklyn, N. Y., an uncle of the bride, on Wednesday evening.

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Many who have been familiar with the writings of Mrs. Isabel Mallon under the non-de-plume of "Bab" and "Ruth Ashmore" will be sorry to learn of her death on Tuesday of pneumonia. She was an extensive writer. In the Ladies Home Journal her Side Talks with Girls has been one of the features of the Journal for years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin J. Weeks entertained a few friends Thursday evening at their pleasant home on Edison street. Whist furnished the evening's entertainment.

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At the meeting of the Alcyone Whist club of Wollaston on Wednesday evening, the prizes for the first series were awarded to Mrs. William A. Jordan and Mrs. J. C. Haskins.

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The dance given at Pythian hall, Braintree, Wednesday evening by Messrs. Morrison, Hayden and Rogers was a delightful affair. Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Hayden and Mrs. Rogers matronized the affair and distributed the flowers for the Germans. Mrs. Hayden was beautifully gowned in black net over heliotrope and Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Rogers were handsomely dressed in black with white trimmings. There were just sixteen couples and therefore no wall-flowers. The same set of young people are looking forward to the dance tonight, New Year's eve, to be given by Mrs. King of Adams street, in honor of Miss Jane Reed and her young friends.

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Mr. Edwin B. Pratt spent Christmas with friends in Buffalo, New York. Before returning to Wellsley Hills he will visit at Cleveland, O., and New York City.

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The Committee on Membership for the new club of Braintree now report eighty names. A feature of the proposed club that will interest many who do not care for full membership, will be a literary department, a musical department, etc., to which parties can join by paying a small annual fee.

ON HIS HANDS. HOW WILL HE DISPOSE OF IT? FROM HARPER'S WEEKLY

AFTER A CARTOON BY W. A. ROGERS. Reproduced from *Harper's Weekly*. By Permission

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It is an undisputed fact that the United States stands face to face with one of the most important problems that has ever been presented to it for solution. It is an open question whether the Philippines will or will not prove an elephant on our hands. It seems, however, that not much choice has been left in the matter, and that we are practically obliged to take the Philippines under our protection. Our illustration, taken from a full-page cartoon in the current issue of Harper's Weekly, gives a comprehensive idea of the situation as W. A. Rogers, the well-known artist, understands it. The cartoon is inspired by the late war and its results have contained a great deal of true and valuable history, and convey the essential points of the political situation as accurately and in much less space than the untold mass of printed matter that has filled the columns of our newspapers and magazines during 1898. The cartoon is of exceptional merit and all it tries to do is to give a plain statement of the case.

Mr. J. H. Nash and family of Abington, spent the holidays with George W. Nash of Wollaston.

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The daintiest party held in Music hall, Atlantic, was the third social that was given by Winthrop J. Fearabey last evening. It was a large party many being present from the surrounding towns. The dresses worn by the young ladies were exceptionally dainty and pretty. Treet's full orchestra from Boston furnished inspiring music for the occasion and the whole was a very sociable affair.

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Miss Eva and Ruth Bassett are visiting in Providence.

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The engagement of Miss Susan Adams Packard, daughter of Councilman and Mrs. Elisha Packard, of Elm street, to Mr. Charles Lewis Greene of Albany, New York, was announced on Christmas eve.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellsworth of Braintree, with some of their young friends will watch the old year out tonight.

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Mr. George Briggs will leave Atlantic early next week for a very extended trip through the west.

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The Compass whist club of Atlantic was entertained Wednesday evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Small on Edwin street. The prizes were awarded to Mrs. Alfred Jelinck and Mrs. William Gassett, Mr. Alonzo Priest and Mr. James E. Curtain. At the close of the evening refreshments were served.

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Some of the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Horne of Braintree presented them with a handsome brass fire set last evening. This was not putting coals of fire upon their heads, but will help them to enjoy the beautiful glow from their open grate, and reflect the esteem in which they are held by their neighbors.

Many young people as well as adults are looking forward to the entertainment in the People's course this evening by the Marshall children. One is a character artiste, violinist and dancer.

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Mrs. Thomas L. Sturtevant of Adams street was in South Framingham, her old home, the first of the week.

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The marriage of Miss Mary Helen Wales, eldest daughter of Mr. George O. Wales of Braintree, to Rev. Willis H. Butler of New York, was one of the happy events of the season. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas Van Ness, assisted by Rev. A. A. Ellsworth. An orchestra played sweet strains and a caterer furnished the wedding breakfast. Only immediate relatives were present. Rev. and Mrs. Butler will reside in Williamstown, where he is pastor of the first Congregational church. They will be at home to their friends after February first.

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Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, meet on Monday afternoon at the John Adams birthplace. The hostesses of the afternoon are the Randolph members.

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DRAMA AND DANCE.

Clan McGregor Scores Another Grand Success.

The grand dramatic entertainment and dance under the auspices of Clan McGregor, O. S. C., at Music hall, last evening was well attended and a thoroughly good time was enjoyed.

The entertainment which was given by Clan Dramatic club was Stedman's five act military drama, entitled "The Confederate Spy."

As its title denotes, the scene dates back to the stirring times of '61, and was full of thrilling incidents, which drew forth frequent applause from the audience.

The progress of the drama lagged a little at times, but on the whole was remarkably well presented. The principal characters were well sustained and showed that they had given their parts much thought and study.

In the cast were: Mr. John Troupe, Mr. John Wedderburn, Mr. Dan McCarthy, Mr. Robert Findlay, Mr. Robert Kennedy, Mr. Alex. Russell, Mr. Alex. Rose, Mr. John Capaccioli, Miss Lizzie O. M. Smith, Miss Catherine Black, Miss Mary Rose, Mrs. Alex. Russell. The Manager was John Ross and the Assistant Manager, William Marshall.

At the conclusion of the entertainment dancing was in order until late in the morning.

The committee of arrangements, to whom all credit is due were: William Elrick (chief), Albion F. Dion (secretary), Thomas Johnston, William Souden, Alex. Black, William Rose, Alex. Birnie, David T. Drummond and William Beattie.

—The first year's experiment of pneumatic transit between the Boston Post Office and the North Union Station has proved so successful that plans are already afoot for connecting the southern station with the general office by the same means.

☞ Advertise houses to let in the Ledger.

ALL READY TO LEAVE.

This Is the Last Day of Spanish Control Over Cuban Territory.

A Feeling of Suppressed Excitement In Havana.

Program For Hoisting Stars and Stripes at Noon Tomorrow Is Completed.

Havana, Dec. 31.—Everything is ready for the evacuation exercises tomorrow, and the great event is awaited with mingled feelings of enthusiasm, exultation and anxiety. Americans are fearful and anxious lest the exultation of the Cubans lead to any violence or disorder.

The Americans are extremely anxious that peace and harmony mark the proceedings. They wish to avoid any appearance of rejoicing over the Spaniards, and with this object in view they have discouraged any attempt on the part of the Cubans to indulge in any kind of "celebration."

It was at first feared that the announced intention of the Cubans to hold a "six-days' celebration" would lead to serious results, and steps were at once taken to try to get them to abandon the plan. The efforts of the American officers have been successful, and the Cubans have taken the sensible view of the situation.

The Cuban patriotic committee, consisting of 150 leading Cubans, lawyers, doctors and business men, decided to yield without reservation to the wishes of General Brooke and General Ludlow in the matter of postponing the six days' celebration, and has approved a manifesto to the Cuban population of Havana, on the lines of General Ludlow's reply on the subject of the proposed celebrations, quoting some portions of it and paraphrasing others.

It is known that Gomez feels that he is not treated properly. A letter from him was received here yesterday. He was wise enough not to commit himself further than to say that he could not come to Havana unless he came as the commander-in-chief of the Cuban army of liberation, and if the men who had fought with him for three years were not good enough to come he preferred staying with them.

He concluded the letter with the remark that he had full confidence in the good will and fairness of the Americans as a people, but believed the politicians were attempting to find an excuse to compel the nation to break its most sacred promises.

Early in the morning details of United States troops will enter Morro castle and Cabanas fortress, the Spanish troops thereupon withdrawing to the transports, with the exception of a detachment of artillerymen, who will remain behind to fire a salute to the American flag.

At 11 a. m. the American commissioners, Generals Wade, Clous and Butler, with their staffs, will leave the Trocha hotel at Vedado for the palace on horseback and in full uniform, but without a cavalry escort. They will arrive at the reception rooms of the palace at 11:45, where they will meet Generals Brooke, Lee and Ludlow.

Immediately following the boom of the American salute to the red and golden flag of Spain, the Spanish officer will lower the flag; and Major Butler will raise the Stars and Stripes, the Spanish guns saluting. The latter salute will carry its special significance to the brilliant company inside the palace, and Captain General Castellanos, in a few words, will transfer the government to Major General Wade of the United States military commission, who, after replying to the captain general, will transfer it to Major General Brooke, military governor of Cuba.

There will then be a short reception to the outgoing and incoming generals, and immediately afterward Castellanos will start for Cavalleria wharf, escorted by General Clous. One division of Lee's Seventh corps will in the meantime be massed at the Lea end of the Prado, and these troops, 8000 strong, under General Keifer, will march on review.

Three flags will be officially raised—at the palace, at Morro and at Cabanas—by Lieutenants Lee and Wade and Major Butler, all sons of generals. The saluting will be with the bronze guns of Cabanas, made in 1740.

American artillerymen will first salute the falling Spanish flag and then Spanish artillerymen will use the same guns to salute the American flag.

Promptly at noon United States regulars will patrol the entire city.

Two Havana Departments.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The war department last night issued an order establishing two departments in and about Havana, viz: The department of Havana, comprising the city proper, suburbs and an area of about 10 square miles, and the department of the province of Havana, comprising the territory outside of the city proper. Major General Ludlow is assigned to command the department comprising the city and suburbs, and Major General Lee is assigned to the department outside of the city.

Off For Cuba.

Charleston, Dec. 31.—Three transports left this city yesterday for Cuba. The Manitoba sailed for Matanzas, with General Sanger, brigade headquarters, hospital corps and the Twelfth New York regiment. The Minnewaska departed for Cienfuegos with General Bates and staff and the Sixth Ohio. The Saratoga got away for Havana with a battalion of the First regular infantry.

No Trace of Bodies.

Boston, Dec. 31.—The board appointed to investigate the cause of the explosion of submarine mines at Castle island, in Boston harbor, Dec. 6, whereby four men were killed, completed its work and a report will be forwarded to Washington within a few days. The board has failed to find out the cause of the accident. Since the explosion government employes and others have scoured every part of the place, but no trace of any of the bodies of the unlucky men were found.

MEN SEVEN FEET TALL

Was One of Many Strange Sights on Islands Inhabited by Savages.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec 31.—The steamer Warrimoo arrived yesterday from Australia and Honolulu. According to news received by her, British warships continue to have exciting experiences in southern seas. The gunboat Goldfinch, which recently returned to Sydney, took part in annexing Duff islands, Cherry island and other places. At Cherry island some gigantic natives, wearing long beards, came on board and caused some surprise. "There were no women to be seen about," said an officer, "but the great stature of the men, some seven feet in height, was remarkable.

"Rubiana natives were found to be head-hunting on an extensive scale, and the Goldfinch went on to look for an alleged island, charted as Butili island, but was not successful in finding it. While at Simbo, a chief, charged with killing seven or eight women, was arrested, and was finally landed in the jail of the resident commissioner. This old warrior jumped overboard from the Goldfinch, but was brought back to the ship. He brandished a crowbar about after returning to the gunboat, and flew about the decks in an extraordinary way, but did not damage.

"Mitre island, which was annexed in the cruise, was found to be uninhabited, but at Auki island, which lies off Guadalcanar, in the Solomons, the natives were numerous and very savage. Here the women, quite destitute of clothing, came down from the bush to do trading, escorted by parties of men, carrying Snyder rifles, but equally unclad."

News is brought from New Guinea that Commandant Captain Butterworth, with a strong force of armed constables, surrounded the bush village of Galilupu to arrest the murderer of an ex-convict, a native of Ilapa. The natives rushed at the constables, throwing spears and stones at them, and the constables were forced to fire. Two of the murderers were arrested and sentenced to death.

A Hopeful View.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 31.—Mill agents of Lowell agree that the situation is much improved. Agent Thomas, representing the Tremont and Suffolk, one of the largest mills in the state, says they are running full blast. Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills believes that the coming year will be the first satisfactory one since 1892. Acting Agent Savage of the Boot reports a regular boom in his mill, but adds that this is not usually regarded as a healthy improvement. Agent Pead of the Merrimack thinks that the optimism, as indicated in the newspapers, is premature, but he also believes the prospects have the right tendency.

No Sign of Settlement.

Pana, Ills., Dec. 31.—In aid of the strikers the Brotherhood of Mine Hoisting Engineers yesterday called out the day and night engineers at the Pana company's mine. The association of mine managers has also called out John Duddy, for eight years mine manager of the Springside. Within the past few days the militia have made 50 arrests of union and negro miners and a number of citizens for carrying concealed weapons. All were heavily fined. The strikers yesterday received $1000 from the state organization to aid in the struggle.

Agitation to Be Resumed.

Fall River, Dec. 31.—The textile workers of this city are preparing to ask for a restoration of the 10 percent reduction in wages made in the early part of the year. The textile council has adopted resolutions that the time has come to begin an agitation for an increase in wages, as they think agitation must continue some time before the desired result is obtained. The spinners have withdrawn from this council. The general reduction of wages which was made over a year ago affected more than 25,000 operatives in the Fall River cotton mills.

Tule Preservers Are Safe.

Boston, Dec. 31.—An official test of the tule life preservers used on the wrecked steamer Portland has recently been completed by the local inspectors of the steam vessel inspection service of the United States, and the results are contained in a report forwarded to Washington. This report upholds the use of this style of life preserver, basing its position on tests which were applied to one of the tule preservers certified to have been washed ashore from the Portland.

Guilty of Murder.

San Francisco, Dec. 31.—The jury in the Botkin case returned a verdict of murder in the first degree, fixing the penalty at life imprisonment. Mrs. Botkin, already in a fearful state from continued weeping, went to pieces when the verdict of the jury was made known. The motive for the murders, accomplished by sending poisoned candy through the mail, was jealousy of Mrs. Dunning, with whose husband she was in love.

We Get a Big Share.

Shanghai, Dec. 31.—The terms of the final contract, respecting the concession to the Anglo-American syndicate of mining and railway privileges in the province of Sze-Chuen, have been agreed upon, and are now being signed. Sze-Chuen is undoubtedly the richest as well as the largest province in China. Great Britain and the United States get the greater portion, the Chinese and other nationalities getting the balance.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The police of the British South Africa Chartered company have captured M'Pefu, chief of the Magatos tribe, in the Zouttansberg district and sent him to Buluwayo.

Terrible weather is reported in the eastern Mediterranean. Several mail boats have been damaged.

A Moscow dispatch announces the death in that city of Paul Trotiakoff, a famous art collector, who presented a splendid gallery to the city.

An official contradiction is given to the report that the bubonic plague has broken out in the Delagoa Bay district.

Captain Charles P. Kahler, First regiment, United States engineers, who returned from Porto Rico on Thanksgiving day, died at Baltimore. Death was due to typhoid fever, which he contracted in a transport on his way home. He was 55 years old.

Mrs. Mabel Lowell Burnett, aged 51, only child of the distinguished poet, James Russell Lowell, died at her home at Cambridge, Mass. She had been an

YEAR OF PROSPERITY.

An Unprecedented Volume of Domestic and Export Trade.

Latter Has Almost Doubled the Imports.

Grain Sections Benefited, While Textiles Did Not Share In Activity.

New York, Dec. 31.—Bradstreet's says: Holiday quiet in general demand, sustained activity in industrial lines, particularly iron and steel, exceptionally large shipments of goods on orders, liberal cereal exports and specially heavy dealings in speculative markets, are features calling for notable mention in the closing week of the year. Firmness in price is likewise an encouraging feature in most staples. Wheat, though showing a reaction, is higher on the week on large export clearances, and other cereals are in sympathy. Pig iron demand grows, and prices for this product and for steel rails, steel billets, plates and wire rods are all higher on the week, while the volume of foreign demand for our finished metal products apparently increases as the year draws to its conclusion.

The reports received as to the year's business in all sections of the country point to an unprecedented volume of domestic and export trade, which is reflected in bank clearings that break the high record of 1892. The level of prices of staples and securities at the close of the year is at the highest point reached for five years past. Railroad earnings exceed all previous years, and finally there was a smaller number of failures and lower liabilities than reported in any year for at least five years past.

These general results in the country at large have been active, too, notwithstanding the outbreak and conclusion of a foreign war, and in spite also of unfavorable conditions in some industries, notably textile manufacturing, unfavorable weather early in the year and the lowest price for cotton on record. But the close of the year finds an improvement even in those directions, and returns as to retail trade, and particularly holiday business, are strikingly good in all sections.

Best reports as to distributive trade naturally come from the grain growing sections of the country, which were the first to feel an improvement resulting from free foreign demand for our cereals, but indications are not wanting that this improvement is gradually percolating throughout the entire business community, and coupled with unprecedented export trade in manufactured goods, and the fact that we are selling $2 worth abroad for every dollar's worth we buy, renders possible the gains reported in distributive trade over 1897, ranging from 10 to 40 percent, with likewise good reports from the manufacturing centers, excepting the textile industries. There is general complaint, it is true, of profits not expanding in keeping with the larger volume of business done, and there is a tendency, perhaps, to look for a more pronounced improvement in this direction in 1899 than is likely to be attained in view of the modern tendency of margins of profit to a minimum.

The export trade of the country for the year is the heaviest ever known and will probably exceed $1,250,000,000 in value, thus being nearly double the imports. Our export trade in manufactured goods is the heaviest ever known, and for the first time in our country's history exceeded the value of imports of similar goods.

Estimates of bank clearings for 77 cities point to a total in excess of $68,400,000,000, 20 percent larger than last year, 34 percent larger than in 1896, 51 percent heavier than in 1894 and nearly 10 percent larger even than the total for 1892, which has hitherto furnished the basis for maximum clearings comparisons. Only one large city shows a decrease in clearings from a year ago, and the indicated losses from 1892 totals are found either at large centers of textile trade activity at the south, where low cotton prices reduced the value of the city's trade, or, in one or two instances, in other sections where special conditions in 1892 made for very heavy clearings totals not since equalled.

There were 11,638 failures in the United States in 1898, involving liabilities of $141,137,117, a decrease from 1897 in number of 11.2 percent and in liabilities of 9.5 percent. Compared with 1896 and 1895 the proportion of decrease shown is even larger, and compared with 1893 failures were fewer by 25 percent and liabilities smaller by 64 percent. Decreases are also shown when compared with 1891, a year of large trade, but of numerous and costly failures, but compared with 1892 there is an increase shown of 13 percent in number and 30 percent in liabilities. The tendency of failures toward the normal is illustrated by the fact that the percentage of assets to liabilities is the smallest reported since 1892, and the annual death rate—that is, the percentage of traders failing to those in business—is likewise the smallest reported since the latter year, being only 1.06 percent, against 1.20 in 1897, 1.50 in 1893 and 1 in 1892.

Increased numbers of failures and liabilities are reported from New England and the middle states, while heavy decreases in number and liabilities are reported from the rest of the country, sufficiently great indeed to more than make up for the failures and liabilities in the east. Unsatisfactory conditions in textile lines and some large failures of banks and other financial concerns account for the expansion in liabilities shown in those sections, while a larger number of small failures in Pennsylvania and in some of the eastern states reflect poor trade early in the year and dullness growing out of the war and bad weather.

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San Francisco, Dec. 31.—Green was given the decision in a 20-round bout with Creedon last evening, and the referee's decision was greeted with mixed approval.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

The trying yellow spots frequently left by sewing machine oil on white goods may be removed by rubbing the stain with a cloth wet with ammonia before washing with soap.

In buying ginghams for kitchen aprons or for other purposes where wear is a first consideration avoid the browns. There is something about the dye that rots the goods. The blues that border on the indigo wear best and wash best.

A simple expedient to alleviate the fly nuisance is to sponge the window and sills with a strong solution of carbolic acid. Do this while the sun is shining and the flies are most plentiful. They will, it is said, die at once and in numbers. The brushing may be repeated several times.

A correspondent of Farm and Fireside recommends salt—dry, coarse salt—free from lumps for cleaning unpainted floors. Sprinkle a couple cups of salt on the floor, then sweep the floor in one direction. The broom may be slightly dampened. This method will not remove grease spots, but it will dispose of dust as if by magic.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Millet seed is an excellent feed for little chickens.

Do not get pullets too fat. Keep them growing, bony and muscular.

In nearly all cases the more active the breed the less liability to fatten.

Under ordinary conditions a pullet that matures so as to begin laying in November can be depended upon for a good sitter in the spring.

One decided advantage in buying and breeding stock in the fall is that there is a better chance of getting the best selections at lower prices.

So far as is possible, give a good variety of feed. Frequent change of diet is the best way of getting the chickens to grow rapidly and mature early.

Peking ducks are preferable both as market fowls and egg producers. With good treatment they will lay 10 or 12 dozen eggs yearly, and by good feeding can be made to weigh five pounds when 10 weeks old.—Exchange.

OVER THE OCEAN.

The chip on France's shoulder appears to have been securely tied to prevent accidents.—Washington Star.

The champions of Norwegian independence are gaining ground rapidly, and their dream of separate nationality may be realized in the near future.—Buffalo Courier.

Spain asks damages of the Clyde shipbuilders because the torpedo destroyers did not come up to expectation. The defense will be that the men to run them were not in the contract.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Wei-Hai-Wei convention provides that the emperor of China shall lease to the British government the harbor of Wei-Hai-Wei "for so long a period as Port Arthur shall remain in the occupation of Russia." That is a fine diplomatic periphrasis for the single word "forever."—New York Tribune.

The White Man In the Tropics.

The attempt to acclimatize the white man in the tropics must be recognized to be a blunder of the first magnitude. All experiments based upon the idea are mere idle and empty enterprises foredoomed to failure. Excepting only the deportation of the African races under the situation of slavery, probably no other idea which has held the mind of our civilization during the last 300 years has led to so much physical and moral suffering and degradation or has strewn the world with the wrecks of so many gigantic enterprises. In the tropics a white man lives and works only as a diver lives and works under water. Alike in a moral, in an ethical and in a political sense, the atmosphere he breathes must be that of another region, that which produced him, and to which he belongs. Neither physically, morally, nor politically can he be acclimatized in the tropics.—Benjamin S. Kidd.

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Five Hours With a Wollaston Baby.

BY A. J. PRESTON.

It was one of those unseasonably warm days in October, the hands of our clock indicated six minutes past nine, I was seated at my desk at work on a "Prize story." A western magazine had offered a prize of one thousand dollars, for the best, and five hundred dollars for the second best story of not less than fifteen thousand words, I had decided today, as I was left alone in the house with only the baby, I would finish it while he had his forenoon nap; the plot was already worked out in my mind, and only the mechanical part, putting it on paper, remained to be done. Of course I expect to win the first prize, in fact, the "Princess" and I, have already planned many lovely and artistic improvements in our chateau, when the prize check, comes to hand. The "Princess" is my wife, being a King's daughter" the title is of course legitimate.

One improvement which I hope to accomplish, is an automatic "Catapult" attached to the rear corner of the house, this, I propose to have electrically connected with my sleeping room, so that in the "silent midnight watches," when the cats in the back yard, start up one of "Martin Luther's" chorals, I can reach out of bed, press a button, and lo, the Catapult will fire itself off, discharging sixteen stones the size of a man's fist, into the back yard, and fourteen, on the north side of the house. I expect to defray the expense, by selling the patent to others, who go in for modern improvements.

The Princess finished fastening her gloves, and instead of a good-bye kiss, caressingly tapped the bald spot on my cranium, and said, "The baby will sleep until nearly twelve o'clock, and if he should wake up, but he won't, you can warm some milk and give him, and mind he does not pick anything from the floor and choke himself. Goodbye."

The door gently closed, and I was alone. I turned to my writing with a sigh of satisfaction in the thought, that I had two and a half hours for solid quiet work.

I had been writing about fifteen minutes and was absorbed in my work, when suddenly and with no obvious cause, my inkstand capsized; I could not understand it, it was square solid glass, and as low studded as a bantam chicken. I stooped over and peered into the pigeon hole behind it, to see if a mouse had caused the mischief. As I did so, I received a sharp tap, behind my right ear. I turned, and behold, the mystery was solved, for there stood, Felix, the baby, only twenty-three months over from the "Happy land of Canaan."

In one hand he held a yard stick, the end of it was moist with ink, and I could feel a dab of ink behind my ear. In the other hand he held a bouquet of linen; it was the primitive garment of the human race, before the process of evolution had culminated in "Plymouth Rock Pants." Not being familiar with the technique of primitive garments, I lay them in the waste basket.

A sudden fear seized me; he was chewing something, and I remembered his mother's warning about choking himself. I lifted him upon my lap and tried to ascertain what he was eating, but found my finger was too large, and his mouth too small to make connections. I took him under my arm and hunted up a button hook, and with it fished out a brass safety pin, and my costly Rhinstone diamond collar button, that had rolled under the bed last night.

Meanwhile Felix had sized up the situation, and knew as well as I did, that mother was gone, and he was left in charge of a novice. He sprung up in my lap, put his little fat arms about my neck and shouted "Yide? Yide? Hosse," by which I knew he wanted me to perform a metempsychosis, transform myself into a horse, and crawl about the room on my hands and knees, with him on my back, whanging me over the head with a brush broom, as he was sometimes allowed to do on special occasions.

But I determined, in the words of a lovely contralto ballad, "It was not so to be." My impression is, that in some previous incarnation, perhaps ages ago, this little immortal soul, was either a horse jockey, or a hen; he is so fond of riding, and picking things from the floor and trying to eat them.

It has long been my theory, that mothers confine themselves too much, to the care and amusement of young children, and thus fail to teach them to rely upon their own resources, so I decided to let baby amuse himself for a couple of hours, while I finished my writing.

I took him to the kitchen, sat him down in a corner, and built a sort of "stump fence" around him, with chairs, clothes-horse, ironing board, etc., and filled in the chinks with hassocks, boxes, and other small articles. Then I put into the "corral," Aunt Dinah, Admiral Dewey, "Old Mother Hubbard," Captain Kidd, also a lion, an elephant, a stuffed cat, an India rubber frog, with this variety to select from, I was sure he would be quiet for at least two hours.

I went into the next room, and for more than an hour was not disturbed in my writing, and was much pleased at the success of my plan. I was debating in my mind which was best to give the hero of my story, curly hair or a "pompadour cut," when a little shout from the baby interrupted me. It flashed into my mind, "perhaps he had made a "touch-down," and sat upon the blasphemous end of a carpet tack, and possibly punctured a tire. I hurried to investigate and found he had pulled a hassock from his barricade, and standing on it had managed to turn the knob, and open the closet door, and had entered therein.

He was standing on the hassock in the closet, with a very roguish look in his sparkling eyes, and was just about to drink the contents of a bottle of furniture polish; he had already taken nearly half a bottle of "Scott's Emulsion" not all internally however, as there was about three fluid ounces percolating down the front of his night dress.

His stockings were off, and one of them seemed not to be empty. I took soundings with my pen handle, and found nearly four inches of "Chili sauce" in the foot of it. The other was not to be found, but a month later, on Thanksgiving morning as the Princess was dishing some preserved ginger from one of those old fashioned Chinese jars, the missing stocking came to light. "Admiral Dewey" was sitting in a plate of sausage fat, Captain Kidd, was plunged head first into a jar of pickles, and my patience was nearly exhausted when I found that Felix had eaten a whole tumbler of our choice quince marmalade, and the bull frog occupied the empty glass.

By the time I had things put to rights, it was train time but the Princess did not appear, and I concluded it would be useless to attempt to do anything but attend to the wants of the irrepressible infant. I had read some where that children develop a poetic impulse at a very early age, and thought I would try and cultivate the gift in Felix.

I took down from the bookcase copy of "Xenophon's Anabasis," and read to him in the original Greek the following exquisite little poem,

"There was a young person in Cheadle,
Who, in church time, sat down on a needle,
But having a thread attached to its head,
It was promptly pulled out by the beadle."

"There was a young lady of Venice,
Used hard boiled eggs to play tennis,
When they said 'This is wrong,'
She replied, 'Go along,'
You don't know how prolific my hen is."

The baby did not seem to appreciate the "Classics" but interrupted me to ask for milk, and when I offered him some, he looked at me with indignant flashing eyes, and repudiated it with contumacious scorn, then slipped down from my lap, ran and got his porringer and put it on the stove; I had forgotten to warm the milk.

After he had been satisfied with a copious drink, I resolved to be firm with him, and said "Now, young man, you are going right to bed and have a good long nap. As he did not object, I tucked him up snug in his crib, sat down in a rocking chair and gently crooned over, all the lullaby songs I had ever known; finally I fell into a doze myself, and was lost about half an hour.

When I awoke, all was still, and I crept softly up to the crib and listened to hear if he was breathing regularly. I could hear no sound. I drew the clothes gently down from his head, but his head was not there, the crib was empty, evidently he had slipped down the back side and fled.

To say that I was provoked, is a very mild statement, I was getting tried and nervous, and here was a fresh worry. I searched through all the rooms, in the closets, under the tables, beds, and sofas, but no trace of him could I find.

I was just starting to go down cellar, when I heard a voice, way up in the air, shouting "Git out iv thet, ye young spalpane," "Home wid ye, Home wid ye!"

I glanced out of the front room window. At the top of a long ladder was a man with a hod of mortar on his shoulder. At the bottom was, Baby Felix. They are building a new house opposite us, a pen of mortar was mixed on the sidewalk, and in it with his night dress pulled up under his arms, baby was wading around with the mortar up to what dressmakers call the waist line, and he was crowing like a young rooster.

Thank the Lord I am not a mother, the nervous tension is terrible; I have fallen from a pier, with a bran new white duck suit on, where the water was three inches, and the mud three feet deep; I have been cornered by a fascinating female book agent and beguiled into paying three dollars for a huge volume, for which, I had no possible use; I have courted a charming girl eighteen months, spent twenty-seven dollars for theatres, dances, confectionery, etc., and then, accidentally sat down on her new winter hat, and smashed it, and our engagement, beyond all hope of repair. All this experience, was amusement, when compared with the mental anxiety of having sole charge of a healthy active baby. I can realize now, how "Daniel in the lion's den" and Jonah in the whale's stomach must have felt. They simply didn't know what was coming next.

I clapped on one of the Princess old aprons, and carried the lump of "total depravity" to the bath tub, he was hilariously happy and beamed on me like one of "Fra Angelico's" angels. As I was looking around for a scrub brush to give him a massage treatment, the door bell rang. I gave him his favorite kitten to play with and charged him not to leave the tub. At the door was a potato peddler, who looked as though he had been trying to asphyxiate himself with the fumes of a beer barrel and the syncope had all settled in his nose, which was a brilliant fiery red. As he refused to sell his potatoes by weight, we could not trade, and I hurried back to my task.

As I half expected, baby was gone. I stood still and listened, there came a sound of revelry from the laundry one flight down. When I reached the spot there stood Felix in the costume called by the late lamented "George Du Maurier" the "altogether." He, the baby, had pulled a box up to the set tubs, and stood upon it like a Greek statue, vainly trying to run the kitten's tail into the clothes wringer. As I took him in my arms, I heard rapid well known steps in the rooms above. Like "Pilgrim" of old, my "Burden rolled away," deliverance had come, it was the Princess. She had skipped two trains and missed the third just one minute.

I may be mistaken, but my impression is, that it is a chronic weakness of Wollaston people to miss trains; and I believe that when the end of time shall come; the "Last Trump" sound and the Chariot containing the "elect" shall be on the verge of sailing away to the "unknown country," if you look down Beale street, or up Newport avenue, you will see two or three men bolting frantically along; their coat tails flying in the wind. You may think they are bolting the Republican municipal ticket, but no, they are rushing for that chariot, waving their hats and shouting to the angel of rapid transit, to hold on just half a minute, and behind them one or two robust, middle aged ladies perspiring and puffing, striving pathetically to look serene and comfortable, as they windmill along to the station.

In conclusion, permit me to say to my masculine readers, if you wish to refine and purify your soul by the salutary discipline of patience; if you wish your spirit to soar up to those high plains of asthetic spirituality where the sordid cares of earth shall fade from your consciousness like the vision of a dream; if you wish to stand with triumphant feet on the mountain top of glorious achievement and bathe your soul in the radiant effulgence of heroic self-denial, you can obtain all this experience by taking charge of an infant a few hours while the mother goes shopping, and so shall you qualify yourself to enter that blessed kingdom where "The Lion and the Lamb shall lay down together and a little child shall lead them."

Castle Square Theatre.

The Castle Square theatre management offers as its first attraction for the new year the thrilling romantic drama of life on the plains, "Northern Lights," written and originally produced in this city some three years ago. The play deals with typical scenes of Frontier warfare in a most interesting way and contains many scenes and incidents calculated to arouse the patriotism of an American audience and the plot is cleverly developed and brought to an effective climax. The production will be made with the following cast: John Swiftwind, J. H. Gilmour; Sidney Sherwood, Wm. Humphrey; Wallace Gray, Chas. Mackay; Col. Gray, J. L. Seeley; Dan Horton, N H. Fowler; Lieut. Charles Sherwood, Tony Cummings; Elliot Barringtou Higgs, Lindsay Morison; Hon. Hugo Dare, Giles Shine; Gen. Crook, Alban W. Purcell; Captain Strong, John B. Walker; Lieut. Varum, John J. Geary; Helen Dare, Miss Maude Odell; Florence Sherwood, Miss Marian A. Chapman; Dorothy Dunbar, Miss Mary Sanders. Following "Northern Lights" on Monday Jan. 9th the Castle Square company will appear in William Gillette's three act comedy "Too Much Johnson."

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25c. If it fails to cure, your money will be refunded by A. G. Durgin, Quincy; Quimby's Pharmacy, East Milton; and Wollaston Pharmacy, Wollaston.

—It is expected that the President will attend the annual banquet of the Home Market club, in Boston, and a great occasion is looked for.

A CARD.

The undersigned does hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold or cough. He also warrants a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

Oct. 29—6m G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

Teeth, $10.00 per Set.

Gold Filling, $1.50 to $2.00. Silver Filling, $1.00. Cement Filling, 50 and 75 cts. Gold Crowns, $6.00. Cleaning, $1.00.

Money paid for extraction deducted from price of teeth to be made.

All work and materials the best.

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Quincy, Nov. 1. 1p 6m

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Oct. tf

A Roman Peace Jubilee.

Probably the most gorgeous peace jubilee that the world has ever seen was that celebrating at Rome the four triumphs of the first Cæsar. So magnificent were these triumphs that they were celebrated at intervals of several days lest the populace should be cloyed by very splendor. They commemorated the final conquest of all Gaul, the defeat of Ptolemaus, the subjection of Pharnaces and the victory over Juba. Never had the Eternal City, then standing upon the threshold of empire, ever seen the like. The Egyptian Princess Arsinoe and the son of the king of Numidia walked captives behind the car of the conqueror.

Costly figures and portraits of the slain enemies of the republic, representing the manner of their death, were borne by Gallic slaves or carried in litters by the men who had fought under the originals. Scipio, too, was shown plunging into the sea; Cato, burying his sword in his own bosom, and Demetrius, wounded in the back in token of his flight. Nor did the celebration stop with the processions. The most sumptuous banquets were served in the public squares, in one of which citizens reclined before 22,000 tables groaning under the accumulated weight of the most luxurious delicacies.

Public games were given and gladiators recruited from the most courageous prisoners fought with wild beasts from the ends of the earth and the circus was hung with huge awnings of silk brought from India at a time when a queen could not afford that material for her coronation robes.—Philadelphia Press.

A Dangerous Bouquet.

A short time ago a man and his two sisters were alone in a compartment on a German railway. At a station an elegantly dressed, thickly veiled woman entered the carriage, carrying a superb bouquet of roses. When the train started, she asked her fellow travelers if they would object to her closing the window. The man hastened to close it for her, and, in moving to get out of his way, the stranger dropped her roses. He picked them up for her, and, thanking him charmingly, she asked him to keep one. Then, turning to his companions, she graciously offered each of them a few of the flowers. Naturally the courtesy was accepted, and the next thing of which the travelers were conscious was that the train had arrived in Berlin; that their veiled companion had disappeared, and that all of their money and valuables had gone with her. Of course the roses had been drugged.

The police have discovered that the criminal is a young man, and that he has conducted a number of daring robberies in similar fashion. One must admit that it is the refinement of robbery, and, if one must be robbed at all, the rose method is preferable to sandbagging or garroting; but, after all, one may as well fight shy of veiled women with roses.—Exchange.

Woman In India.

The present position of women cannot be better shown than by the following extract from a government prize book for the girls' schools in the Bombay Presidency: "If the husband of a virtuous woman be ugly, of good or bad disposition, diseased, fiendish, irascible, a drunkard, old, stupid, dumb, blind, deaf, hot tempered, poor, extremely covetous, a slanderer, cowardly, perfidious and immoral, nevertheless she ought to worship him as a god, with mind, speech and person.

"The wife who gives an angry answer to her husband will become a village pariah dog. She will also become a female jackal and live in an uninhabitated desert. The woman who eats sweetmeats without sharing them with her husband will become a hen owl, living in a hollow tree. The woman who walks alone without her husband will become a filth eating village sow. The woman who speaks disrespectfully to her husband will be dumb in the next incarnation. The woman who hates her husband's relatives will become from birth to birth a muskrat, living in filth."—Church Gazette.

A Ball at Balmoral, 1860.

Nobody was in mourning, as it was a birthday, the queen in white, with a floating sash of royal Stuart tartan from her shoulders; about half the men in kilts. The queen made a circle, and then we went into the ballroom, where about 150 of the tenants, servants, etc., with their wives and daughters, were assembled. Reels then began, which were danced with great energy and also jigs—very droll. Prince Arthur danced like mad, and Princess Alice was "weel ta'en out" by the gamekeeper. I stood in a corner talking with the Duke of Argyll, etc. At last the prince came round and conversed very courteously for ten minutes. He had heard I had been in Germany lately, so we soon got into the heart of German and Austrian questions.

All this lasted two hours, and then the queen withdrew into the supper room, where there were sandwiches and champagne. She went round again and talked to Lord Melville, behind whom I was standing, and then made me a very gracious bow, but without saying anything to myself. — "Memoirs of Henry Reeve."

A Strange Marriage Story.

While a woman, aged 26, an ironer by trade, was being charged before the Harlesden magistrates with bigamy a curious scene took place. The mother was the chief witness against her daughter and told how she and the husband had sat in a pew in the church while the second marriage went on. The mother said she had told her son-in-law he had better stop the proceedings, but he answered: "I don't want to. I hope he'll be a better husband to her than I've been." The second husband, she said, knew it was a bigamous marriage. When she had finished, the first husband came forward to corroborate the strange story.—London Answers.

the ghastly terror of consumption stares a man in the face who neglects a cold.

HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

It's so simple to get rid of a cough or throat trouble by Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Acts like magic. Sold by druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after November 7, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY SQUARE for Neponset at 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.10 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET for Quincy at 6.15 A. M. and every 15 minutes until 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour and Neponset on the hour, go via. Hancock street direct.

Cars leaving Quincy at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour go via Newport avenue, Wollaston.

Cars leaving Quincy at 10 minutes past the hour go via Norfolk Downs, and those leaving Neponset at 30 minutes past go via Downs.

Cars leaving Neponset 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour go via Wollaston and continue through Braintree and Holbrook to Brockton, connecting with cars for Bridgewater, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Newport and Providence

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday to Thomas' Corner only.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave QUINCY at 5.30 A. M., 6.20, 7.20 and every hour until 12.20, then 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50 A. M. and every hour until 12.50, then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M., connect with trains to Boston at Quincy.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then at 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 6.55 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Brockton at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every half hour until 9.10 P. M., except on Wednesday and Saturday, when car at 9.40 runs through to Brockton. Cars at 9.40 and 10.10 to South Braintree every night.

Neponset to Atlantic and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET BRIDGE for Atlantic and Reed's Corner, *6.30, *7.30, 8.30, *9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00 *4.30, *5.00. (* To Squantum.)

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7.00, 8.00, 9.30, 5.00 and (6.00 to Quincy).

Leave READ'S CORNER for Neponset at 7.15, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45 (10.15 to Quincy), 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 5.15, and (6.15 to Quincy).

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

Eastern District.

On and after Jan. 1, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	* 6 32	5 53	ihgfedcba	*6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdef	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	fedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
9 33	xx	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs.	h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic.	i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.	
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square.	(xx), Express.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1897.	In 1896.
Sunday	36	45	24	17
Monday	33	29	32	35
Tuesday	41	38	35	19
Wednesday	24	39	22	27
Thursday	31	44	22	40
Friday	52	45	46	43
Saturday	39	44	40	45

New Advertisements Today.

Auction sale of household furniture.
Administrator's sale of furniture at auction.
Inauguration number of the Daily Ledger.
Dr. George H. Tuttle—Professional card.

INQUEST ON BURGLAR

Judge Humphrey to Make Investigation Next Week.

Judge Humphrey has ordered an inquest to determine, if possible, the cause of the death of the unknown burglar found on the morning of Dec. 23, at the residence of Mr. John Shaw.

The inquest will be held next Wednesday.

Over 1,000 Per Year.

Twenty more Quincy conveyances were recorded at the Dedham registry. This is at the rate of over one thousand per year, even in the winter season, and shows real estate to be unusually active in this city. The sales:

John V. Scott et al, to T. William Downs, $1.
Charles F. Adams, 2d, et al, supervisors to Hannah T. Duffy, $360.
John H. Dinegan to John Harkins, $1.
Henry H. Savage et al, trs. to William H. Cahoon, $1.
Michael F. Mahoney by mtgee. to Charles H. Shriver, $100.
Charles H. Shriver te Charles F. Adams et al, trs., $1.
George Hunter to Susan F. Chase, $1.
Hilda Carlson to Merton H. Wheelock, $1.
George F. Pinkham to Leila M. Goodspeed, $1.
John Biesty by mtgee. to Thomas Swithin, $600.
Harriet E. Giles to Clarence A. Hunt, $1.
John H. Storer et al, trs. to George F. Ross et al, $1.
William H. Baxter to Andrew S. Odom, $1.
George F. Elcock to James H. Elcock, $1.
James H. Elcock to Julia A. Elcock, $1.
James H. Elcock to George F. Elcock, $1.
George F. Elcock to Margaret J. Elcock, $1.
Charles E. Stratton to Henry W. Hunt, $1.
Henry W. Hunt to Mathew Morton, $1.
Martha L. Roberts to George O. Lamb, $1.

By STEPHEN E. WILSON, - Auctioneer.
Office 8 Faxon Block, Quincy, Mass.

PUBLIC AUCTION
— OF —
Household Furniture

Of the late Michael J. Carton,

Green House, off Washington street, just back of Tisdale's Stable, QUINCY POINT, on property known as "Point Holes,"

TUESDAY, Jan. 3, 1899,
at 1.30 P. M.

Consisting in part of the following articles: 1 Cherry Chamber Set, 1 Double Iron Bed, Oak Bureau and Commode, Springs, Mattresses and Pillows, 1 Walnut Extension Table, 1 Walnut Centre Table, 1 Rattan Baby Carriage, Child's High Chair, Rocking Chair, Ice Cream Freezer, one of Zenith's Upright Ice Chests, Stair Carpet, Rugs, Oil Cloth, Crockery, etc.

One Walnut English Eight-day Hall Clock.

One new Oak Chiffoniere, and articles too numerous to mention.
All the above are in first-class condition.
N. B. See the English Hall Clock.
Sale positive, rain or shine.
Dec. 31. 2t

By ELIJAH G. HALL, - Auctioneer.
Newbury Avenue, Atlantic.

Administrator's Sale of
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AT AUCTION,
SATURDAY, Jan. 7, 1899,
At 1 o'clock, P. M.

Will be sold at public auction on the premises, Myrtle street, Atlantic, all the household furniture of the estate of the late Philemon H. Davis, consisting of beds and bedding, bureaus, trunks, chests, range, parlor stoves, dining table, centre tables, pictures, sewing machine, clocks, sofas, rocking chairs, chairs, books, large Bible, looking glasses, whatnot, carpets, crockery, ice chest, coal, wash tubs, oil stove, one ladder, kindling wood, pitchfork, etc.
The house will be open on the morning of the sale for inspection of the goods.
Dec. 31. 2t 31-5

COUNCIL'S GOOD-BYE.

All Matters in Committee Referred to 1899.

President Pinkham Changes His Ruling.

And Mayor's Veto of Salary Order is Overruled.

The City Council of 1898 held its closing session last evening. It was of but brief duration, and in fifteen minutes it adjourned without date.

Councilmen Cain, Hill, Hultman, Merrick, Nicoll, Parker, Poland, Prout and Willard were absent.

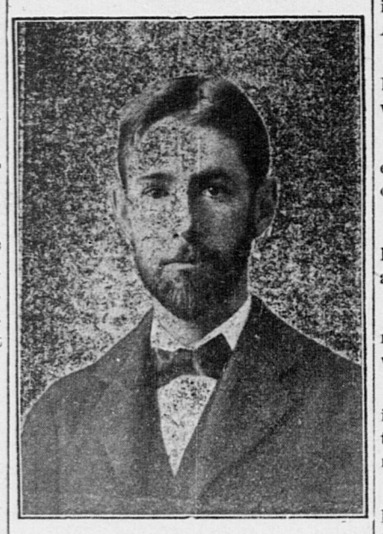
DOCKET CLEARED.

Upon motion of Councilman Freeman, all matters in the hands of committees were referred back to the Council and then referred to the next City Council.

Councilman Jameson asked what these matters were but no one could inform him.

THANKS.

Councilman Little offered resolves thanking President Pinkham, for the impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the Council; to Clerk Spear, for his fidelity to the duties of his office, and



PRESIDENT PINKHAM.

the manifest willingness with which he had aided all members and to City Messenger Tirrell, for the efficient and courteous discharge of the duties of his office the same to be spread upon the records.

The first resolve was put by Clerk Spear and the latter by President Pinkham, all being passed by a rising vote.

President Pinkham thanked the Council for the honor and could truthfully say the work had been pleasant to him. Doubly so by the kindness shown by the members. The office was an embarassing one at times, especially so when the President was called upon on the spur of the moment to refer matters, but as a whole the Council had been exceedingly kind and courteous and if he had proven satisfactory, he was more thankful.

CLERK OF COUNCIL SPEAR.

Before the vote was taken on the resolve thanking Clerk Spear, President Pinkham said he wished to state that the clerk had been more assistance to him than it has been possible for him to be to any other member. He is a great help and whatever smoothness there has been was due more to the clerk than to the presiding officer.

CALENDAR.

The order appropriating $100 for special poice and $10 0for enforcement of the liquor law took its second reading, and under the suspension of the rules was passed to be ordained.

The order transferring $453 from the receipts of the Highway department to the appropriation for that department, took its second reading and under suspension of the rules was passed to be ordained.

NEW YEAR'S GIFT.

At this point President Pinkham stated, that in his ruling last Monday evening on the vote taken on passing over the Mayor's veto the order increasing the salary of the Overseer of the Poor, that he was in error and he retracted it. His ruling at that time was that a two-thirds vote of the whole Council was necessary to pass the order over the Mayor's veto when the statutes provided it was two-thirds of the members present and voting. As the affirmative received 14 out of the 20 votes he would now rule that the order was passed, notwithstanding the objection of the Mayor.

Upon motion of Councilman Freeman the Council at 8.54 adjourned without date.

CRISP LOCAL NOTES.

Up-to-Date, Lively, Sparkling and Bright.

Rainy today.

Good bye, 1898..

Frank Badger of Clive street is quite ill.

The public schools will reopen Monday.

Monday will not be observed as a holiday.

A Happy New Year to readers of the Daily Ledger.

Vak natt service tonight from 9.30 to 12 at the Swedish Congregational church.

Watch service tonight at St. Paul's church, and the week of prayer will be observed.

George Skillings of East Bridgewater is the new ticket agent at the Quincy Adams station.

An eight-page edition of the Daily Ledger on Monday, Inauguration day, with special features.

The Daily Ledger will issue an eight-page Inauguration Day number on Monday with special features.

The burning of the grass on Third hill, Wollaston, early last evening, was a brilliant spectacle.

William Mahoney and family of Walnut street have moved into the Sullivan house on Old Colony street.

The Memorial church of Atlantic is being wired for electric light s and the old kerosene lamps will take a much needed rest.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Mount Wollaston Bank will be held on Tuesday, next, Jan. 3, at 3.30 P. M.

An amusing sketch by Mr. A. J. Preston of Wollaston appears today on one of the inside pages, "Five hours with a Wollaston baby."

The Eight Massachusetts regiment having been ordered to Matanzas, Cuba, it is probable that the Fifth Massachusetts will be the one to be mustered out, if any from this State.

A horse attached to a team, said to belong to Mr. Taylor of Houghs Neck, ran away in City Square this morning, and after going around the First church was stopped near the postoffice.

The household furniture of the late Michael J. Carton will be sold on Tuesday next, at the greenhouse back of Tisdale's stable, Quincy Point, by Auctioneer Wilson. A valuable English hall clock is among the articles to be sold.

Boynton & Russell, Charles H. Bachus, J. G. Cash, V. E. Miller and O. B. Plummer of Wollaston have signed an agreement to close their places of business on Wednesday afternoons at one o'clock. This goes into effect next Wednesday.

Miss E. J. Corlew will open her second quarter in dancing in Quincy on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 7. New pupils may enter at this time. Some of he beginners who entered this fall have already become proficient in the waltz.

The Fragment society will hold a meeting in the Unitarian chapel Wednesday afternoon, January 4th, at two o'clock, and the ladies who are to serve as supper committee on January 11th, are requested to be present.

Among the thousands present at the formal dedication of the new Southern Terminal in Boston yesterday, it was impossible to see everyone. Among those from Quincy noticed were: Mayor and Mrs. R. A. Sears, John R. Graham and wife, John A. Duggan and wife, William B. Glover, Miss Williams, Horace F. Spear and wife, W. F. Hoehn and wife, Edwin E. Davis, A. F. Schenkelberger, Amos E. Damon, Clarence Burgin and wife, Mrs. George Pfaffmann, James F. Burke, Moreton T. Swallow, Edward L. Robbins and Frank F. Prescott.

People's Course.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY,
SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 31
7.45 o'clock. Doors open 7.15.
THE
MARSHALL CHILDREN
AND
PROF. LEROY,
Conjurer.
Admission with Seat, 10c.
EMERY L. CRANE, FRED B. RICE, } Managers.

MARCH OF PROGRESS.

Quincy Now Favored With Metropolitan Water.

All Danger of a Short Supply is Over.

A Good Pressure and Plenty of Water Assured.

Quincy is now using water from the Metropolitan system, which comes from Nashua river through the pumping station at Fisher hill. This morning the pumps at the Quincy plant were stopped at 10 o'clock, and the gates near the Milton line were opened, allowing the new supply of water to flow into our pipes.

At 11 o'clock after the supply had been flowing into Quincy's pipe an hour, the pressure guage at the Water office in City Hall showed that the pressure was practically the same as under the Quincy system. The water in the stand pipe was gaining which showed that the supply was greater than the demand. The pressure gauge at Milton, indicated a little higher than at the Water office. This shows that there will not be any danger from bursting pipes in Quincy. The pumps of the Quincy system commenced to pump water into the stand pipe on Jan. 1, 1884. At that time there were few takers compared with the number of users today, for the syttem has grown rapidly. During the past few years there has been times when there was danger of a drought, and even after Quincy had entered the Metropolitan system but before it had been connected with the Quincy system, the Commissioners were considering plans for an additional temporary supply. The fear of a drought is now, however, a thing of the past.

Great Changes.

There is considerable activity on the Summer street extension to the east of the new Southern Terminal in Boston, and great changes will take place on the present site of the Old Colony depot.

Not only will the present passenger terminals of the Boston and Albany Railroad on Kneeland street, be converted into freight houses and yards, but the site of the former passenger station of the Old Colony railroad on the same street will be put to the same use. The Boston and Albany has purchased what was left of the Old Colony terminals at that point after the takings of the Boston Terminal Company were made.

The Albany has received permission from the city authorities to tear down the train house of the Old Colony station, and will do so in the near future. It has also made application for a permit to erect a freight honse on the site, the location being South street, near Kneeland. The new building will be of brick, 417 feet long and 87 feet wide, with a monitor roof. The estimated cost is $20,000.

Railroad Accident.

A serious railroad accident took place at Dedham yesterday. As a train from Boston was arriving at 8.50 a car from a freight train made a flying shunt and crashed into a passenger car of the train. Edwin M. Grover, assistant clerk of courts was thrown the length of the car and was internally injured in addition to cuts upon head and back. Miss Emma Wright of Boston and Conductor Ames were also internally injured and cut and bruised.

Undressed at Depot.

Robert Foy of West Quincy arrived home last night from a visit to the hub somewhat under the influence of alcoholic stimulants. When reaching the West Quincy depot he evidently thought that he had arrived home, and thinking it time to turn in for the night, he undressed himself, and hanging his clothing on the trunk truck proceeded to make himself comfortable for the night on the soft side of the gravel walk. It was at this point his slumbers were disturbed by Officer Bradley, who turned him over to night officer Hanson.

Vespers at First Church.

The following is the programme for vespers tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

"Let not your heart be troubled," Foster
"O Lamb of God," Lake
"The shadows of the evening hour," Barri—Shelley
"Saviour, when night dissolves the skies," Shelley
"He shall lead his flock," "Come unto Him," } From "Messiah," Handel

The annual watch night meeting will be held at the Wollaston Methodist church this evenning. The service will begin at ten o 'clock and close a few minutes after twelve.

New Year's Presents.

Useful and Seasonable

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Silk Mufflers, Umbrellas, Gloves, Silk Arm Bands, Fancy Braces, Handkerchiefs, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Scarf Pins.

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INAUGURATION DAY.

Monday Will be the Tenth Anniversary of the City.

Mayor Keith Will Then Assume Reins of Government.

The Programme for Inaugrration —A New City Council

Quincy should not have allowed its tenth anniversary as a city to have passed without a little extra demonstration or celebration. On Monday next the "City of Presidents" completes ten years of city government, although the legal date of incorporation was May 17, 1888, when the city charter was adopted. During this decade the population and valuation has practically doubled, and considerable progress has been made. In 1885, Quincy's population was but 12,145. Today it is upwards of 25,000. In 1888 the Assessors' valuation was $9,757,960, and in May, 1898, it was $19,236,832. But the inauguration day ceremonies will be about as usual, and no banquet or observance of the anniversary has been planned.

The ceremonies will be at 12 M., as required by the city charter. They will be opened by prayer, probably by Rev. Ellery Channing Butler of the First church. Last year, it was the privilege of City Clerk Keith to administer the oath of office to the new Mayor, and this year it will be Hon. Harrison A. Keith himself who will take the oath from City Clerk Cleaves, who will also obligate the members of the new City Council.

Mayor Keith will then deliver his address to the City Council. It will be somewhat longer that usual, and should be heard by the citizens generally. Those unable to attend the ceremonies will find it in full in large type in Monday's Ledger.

CITY CLERK CLEAVES,
Who will administer oath to Mayor-elect, and to temporary chairman of City Council.

The new Council will then proceed to organize and the vote of majority of the members of he Council will be necessary for the choice of a president. City Clerk Cleaves will preside until a president is elected, and no other business will be in order until a choice is made. The roll call shall be repeated until some person receive the votes of a majority, or until an adjournment is taken to the succeeding day.

A close contest for the presidency is probable between Councilmen Pinkham and Sidelinger, the former of Wollaston and the presiding officer the past year, and the latter elected at large. Both are young men, and have given the same number of years to work of the council.

A Clerk of Council will then be chosen, and the election of Clerk of Committees, City Auditor, City Messenger, two Trustees of the City Hospital, one Manager of the Woodward Fund and other business will be in order. Seats will probably be drawn and a committee on rules appointed. The only appointments probable will be a list of constables. An order to borrow money in anticipation of taxes is usually introduced at the first meeting and referred to a special committee.

All citizens of Quincy, ladies and gentlemen, are welcome to the inauguration ceremonies, and to the organization of the City Council, and attendance promises to be very large.

Hon. Harrison A. Keith will be the sixth gentleman to occupy the executive chair of the city. The Mayors and years of service have been:

Hon. Charles H. Porter,	1889-90
Hon. Henry O. Fairbanks,	1891-92-93
Hon. William A. Hodges,	1894-95
Hon. C. F. Adaams, 2d,	1896-97
Hon. Russell A. Sears,	1898

During the same time their have been but six Presidents of the City Council as follows:

Herbert M. Federhen,	1889
Henry O. Fairbanks,	1890
James Thompson,	1891-92
F. W. Henry Bass,	1893-94-95
Charles M. Bryant,	1896-97
Walter S. Pinkham,	1898

All the above were elected as Republicans. Wards One, Two, Three, and Five, have been represented in the chair, the latter with two, while Wards Four and Six have had neither President or Mayor, although they have had candidates for both positions.

Christopher A. Spear has been clerk of the City Council since the organization of the city goverment, serving also the first five years as City Clerk, and the last few years as clerk of committees.

HOME SET ON FIRE.

Kerosene Oil Much in Evidence —An Early Discovery.

A dastardly attempt was made early last evening by an incendiary to burn the Patrick Garrity estate on Willard street. The house is occupied by Patrick Cavanagh, who sleeps there and looks out for the premises.

The fire was discovered by neighbors who pulled in an alarm from Box 49 at 7.20. Before the department arrived they had with the aid of snow about extinguished the blaze.

An investigation showed that a pane of window glass had been removed by cutting away the sash, and that the glass had been carefully removed and placed against a pile of stone on the outside. Kerosene oil had then been used in considerable quantity and had then been fired. The ground outside of the window was covered with burnt matches, which showed that the party or parties had been at work there some time.

Was a Fire Trap.

Editor of Daily Ledger:

In your report of the fire at the Eagle Polishing Mills, you state that the fire was "evidently caused by an incendiary." Probably this is only a surmise. No one saw the fire until it was breaking through the roof from end to end of the building. The writer was well acquainted with the arrangement of the building and considered it little better than a fire trap. The only wonder is that it did not burn down long ago. A wooden partition was built within three or four inches of the brickwork of the boiler, and within thirty inches of the furnace door.

There was so heavy a head of steam in the boiler that it blew out the safety valve, at least so the owners state.

The furnace doors are usually left open at night, and, with so large a fire under the boiler as there evidently was, what is more likely than that some of the fire dropped out of the furnace and set fire to the wooden partition.

This custom of claiming that every fire connected with the granite business is of incendiary origin is all wrong. What we want in Quincy is some kind of an inspection of buildings. With such inspection, such a fire as this would be unknown, and insurance rates would decrease to an ordinary rate.

The Boston dailies went you one better. They saw a man running away from the fire at McGillvray & Jones' and of course claimed that as the work of an incendiary.

In connection with these fires, I think it a pertinent question to ask, where was the officer of the beat that he did not discover the fire at the Eagle Polishing Mill?

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Quincy, Dec. 30, 1898.

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Some of the Features of the Eight-Page Inauguration Day Quincy Ledger:

Address in full of Mayor Keith.
Sketches of the New Councilmen.
Portraits of Many Councilmen.
Organization of the New Council.
New Year's Story.
All the Local and Telegraphic News.

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Are the Women Bashful?

Some Young women are bashful. They are afraid to go into a Clothing store to trade. Bless you! a clothing store is one of the easiest places in the world to get acquainted in. All you've got to do is to come in and you feel at home the minute you get in. You can go around and look at things all alone if you want to and you are always sure to find things that a man wants. The only trouble is you won't feel acquainted with such prices if you come into our store.

You'll see two thousand Ties strung out in all the swell styles and shapes at 25c.—Puffs, Techs, Imperials, Strings, Band, Bow and Four-in-Hands. These are the kind the dry goods stores sell for 37c, marked down from 75c. If you want the kind they sell for 25c., you'll see them here, too, only at 19c.

You'll see the swellest line of Umbrellas you ever saw at $3.00 for $5.00 ones, down to 98c. for $1.50 ones.

You'll see so many things that men want that you'll wish you had more friends to buy for. Come in and get acquainted—not with us particularly, but with our prices on Suspenders, Hosiery, Arm Bands, Mufflers, and the hundred and one things that men want. You'll be glad you saw us.

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LAND VALUES

A Transcript From the Books of the Assessors.

Also the Amount of Each Persons Tax Bill for 1898.

Number of Feet in Each Lot and Valuation Thereof.

[Continued from yesterday.]

The publication of the value of land in Quincy owned by residents was commenced Aug. 30 and was concluded Dec. 2. Today the Ledger gives the value of lots owned by non-resident, the instalment including people who live in towns beginning with "B."

WARD FIVE.

Valuation of Land Only.	Total Ward Tax.
Mann, Richard T., Boston, 5,000. West Elm ave., $400.	7 20
Mann, George J., Boston, 5,000, Sec. 6, $300.	5 40
Martin, Jennie B., Boston, 5,000, Royal, $300.	45 00
Marden, Frank, heirs, Boston, 43,216, Greenleaf place, $1,600.	28 80
Martin, Alexander and Josephine L., 4,500, Hamden circle, $225.	4 05
Matt, Lewis A., 7,560, Hancock, $700.	12 60
McArthur, Arthur and Williard McLeod, 4,200, Bromfield, $300.	5 40
McArdell, Fred W., 4,300, Davis, $300.	5 40
McAuley, Mary A., 5,000, Sachem, $250.	4 50
McCarty, Lucy C., 5,250, Phillips, $400.	7 20
McCarty, Marion A., 5,250, Phillips, $300.	5 40
McFarland, Jennie P., 5,000, West Elm ave., $400.	7 20
McKay, Marion J., 4,720, Hancock, $450.	8 10
McKenny, Mary T., 5,397, Hamden circle, $350.	6 30
McLean, John W., 5,000, Sec. 6, $350.	6 30
McLellan, James D., 7,035, Hamden circle, $500.	9 00
Merrill, D. H., and H. M. Shaw, 4,200, Beach, $300.	5 40
Merrill, George E., and others, 9,375, Sachem, $400.	7 20
Merrill, G. E., and Nathaniel P., 5,000. West Elm ave., ave., $350.	4 50
Merrill, Margaret M., 4,200, Beach, $300.	5 40
Merrill, Nathaniel P., 4,200, Beach, $300.	5 40
Messer, Ambrose P., 5,000, Central ave., $350. 5,000, " " $350.	106 20
Metcalf, Joseph A., 5,000, Sachem, $250.	4 50
Monast, Tancrede D., 4,000, Briggs, $200. 4,000, Kemper, $200.	7 20
Mitchell, William H., 5,250, Willow, $400.	7 20
Mogan, William J., 5,630, Rideway, $350.	6 30
Morrison, Roderick 5,000, West Elm ave., $400.	7 20
Morse, Charles W., 5,000, Sec. 6, $250. 5,000, " 6, 200.	8 10
Morse, Emma M. C., 4,120, Elmwood ave., $250.	33 30
Moltedo, Angelo 8,227, Standish ave., $600. 8,983, " " $625.	22 05
Murray, Frank P. 4,700, Bass, $400.	7 20
Nye, James P., and Samnel N. Mayo, 5,000, Sachem, $250.	18 90
Neal, Edgar A., 4,200, Beach, $300.	5 40
Nelson, George 3,512, Eustis, $300.	5 40
Newhall, Josephine E. 3,780, Beach, $300.	5 40
Ober, Lewis P., 48,750, Sec. 5, $2,000.	36 00
O'Connell, James 5,000, Sec. 6, $300.	5 40
O. C. R. R. Co., 1-2 acre at statton, $7,000. 18,768 ft., off Taylor, 1,400 2.527, " Sherman, 500 2,781, Woodbine, 400 16,958, " 1,350 600, Old Colony ave., 50 12,000, of Adams, 600 12,000, " " 600 1,464, " Faxon, 100 9,570, Warren ave., 550 7,885, Greenleaf est., 300 3,620, of Chamberlain, 100 4,960, " Faxon, 200 600. " Rhodes, 50 5,935, " Hudson, 175 600, Old Colony ave., 50 600, of Prescott, 50 6,000, " Adams, 375 6,000, " " 375 6,000, " " 375 8,310, " " 350 6,000, " " 250 6,000 " " 250 600, " Gordon, 50 7,262, T. R., & S. Co., 700 2,511, " " " " " 250	324 90
Osborne, Frank L., 7,000, Chick, $350.	6 30
O'Toole, Lawrence J., 5,087, Gould, $300	5 40

To be continued.

☞A limited number of back copies of the Ledger containing the land values can be obtained for five cents each at the office of publication.

For the Hospital.

The following additional sums have been received by Mrs. Relief B. Floyd from the granite manufacturers for the ten cent collection for the Hospital Aid Association.

McGrath Bros. & employes,	$4.75
Craig & Co. & employes,	5.00
Kavanagh Bros. & employes,	5.20
John Mason & Co. & employes,	3.50
McGilvray & Jones & employes,	1.00
Long & Senniter & employes,	1.00

Keith's Theatre.

Louise Thorndyke-Boucicault will be the star attraction at Keith's for the week of Jan. 2. She will appear in a one-act play entitled "A Proper Impropriety," and will be supported by Howard Kyle. The piece was acted at Keith's a couple of years ago by Frederic Bryton and Grace Filkins, and was then credited to Augustus Thomas. Although it was considered by the majority of critics one of the best dramatic pieces ever offered in the vaudeville, it has not been played since that time. Amy Lee who enjoys the distinction of being considered one of the cleverest soubrettes on the stage will appear in a sketch that will give her ample opportunity to display her versatility as an impersonator of odd characters. Other attractions will be Paulton and Dooley, English comedy bicyclists; Louise Truax, the celebrated girl whistler. There will be several new and interesting pictures in the biograph, as usual.

—The Haverhill Gazette has rounded out a century of existence, one of the oldest papers in the state, and celebrated the event by printing an illustrated historical edition, giving many views, past and present, of the big shoe city.

BORN.

BRACKETT—In Quincy, Dec. 30, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Brackett.
McGIBBON—In Braintree, Dec. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGibbon, a daughter.
BURNHAM—In Braintree, Dec. 28, to Mr and Mrs. George Burnham, a son.

MARRIED.

BUTLER—WALES—In Braintree, Dec 21, by Rev. Thomas Van Ness, Mr. Willis Howard Butler of New York city to Miss Mary Helen Wales of Braintree.

DIED.

JOHNSON—In Quincy, Dec. 31, Carl F., son of Mr. Victor and Mrs. Selma Johnson aged 24 days.
SPEAR—In Quincy, Dec. 30, Samuel W Spear, aged 56 years and 4 months.
ROSS—In South Braintree, Dec. 30, M. Louise wife of William A. Ross, aged 49 years and 11 months.
HARNISH—In Braintree, Dec. 28, Henry S. son of Isaiah and Sarah Harnish, aged 9 years, 6 months and 15 days.
HOLLIS—In Braintree, December 29, Elizabeth, widow of the late J. M. Hollis, aged 75 years, 2 months and 15 days.

A SENSIBLE MAN

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all Throat and Lung Troubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a Sample Bottle *Free* to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Price 25 cents and 50 cents.

"Good Pickles are Helps to Health."

French vs. English

The Frenchman who, when bidding a friend good-bye said "May Heaven pickle you," *meant* all right—he said "pickle" when he should have said "preserve."

A little mistake in the proper use of names often leads up to unpleasant situations. If you will just remember, please, that the words, "Bunker Hill Pickles" stand for good, sound, crisp pickles, you will make no mistake in ordering your pickles.

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Quincy, Dec. 27. 5t

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET—A House of 9 rooms at No. 12 South Walnut street. Nearly quarter of an acre of land with fruit trees. Apply to ALEXANDER McCABE, 16 Penn street.
Quincy, Dec. 24. 6t

FOR SALE—Berlin street, Wollaston, new modern house, 8 rooms; near steam and electric cars. Easy terms. Also loam for sale. Apply to THOS. FENNO, 385 Hancock street.
Nov. 9. tf

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TO LET—Single house at Norfolk Downs, near church, school and beach. Newly painted and papered. All modern conveniences. Rent, $20 per month. Address, P. O. Box 32, Wollaston, Mass. dec 23 12t

TO LET—Single house with nine rooms, at 22 Hancock street. Possession given Dec. 1st. Enquire at 11 School street.
Quincy, Nov. 7. tf

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APARTMENTS of five large rooms and bath, with all modern improvements. Also two large stores. Rent moderate. Apply to ARTHUR CRAIG, or J. W. HAYDEN, at Craig Building, cor. Copeland and Garfield Sts.
Quincy, July 15. tf

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House of 8 rooms, etc., No. 20 Canal street, Quincy. Nice house, excellent location.
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Quincy, Oct. 8. pl tf

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Sept. 10. tf

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Feb. 26. tf

WHEN I WAS A BOY.

Up in the attic where I slept
When I was a boy, a little boy,
In through the lattice the moonlight crept,
Bringing a tide of dreams that swept
Over a low, red trundle bed,
Bathing the tangled curly head,
While the moonbeams played at hide and seek
With the dimples on the sun browned cheek—
When I was a boy, a little boy!

And, oh, the dreams—the dreams I dreamed
When I was a boy, a little boy!
For the grace that through the lattice streamed
Over my folded eyelids seemed
To have the gift of prophecy
And to bring the glimpses of time to be
When manhood's clarion seemed to call—
Ah, that was the sweetest dream of all
When I was a boy, a little boy!

I'd like to sleep where I used to sleep
When I was a boy, a little boy!
For in at the lattice the moon would peep,
Bringing her tide of dreams to sweep
The crosses and griefs of the years away
From the heart that is weary and faint today,
And those dreams should give me back again
A peace I have never known since then—
When I was a boy, a little boy!
—Eugene Field.

THE GRAVE'S ODOR.

We were lolling in a couple of easy chairs on the veranda one evening after dinner, Stanfield and I, when my friend sent the glowing stump of his cheroot pirouetting down the steps, and, turning in his chair, said abruptly:

"Do you know, Dick, a man was shot once just where you're sitting?"

Naturally I was startled, and, instead of replying to Stanfield's remark, glanced uneasily down the long, ghostly veranda, of which the outer edge lay in bright moonlight, while the inner portion was wrapped in the dense shadow of the partly drawn bamboo jalousies.

"I know the feeling," said Stanfield, noting my uneasiness. "I never sit here of an evening without getting a creepy sensation all over me. The servants say the old bungalow is haunted, and I shouldn't wonder if they are right. Anyhow, if it isn't, it ought to be, for the story connected with it is an uncanny one altogether. See that hole in the jalousies there on your right?"

"Do you mean that oblong slit just above the balustrade? 'Pon my word, against the moonlight, it looks for all the world like a malignant eye!"

"So it is," said Stanfield, with a slight shiver. "It was through that hole Judge Robertson, my predecessor, was shot."

"Ah, I've heard there was a strange story connected with his death, but I know none of the particulars. Suppose you light another weed and talk me out of this creepy fit."

"Talk you into a worse one, more like," retorted Stanfield, striking a fusee. "I'll wager you never heard a weirder story. But you shall have the facts and then judge for yourself."

With that he settled himself in his chair, and after puffing reflectively at his cheroot for some seconds went on to tell me the story of the shot through the jalousies:

"Robertson, you must know, was an Eton boy, like myself. We were chums, in fact, in the old days, and that is how I came to know of a peculiar tradition, if I may so name it, that is said to have been in his family for centuries.

"I don't know whether you believe in death warnings, Dick, but it seems that for hundreds of years no Robertson has ever died without first having a distinct premonition of his approaching end, and, what is more remarkable still, the warning always comes in the form of an odor, an earthy smell—the smell of a new dug grave.

"Well, about a week before his death, when he was on his way to take up his appointment here, in fact, Robertson passed through Malariabad, where I was at that time stationed as collector, and of course I put him up for the night. After dinner we were sitting smoking, just as you and I are now, when presently he says:

"'Stanfield,' says he, 'there's a devilish queer smell about. Been having any digging done on the premises?'

"'No,' said I, 'I haven't, and for the life of me I can't smell anything except these Dindiguls we're smoking.'

"'Perhaps that's what it is, then,' said he doubtfully, and for half an hour or so the subject was dropped.

"Just as we were making a move for bed, however, he suddenly grips my hand, and, 'Stanfield,' says he hoarsely, 'for God's sake tell me that your people have been digging somewhere near or that there's been a shower. I can't get that earthy smell out of my nostrils. It's like standing over a new made grave.'

"Just a week later, to a day, I was at work in my office one morning when a peon brought in a telegram. Dick, that telegram brought the news that Robertson had been shot dead by his own butler at 8 o'clock the evening before!"

"By his own butler!" I exclaimed horrified; for while Stanfield was relating this tragic tale I had heard the voice of his butler giving orders to the table boys in the dining room at our back.

"Yes, by his own butler," resumed Stanfield, "and on the very spot where you sit. Indeed," consulting his watch, "it happened just at this time, for it's now 8 o'clock to the minute."

"But," I cried, glancing apprehensively at the eyelike aperture in the jalousies, "why by his butler? For heaven's sake, explain!"

"I will," continued Stanfield, "but first I must hark back a bit and tell you that the telegram ordered me to proceed at once to this station as Robertson's successor. Well, I did so, and almost my first duty as a judge was to try the poor fellow's murderer."

"The butler?"

"The butler, and that brings me to the explanation you asked for a moment ago. Robertson, it appears, had had a case before him in which a native was charged with maltreating his wife, a mere child barely 12 years of age, in such a brutal manner as to cause her being uncommon, as you know, and Robertson—well, he did what almost any other English judge would have done under the circumstances—gave the scamp his deserts and sentenced him to death.

"Now this occurred only a few hours before he was murdered, and you will at once suspect some hidden connection between the two events. And you are right. In passing sentence of death upon the brutal native he virtually passed sentence upon himself.

"Robertson had in his service at the time, among other servants, a butler who was related to the man he had just condemned. Whether he was aware of the exact relationship existing between the two I don't know, but I am inclined to think not. As a matter of fact, when Robertson sat down to dinner that night, after sentencing the native to death, he was waited upon by the convict's own brother.

"You observed a rifle on the dining room wall, I have no doubt, just opposite your place at table. It was from that rifle the fatal shot was fired.

"Not while Robertson was at dinner, though. The butler was too wily for that. He bided his time until his master had seated himself in his usual place here on the veranda, taken his coffee and smoked his cheroot. Then, when these had begun to make him drowsy, the fellow took the rifle from the wall—it was always kept loaded—and crept through the bedrooms to the far end of the veranda, where, as you see, the shadow lies so deep.

"Sitting as we are now, you observe that the steps between the far end of the veranda and the jalousies with the hole in it are concealed by the row of pillars, and you will readily understand how a barefooted native might creep along those steps under cover of the pillars and apply his eye to the hole without being either seen or heard. Well, that is just what the butler did. Only he did something more.

"After applying his eye to the hole he noiselessly inserted the muzzle of the rifle in the aperture, took deliberate aim at his master's heart and fired. Poor Robertson! He never knew what hurt him."

Stanfield ceased speaking, and a painful silence fell upon us both. The movement of a lizard in the jalousies through which the shot had been fired sent a thrill of horror through my nerves. I fancied I could hear the butler's stealthy footsteps and see the gleam of the rifle barrel in the moonlight. So awfully real was my conception of the whole scene that, at last, in sheer desperation, I spoke and so broke the spell.

"Hadn't Robertson a wife? I have an idea that I once met her in Madras."

"He had, and speaking of her reminds me that my story is still unfinished. In fact, the most remarkable part of it is yet to come.

"About a year before her husband's death Mrs. Robertson, it seems, went home to England for her health, and when I last saw Robertson alive—the night he had the strange premonition, you remember—he was daily expecting her back. Well, it is a singular coincidence, but perfectly true, that the steamer she was a passenger by entered Bombay harbor on the very evening and at the very hour when Robertson was shot.

"Mrs. Robertson had gathered all her traps together, intending to disembark that night, and as soon as she heard the anchor dropped she left the cabin to go on deck. In her hand she carried a small traveling clock, and just as she reached the foot of the companion stairs she glanced at it and saw that the hour was exactly 8 o'clock. At the same moment an indescribable terror seized her. She looked up quickly, and there on the steps above her stood her husband.

She sprang up the steps to meet him, but he suddenly and mysteriously disappeared. At the top of the steps she ran against the purser.

"'There's no hurry, madam,' said he, 'the tender's not alongside yet.'

"'But my husband!' cried Mrs. R. 'I saw him here just now. How did he come aboard?'

"'Madam,' replied the purser, 'you must be mistaken. Not a living soul has boarded the ship tonight.'

"And he was right, for if Mrs. R. saw anything, as she declares she did, it must have been the spirit of her dying husband."

"Let us go in," said I, rising hastily. "This night air has given me a chill."
—New York Journal.

Decorated by Christina.

"In the suburbs of Sedalia, Mo.," says the Kansas City Times, "there lives a scholarly gentleman who was awarded the Order of Christina by the Queen of Spain for his zealous care of her two grandsons, Raymondo Guell y Borbon and Fernando Alfonso, who afterward became the King of Spain, and was the father of little Alfonso, the present king. This gentleman is Colonel Van B. Wisker, whom nearly all Missourians with a state acquaintance know."

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To make this garment 8 yards of cloth, 54 inches wide, will be required, and, if band trimming like that shown in the illustration be used, one will require 1 1-2 yards of satin antique. Should maker desire to face revers and collar with satin, another 3-4 of a yard of that material will be required.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 1—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—The angel presence for the new year.—Ex. xxiii, 20-25.

Behold I send an angel before thee, to keep thee in the way and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared. Beware of him and obey his voice.—Ex. xxiii, 20, 21.

The Israelites had left Egypt and were on their way to the land of Canaan. They needed a guide in the wilderness, and God provided them with one, described here as an "angel." This angel was undoubtedly the "Angel of the Covenant," or the Lord Jesus Christ Himself, who guided Israel in the pillar of cloud by day and in the pillar of fire by night.

The Christians' journey through life is typified by Israel's journey through the wilderness. We are traveling each year and each day over ways which we have not trodden before. This is particularly enforced upon us at the beginning of each new year, because at that time we think more about it. We need a guide, and God has provided us with one also, the same guide, the Lord Jesus, the "Angel of the Covenant," only manifested and revealed unto us in more and better ways.

Concerning Christ as the angel presence, we may learn that:

1. Christ is a divine guide. It was God's angel, God's messenger, who directed Israel. "My name," said the Lord, "is in him." Christ is divine. This makes His guidance infallible and worthy of our most earnest and complete acceptance.

2. Christ is an ever present guide. By day in the pillar of cloud, by night in the pillar of fire, Christ guided Israel. Orientals were accustomed to marching at night, because of the extreme heat of the day. Fire and smoke were probably used by generals in ancient times as signals, and for this reason God probably chose this form of manifesting His presence. Day and night He went before Israel. Christ today is ever present. "Lo, I am with thee alway," He said to His disciples. We need an ever present guide. Many intrust themselves to God at night, but not for the day. We need Him more through the day than when asleep at night. Then it is that we meet the trials, temptations and duties of life, and it is at these times that we need God in Christ most.

3. Christ is an adaptive guide. The pillar adapted itself to the needs of the people. In the daytime it was a cloud, at nighttime a fire. At one time it moved in front as a guiding beacon, at another it settled over the camp as a canopy, and again it went behind, between Israel and its enemies. Jesus Christ as a divine guide is adapted to the needs and wants of all classes and to the same person under all the varied circumstances of life.

4. Christ as a guide must be followed, or life will be a failure. If we disobey Christ, life will end in miserable failure. "Beware of Him and obey Him." If we obey Christ, His guidance will bring us safely to the home which He has prepared for us.

Bible Readings.—Ex. xii, 41, 42; xiii, 20-22; xiv, 19-28; Ps. xxv, 8-10; xxxi, 1-5; xxxii, 7-11; xlviii, 14; lxxiii, 24-28; cxix, 105; Neh. ix, 19; Isa. xl, 25-31; lviii, 11, 12; Math. xxviii, 19, 20; Luke i, 76-79; John xiv, 1-7.

An Upright Judge.

An amusing incident occurred in one of our courts recently. A man complained of for cruelty to animals brought in a considerable number of his wealthy friends to assure the court that he ought not to be punished. After listening carefully to all these gentlemen, the court said to the man complained of: "It is very evident, sir, that you knew better than to commit this offense. If you had been a poor man without friends I would have fined you $10; but, under the circumstances, as your friends have stated them, I shall fine you $20."—Our Dumb Animals.

An Age of Narrowness.

I wonder how it would be if Jesus of Nazareth were to appear in the flesh in this age of breadths. I wonder if He would be regarded as an anachronism. Would He be regarded as inopportune if He were to begin talking about strait gates and narrow ways? Would He be regarded as sounding a discordant and jarring note? I verily believe that if our Master were in the world today and at this meeting one of the words He would revive would be this word "narrow."—Rev. J. H. Jowett.

When He Is Absent.

I think when we have read enough of the history of God's dealings with His people to understand that this is the way of Him—that if He ever is absent from His people, it is not in their time of direct need, and if ever He does reveal Himself to them, as He does not unto the world, it is when they are bereaved of all outward consolation and for His sake are made to bear tribulation.—Spurgeon.

Christian Sacrifice.

Sacrifice is a necessary condition of eternal felicity. In the old Norse legend Allfadir did not obtain a drink from the spring of Mimir, which was reputed to be the fountain of wisdom, until he left his eye in pledge. If a man would be a Christian, there are always some things that must go. We are saved from, not with, our sins. The old nature cannot be imported into paradise.—New York Observer.

Divine Truth.

Divine truth, like divine love, is of God—infinite, eternal, unchangeable, indestructible, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.—Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall.

Christ's Atonement.

The extent of Christ's atonement may reach out in saving influence to the untold millions that never heard of Him as a Saviour if they accept the offer of mercy extended.—Rev. Paul C. Curnick.

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PACKERS' TESTIMONY

As to Quality and Process of Canning Roast and Corned Beef.

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Board of Survey Will Investigate, by Order of the War Department.

Washington, Dec. 31.—General Eagan yesterday received from Lieutenant Colonel Smith, the commissary officer at Chicago, a report made by Armour & Co., who furnished the army with a large part of its tinned roast beef. The report was in response to specific interrogatories from General Eagan.

The report in part says: Our system of preparing and putting up our roast and corned beef is by the Appert process, invented in 1809. This process has been well known to scientific inquiry since the date of its invention, but its commercial use by manufacturers and dealers in canned meats may be said to be limited to the past 30 years. Nothing has been discovered that produces superior results. There never has been any complaint of deterioration of the contents of cans put up by this process. We have been putting up and selling tinned roast and corned beef for the past 25 years and have been supplying consumers of food products for this entire period. All grocers and meat markets have these goods and have had them on sale during this length of time, and no objection has been raised to their use by consumers, nor has there been any detrimental results following their consumption. The use of these descriptions of goods is annually increasing. We have put up during the past 20 or 30 years about 200,000,000 pounds.

During the past five years we have sold to the British government for army and navy use, largely in India and Egypt, nearly 25,000,000 pounds, and to the French government within the past six or seven years about an equal quantity. To the republic of Brazil and to South Africa we are now annually shipping thousands of tons of these goods. No chemicals of any description are used by us in the manufacture of either tinned roast beef or corned beef. No scraps are used by us in the manufacture of the goods mentioned. Our tinned roast and corned beef are manufactured from what are called "chucks" and "plates," being portions of the animals that are regarded is first-class in every particular, and no scraps of any description are prepared or used in the manufacture of these goods. If any small pieces of meat are found in a can they are incident to the cutting of the original pieces from which its contents are taken, and occasionally are necessarily used to give the proper weight. No tallow is poured into the cans by us in the preparation of our tinned roast beef; the only addition to the natural condition of the beef is a small portion of beef jelly prepared especially for this use, to bind together the contents of the can.

In reply to your question as to "whether any packer who is furnishing refrigerated beef to the subsistance department has ever or anywhere or to any extent used any chemicals of any kind whatsoever in the treatment of the refrigerated beef; whether any chemicals whatsoever touched the meat itself," we state that we are without sufficient definite information to answer your question respecting the mode adopted by other packers, but for ourselves we state that at no time during the past, nor at present, do we use chemicals of any kind whatsoever, and that therefore the refrigerated meat furnished your department could not have been touched by any chemical of any description.

Neither the meat furnished by us to your department nor that supplied by us for consumption in almost every state in the Union, has ever at any time been treated by us by any chemical process of any kind whatsoever.

As a result of the issue between General Miles and General Egan, concerning the quality of the beef supplied the army, and on the written request of General Egan, the war department last night issued a special order for the assembling of a board of officers in Washington on next Tuesday to inquire into the general subject of the quality of the beef supplies, and particularly as to the responsibility for the loss of 300,000 pounds of refrigerator beef sent to Porto Rico, when the expedition under General Miles was there.

The special order is as follows: "By direction of the secretary of war, a board of survey is hereby ordered to convene at the war department, Washington, at 10 a. m., Jan. 3, 1899, to examine into and report upon the responsibility for the loss of about 300,000 pounds of refrigerated beef, the property of Swift & Co. of Chicago, to ascertain and report if due and proper effort was made to feed this beef to the troops in Porto Rico and to fix the responsibility if due and proper effort was not made; to ascertain and report the character and quality of the refrigerated beef herein referred to; to ascertain and report if it was good and fit meat for issue; if it had been subjected to any chemical processes whatever, and to report whether or not the United States is responsible for the loss of the beef, or who, if anyone, is responsible for its loss and whether in its opinion Swift & Co. should or should not be reimbursed for the beef."

The 300,000 pounds of beef referred to was shipped from Newport News to Porto Rico about the time that word came from General Miles that he had supplied himself with fresh beef taken on the island. The refrigerated beef made the trip to Porto Rico and back, but by the time it reached Montauk Point it is understood to have spoiled, owing to the delay and consequent lack of refrigerating material.

Hasn't Heard From Miller.

Washington, Dec. 31.—A cablegram was received at the war department yesterday from General Otis, but to the disappointment of the officials he announced that he had not yet heard of the result of the landing of General Miller's force at Iloilo.

The cabinet meeting yesterday was not concluded until nearly 2 o'clock, nearly the entire session being consumed in discussing matters in connection with the administration of the law in Cuba. It was pointed out that the collection of the taxes and the customs dues, the administration of the laws relating to postal matters, and the courts and many other important branches of the government of the island, would be a burden too heavy to be borne by the military governor, assisted only by a small staff, all more or less inexperienced in such matters.

Practically a new government had to be established, and it was agreed that the multitudinous affairs incident to such an undertaking could be successfully administered only by the creation of several bureaus, at the head of which would be placed men of wide experience in the particular work to which they would be assigned, all to be under the general direction of the military governor. These matters were gone over at some length, and it is expected that the several cabinet members will take up the details of the proposed plan at once as far as their respective departments are concerned, and submit their conclusions to the president at an early date.

It is proposed to duplicate in a small way, and as far as practicable, the systems now in force in the United States, the collectors of customs and of taxes being directly responsible to the military governor, the same as our secretary of the treasury, who is charged with these functions, is to the president. It is proposed, too, to employ citizens of the island in every subordinate capacity, if this can be done without detriment to the service.

This course, it is contended, would promote a friendly feeling toward the United States, and avoid the friction that necessarily would result from sending among them men who are strangers to their customs and traditions.

Funeral Services In Senate.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The funeral services of the late Senator Morrill were held in the senate chamber today at noon, Rev. Mr. Leavitt, pastor of All Souls' church, officiating, assisted by the chaplain of the senate.. The president, the cabinet and members of the diplomatic corps attended. The public galleries were opened to the friends and admirers of the deceased senator. Senator Morrill's remains will be taken to Vermont for interment, in charge of a joint committee of senators and representatives, conducted by Colonel Bright, the sergeant-at-arms of the senate. The party will leave tomorrow morning.

Notice to Postmasters.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The Canadian government announces that it has reduced the domestic letter rate from 3 to 2 cents an ounce, commencing Jan. 1. Under the convention between the United States and Canada letters are sent from this country to Canada for 2 cents, the domestic rate of each country applying to each letter sent. The reduction made is reciprocal and for the first time permits letters to be sent from the other side at 2 instead of 3 cents. Postmaster General Smith calls the attention of all postmasters in the country through the press to the reduction and to its taking effect New Year's day with a view to preventing matter so sent being charged up as "short paid."

Capitol Gleanings.

The navy department is informed that the gunboat Wilmington arrived at San Juan yesterday on her way to Trinidad and the Orinoco country. The collier Cassius has been placed out of commission. The auxiliary cruiser Mayflower has sailed from Manzanillo for Cienfuegos. The collier Sterling left Montevideo yesterday for San Juan.

Provision has been made by the navy department for the establishment of a mail service between Manila and Guam, our new naval station in the Pacific. Admiral Dewey has been instructed that, after the Yosemite arrives at Manila, he must send a mail to the island of Guam at least once in every two months, using any vessel of the navy available for the service.

Treasurer Roberts mailed checks today in payment of interest on the 4 percent funded loan of 1907, amounting to $5,559,000, due on Jan. 1. Jan. 3 he will mail checks in redemption of Central Pacific 6 percent bonds, due Jan. 1, amounting to $12,700,000. By this means the treasury will materially reduce its stock of free gold, which today amounted to nearly $246,000,000.

Solicitor General Richards has rendered an opinion in which he holds that under section 29 of the tariff act of July 24, 1897, if the refined metal set aside as the product of imported lead ore is not re-exported within six months from the date of the receipt of the ore, the regular duties must be paid on the imported ore and not upon the refined metal produced therefrom.

More About Army Chaplains.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Chaplain Sam Small of the Third volunteer engineers, referring to his recent remarks concerning army chaplains, says: "What I really said was sadly garbled in the boiling down process. I believe army chaplains can do great good if provided with proper equipment in the way of tents, music, lights and lumber for seats, etc. I have no complaint myself, because the officers and men in our regiment have voluntarily helped provide these things. But chaplains generally are not so fortunate, and it was for them I spoke when I said and repeat that unless they are better outfitted for work they had better be omitted from the army scheme altogether."

Roosevelt at Albany.

Albany, Dec. 31. — Governor-elect Roosevelt, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, their six children and household servants, arrived here yesterday afternoon. The governor-elect and his family were driven to the executive mansion, where they were received by Governor and Mrs. Black. Both families had dinner together at the executive mansion.

Badly Burned.

Waltham, Mass., Dec. 31.—Mrs. Maria P. Smith was probably fatally burned last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Reuben Cobb. A hanging lamp in the front hall fell to the floor, and Mrs. Smith hurried to throw the burning lamp out of doors. In so doing she was badly burned about the head and body.

THE BRITISH PRESS.

Late War Furnishes a Fruitful Topic In Annual Review.

London, Dec. 31.—The Times this morning, in its annual review of the events of the year, devotes considerable space to the Hispano-American war, which it regards as even greater than the Nile campaign, "because it resulted apparently in the definitive adoption of a new imperial and military policy by the United States." The article applauds the Washington government for declining to surrender the lives and property of Spaniards in Cuba to the tender mercies of the Cubans, but regrets that no compensation is paid with respect to Cuba, although undoubtedly a large part of the Cuban debt was expended on public works in the island. The Times pays a high tribute to the "tranquil and dignified manner in which Spain has accepted her reverses."

By common consent all the annual reviews in the morning papers regard the year 1898 as memorable for the Hispano-American war, and the "manifest destiny" consciousness of the English speaking peoples.

The Daily News, referring to President McKinley's speech at Atlanta, says: "We may approve or disapprove the president's sentiments, but in any case, they are one of the new and most memorable facts of 1898. It is devoutly to be hoped that the United States, as a world power, will be found working in harmony with Great Britain.

The Standard refers in similar terms to the advent of a new world power, and to the "mighty change which the war has effected in the aims, policy and public sentiment of the United States."

Suspension Prevents a Run.

Colebrook, N. H., Dec. 31.—State Savings Bank Commissioners Baker and Hatch have begun an investigation of the affairs of the Colebrook Savings bank. Cashier Bailey will be arraigned today on a charge of falsifying his accounts and his reports to the United States examiners and the comptroller of the currency. The Colebrook Savings bank has suspended business, pending the examination being made by the state commissioners. The trustees decided that a suspension was in the interest of the depositors, and would tend to avert any losses that might follow a run on the institution.

State Police on Hand.

Marlboro, Mass., Dec. 31.—In response to the request of the Marlboro city authorities a squad of six district police arrived here last evening to assist the local officers in maintaining order during the continuance of the strike. As yet there has been no need of their services. A large crowd gathered in front of J. A. Frye's factory when the operatives quit work last night, but a squad of local police kept it moving and there was no serious disturbance. One of the workmen was followed a short distance on his way home by a small section of the crowd, but no violence was offered him.

Still a Mystery.

New York, Dec. 31.—The poisoning of Mrs. Adams still baffles the police, though they are actively engaged in following out the first clues in the case. So far no startling evidence has been developed, and Chief of Detectives McCluskey admitted that he was as far as ever from discovering the existence of any motive for the murder of Harry Cornish or Mrs. Adams. This lack of knowledge regarding motive is the chief handicap in the work of unraveling the crime.

Prohibited by Kruger.

Pretoria, Dec. 31.—Strong representations have been made to President Kruger urging him to forbid the proposed celebration on Jan. 2 of the defeat of the Jameson raid, when, at the suggestion of the Pretoria Volkstein, the project was to burn Dr. Jameson in effigy. Owing to the president's action the celebration has been abandoned. There is no doubt that such an observance of Jameson day as had been planned would have led to serious riots.

Will Be on Exhibition.

Boston, Dec. 31.—Spanish gunboats Sandoval and Alvarado, now at Annapolis, will be brought to the Boston navy yard, and also to the navy yards at League island and Brooklyn, before being taken to their station at the Portsmouth navy yard. This is done in response to a generally expressed desire on the part of the public, and they will be open to visitors at all these ports.

Not Careful Enough.

Cedars, P. Q., Dec. 31.—Two men were killed and four others seriously injured yesterday by carelessness in blasting at the works of the New Soulanges canal. Two mines were set off simultaneously, and it was thought from the report that both had gone off, but when the men went to make another blast the second mine suddenly exploded.

Brothers Drowned.

Middletown, Conn., Dec. 31.—Frank, aged 16, and Joseph, aged 12, sons of Frank Blessington of Rock Falls, were drowned in the pond back of the Rock Falls woolen mill last night. They went on the ice to skate and Joseph broke through. In trying to save him, Frank, who could swim, was carried under the ice.

Krathofski Hanged.

Springfield, Dec. 31.—Murderer Dominique Krathofski yesterday paid the penalty for his crime on the gallows. His crime was the brutal murder of his step-daughter, Victoria Pinkos, a girl 16 years old. The murder was commtted on the morning of Jan. 17, 1897. It was cold-blooded and cruel, the result of jealousy and anger.

Tomorrow's Almanac and Forecast.

Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:23.
Moon rises—9:09 p. m.
Full sea—2 a. m.; 2 p. m.

A cold wave is moving eastward and by this afternoon or tonight will cover New England, and will last at least till Tuesday. Rain or snow, followed by clearing, may be expected. The temperature will fall 30 to 35 degrees; northwesterly gales. Storm signals are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Eastport to Delaware breakwater.

THE LISTENER.

Lord Kelvin, now more than 75 years old, has just taken out a patent on an improved device for making soundings at sea.

Admiral Walker's whiskers, which were once the despair of all the navy, are, it is said, to go down at last before the barber's shears.

Governor Robert L. Taylor of Tennessee, who has been in poor health for some time, has returned to his duties completely recovered.

Francis W. Cushman of Tacoma, who has been elected to congress against J. Hamilton Lewis, is called by his friends "the Abraham Lincoln of the coast."

"Is it true that you are now an enthusiastic golf player?" Speaker Reed was asked the other day. "No," was the reply; "I am only an enthusiastic pupil."

Joseph V. Babcock, chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee, although he went west early in life, is a native of Vermont, where he was born in 1850.

The Havana Advertiser is the name of a weekly paper in English which has just been started in Havana. Its editor and manager is George Eugene Bryson, an American newspaper man.

Bishop John Doane of Albany, whose attitude upon the divorce question hac brought him into prominence, never registers his last name at a hotel, where his signature is simply "John of Albany."

In the course of a private letter to Colonel McClure of the Philadelphia Times Admiral Dewey says: "Surely I should be a proud and happy man when such things are said of me, and indeed I am, and am not ashamed to own it."

Frank A. Vanderslip, assistant secretary of the treasury, began life as an apprentice in a machine shop, giving his few spare moments to the study of stenography, having mastered which he became a reporter and later a financial editor.

Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, second son of the elder Cornelius, is a student at Yale, and is said to be kept on an allowance, which, while not mean, is much smaller than that of many students whose fathers are by no means so rich as Vanderbilt's.

The Rev. Everett Bean of Portland, Me., is a member of the local football team. The captain of the Hallowell (Me.) football team is the Universalist pastor of the city. These gentlemen pound the ball on weekdays and expound the Bible on Sundays.

Dr. Moritz Busch, Bismarck's biographer, was a student of theology at Leipsic when the revolutionary uprising of 1848, in which he took part, led to his flight to America. While in this country he wrote a book on the Mormons, who up to that time had been regarded by the Germans as almost mythical beings.

Herr Ladislaus Mierzwinski, the once great Polish tenor, who in his palmy days was wont to receive $500 for a performance, has just accepted a job as porter in the Hotel d'Angleterre in Cannes, France. He is nearly 60 years old, but hale and hearty, though his voice is about gone. His downfall is largely due to gambling.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

An apple or cherry tree is much more valuable if it shoots out low.

In setting out roots at any time, never allow the roots to become dry.

Nectarines or apricots will thrive anywhere that the peach or plum will.

With plenty of wood ashes as a top dressing no manure is needed for young trees.

One of the best remedies for the rose slug is a strong stream of water from a small hose.

Always plant thrifty trees and always select young trees in preference to those that are overgrown.

Blight in many cases attacks without warning. The only safe remedy is to cut off and burn every branch or limb affected. The quicker this is done the better.

While trees may be set out as long as the ground is not frozen, care must be taken that the soil is filled in closely around the roots, as they will be injured by freezing.

It is a good plan before the ground freezes to see that good drainage is provided in the orchard. Allowing water to stand around the roots is very injurious, especially to young trees.—Exchange.

WAVES OF WATER.

The basin of the St. Lawrence river covers 530,000 square miles, of which 460,000 are in Canada.

Lake Morat, in Switzerland, has the curious property of turning red every ten years, owing to the presence of certain aquatic plants which are not known in any other lake in the world.

The first use of Niagara's power was made in 1725, a primitive sawmill being operated. Nothing more was done until 1842, when Augustus Porter conceived the plan of hydraulic canals, and in 1861 one of them was completed.

Recent investigations have shown that the principal source of the gulf stream is not the Florida channel, but the region between and beside the islands of the West Indies. At Bimini the volume of this warm water is 60 times as great as the combined volume of all the rivers in the world at their mouths.

POPULAR SCIENCE.

The average pulse of a healthy man should beat 72 times a minute.

Nearly all skin diseases are supposed to be caused by microscopic insects.

Some of the petrified wood found in Arizona, it is said, is so hard that steel tools will not work it, the petrifications being only three degrees less in hardness than the diamond.

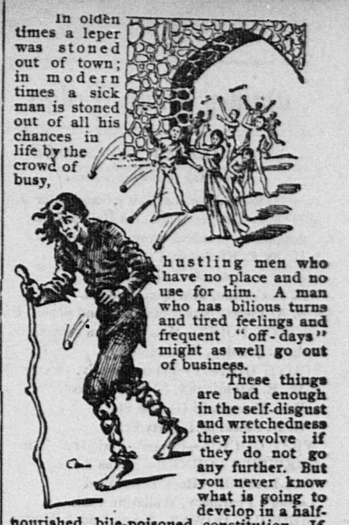
Bad weather may be predicted from the sudden rise and fall of wells. Curiously enough, however, small and rapid changes of barometer are more certain to affect wells than large changes.

A German biologist has calculated that the human brain contains 300,000,000 nerve cells, 5,000,000 of which die and are succeeded by new ones every day. At this rate, assuming the correctness of the German's guess, we get an entirely new brain every 60 days.

KLONDIKE NUGGETS.

The Klondike has been a bonanza only for those who sought for gold in the pockets of their fellows rather than in the frozen ground.—Utica Press.

The young man who has come back from the far north and describes the Klondike as "one vast, measureless hell of frost, ice and snow" evidently has an imagination which would make him a most successful advertising agent for a circus.—Chicago Times-Herald.



In olden times a leper was stoned out of town; in modern times a sick man is stoned out of all his chances in life by the crowd of busy, hustling men who have no place and no use for him. A man who has bilious turns and tired feelings and frequent "off-days" might as well go out of business.

These things are bad enough in the self-disgust and wretchedness they involve if they do not go any further. But you never know what is going to develop in a half-nourished, bile-poisoned constitution. If a man as soon as he feels that he is not getting the forceful strength and energy out of his food that he ought to, will begin taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, he will soon put himself in the position where he can do a man's work easily and cheerfully.

His appetite will be sharpened; his liver invigorated; his digestion strengthened; an edge put on his whole nutritive organism. Those subtle poisons which debilitate the entire organism and invite consumption and a host of other diseases, will be driven out of the system; and he will gain plenty of pure nourishing red blood, muscle-power and nerve-force. In short he will be a man among men.

There are hundreds of delusive temporary stimulants, "malt extracts," sarsaparillas and compounds, which are more or less "boomed" by merely profit-seeking druggists; but an honest druggist will give you the "Golden Medical Discovery" when you ask for it. If well-informed, he knows that its sales have steadily increased for thirty years and that it is the invention of an educated, authorized physician who has devoted a life-time of active practice and profound study to chronic diseases.

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WEYMOUTH—W. E. Cunningham.
News Agent, Weymouth Heights.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

BRAINTREE.

Schools open again next Monday.

Mr. George D. Willis is ill at his home on Washington street.

Postmaster Torrey was taken suddenly ill in the train going to Boston Wednesday.

There will be a prize drill of Co. H 5th regiment, of the Boys' Brigade, in the Town Hall, Wednesday evening, January 4. Also a sabre drill by the Highland Cadet Corps of Somerville.

Master Harry Harnish son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Harnish died Wednesday morning. The little fellow has been subject to bleeding at the nose and it was from a severe attack that he died. Mr. and Mrs. Harnish have the sympathy of their neighbors and friends.

There were about fifty delegates present at the seventh annual meet of the Head Masters club of which Dr. Gallager is president, on Wednesday. The Doctor made one of his characteristic speeches in which he expressed his satisfaction with the work accomplished during the year.

The Jonas Perkins School Association have secured the services of Mr. Henry T. Bailey, agent of the State Board of Education, to give a free address on "Art instruction in our Schools, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 24th. Mr. Bailey has just returned from Europe and is full of new ideas. Don't fail to hear him and remember the address is free.

Don't make a mistake Monday and come down South street to take the train for home.

Rev. and Mrs. Ellsworth and Dr. Gallagher were the guests of the Old Colony club at South Weymouth last evening.

It is reported that Dr. Samuel W. Ellsworth will establish himself in Quincy. He will complete his service at the Lying-in hospital next Tuesday.

Teachers of Jonas Perkins school gave the janitor, William Orr, a very handsome eight day marble clock, as a token of their appreciation of his efforts in behalf of the school.

The Boys Brigade at East Braintree had a grand drill in their new quarters last evening.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGibbon of Pond street, Wednesday evening.

It was a little son that came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Burnham, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis, widow of the late J. M. Hollis died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Millard Dyer, on Pond street, Thursday, after a short illness with pneumonia.

Alva Morrison, Leowel Hayden and Ralph Rogers gave a dance to their friends, Wednesday evening in Pythian hall. The matrons were Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Hayden.

The First church will observe the week of prayer by holding communion service at 2.30 Sunday afternoon; and services Monday, Tuesday and Friday evening's at 7.30. These meetings will be conducted by Dr. Gallagher, Rev. Mr. Palmer and the pastor.

The St. Francis Sunday School scholars held their Christmas tree exercises and dance in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening. A large number were present to enjoy the merry time.

—Mayor Perry of Somerville in a recent speech before the Willard C. Kinsley Post, said:

"God forbid that any word should come from my lips or pen calculated to revive the sad memories of the past. Let us extend the warm hand of fellowship to our Southern brothers. Let us give to them ungrudgingly of our love. But let us not do any act, or approve any policy from which future generations may infer that the great American republic, in the closing years of the 19th century, had become so blind that she could not distinguish between her saviors and her destroyers."

GALLIVAN ENDORSED

Braintree Selectmen Give a Hearing to Petitioners.

There was a lively hearing in the Lower Town Hall last night upon the petitions both for and against Engineeer Gallivan. About 100 present.

Chairman Clark of the Board of Selectmen presided and gave every man ample latitude as well as longitude, to state his case.

Mr. J. H. Macandrew, who was one of the petitioners asking for a hearing, gave some of his reasons. He said he did not think the present incumbent competent. The fire alarm boxes had not been taken care of as they should be; and if he did not like a man he would not notify him of the meetings. Mr. Macandrew also stated that he desired to say what he had to say publicly.

Mr. J. J. Rourke started in to tell what Mr. Battles told him, and was ruled out of order; but he was allowed to state his conversation with Mr. Gallivan.

He said that Gallivan told him there ought to be something in it this year, now that Whitmarsh was out; and at another time Gallivan was worried for fear Whitmarsh would give them away. He said new hose had been bought that was full of pin holes and that Gallivan would not buy Callahan hose because there was nothing in it. Gallivan did not want to discharge a certain man from the company because his wife bought shoes (not hose) of him and paid $3.00 a pair.

He said Gallivan stated, that a Mr. Jackson told Gallivan that money was sent out as commission on East Braintree hose wagon, and Gallivan asked him, (Mr. Rourke,) if that money ought not to have been divided. He also claimed that Mr. Gallivan has attended but three meetings in a year.

Mr. J. J. O'Keefe said that Mr. Rourke told him that Gallivan ought to have had commission instead of Thomas.

Mr. Thomas got excited and said he would ferret out these charges. That he never received any commission from the fire department. It was his business at one time to inspect hose that was purchased; and he told how hose had been exchanged for Weymouth hoie at a fire. Mr. Gallivan told me, he said, that there was nothing in the Callahan hose for him.

I make these statements fearlessly. I am not cowardly enough to run away.

Mr. Kelley questioned Mr. Rourke sharply; attempting to show that Mr. Thomas was interested in the sale of hose.

Mr. Abercrombie wanted to know who the petitioners wanted in place of Mr. Gallivan; and Mr. Rourke said he would like to see Mr. Macandrew have it.

This gentleman said he didn't want it and would not take it.

A letter was read from Mr. Kohler, stating his reasons for signing the petition.

Mr. Eaton was one of those who refused to serve under Mr. Gallivan; but Mr. Gallivan stated that Mr. Eaton had asked him for the position of steward.

A letter from Mr. Hilliard asked that his name which headed petition might have no weight against Mr. Gallivan.

Col. A. C. Drinkwater spoke strongly in favor of Mr. Gallivan.

The petition for Mr. Gallivan was then read and a list of influential names read

Mr. John Cavanagh said he was there without his supper, after a hard days's work, to defend this young man. He was proud of the fire department and he hoped he should stand by it as long as he lived. He then read the letter which appeared in the Observer last week, and criticised it severely; and in closing said I hope Mr. Chairman that for the reputation of this young man you will keep him where he is.

In reply to Mr. Kelley, Mr. Gallivan stated that there were five companies who bid on hose, and submitted sealed bids; and that there was practically no difference in the bids, except the guarantee.

The Callahan Hose Co.'s guarantee was for 350 pounds pressure for 36 months, while the one purchased was for same pressure and 48 months. The hose in question has been used three years.

Mr. Kelley—Have you had any trouble with any member of department?

Mr. Gallivan then read a clipping, which stated that the trouble came because Gallivan was not willing to let Rourke's dog chew his children.

Mr. Kelley—Any trouble before that?

Mr. Gallivan—No trouble till the dog bite.

Mr. Battles thought the department had cotton hose enough and referring to sealed bids, said they should continue to adopt that method so long as he was chief; that his colleague persuaded him to buy Callahan hose.

Mr. Kelley asked Mr. Gallivan if he had any trouble with the former chief, to which Mr. Gallivan replied that he came near having his "block knocked off."

Mr. Kelley then branched out into an elaborate speech, in which he said, it is not now that the instigation should be made, it should have been done before. Here is an honest man but the trouble comes from East Braintree.

He scored the young man from that part of the town, who he said was an offshoot of the old department and a sneak in the grass, who comes here to make trouble. If any one is to be dropped, drop me.

Mr. Abercrombie spoke for Mr. Gallivan. I knew him when he was a boy, and never knew him to do a dishonest act; and it is a disgrace to come here with such a fabric of lies. These silly trumped up charges were an insult to the board.

Mr. Kelly then moved that it was the sense of the meeting that Mr. Gallivan was worthy of the respect and confidence of the town, which was amended by Mr. Abrcrombie, by adding that he be reappointed as engineer from the north part of the town. The vote met with no opposition. Adjourned at 9.35.

WEYMOUTH.

The class of '96, Weymouth No. High school held their third annual reunion on Thursday evening at the home of Miss Martha A. Loud, Weymouth. A very happy evening was enjoyed by all with whist, games and singing. The hostess served a collation of ices and fruit. A short business meeting was held at which the past president, Mr. George P. Hunt, was renominated to serve for another year. Miss Julia A. Reily of East Weymouth was elected financial secretary. A committee of three was nominated to arrange for the reunion in '99, consisting of Miss Lizzie M. Hennessey of Weymouth, Mr. B. A. Dexheimer of Weymouth and Mr. George B. Hunt of East Weymouth. The thanks of the class of '96 are due to the committee of the '98 reunion, Miss Fannie P. Chubbuck, chairman, and also to Miss Martha A. Loud, who so excellently entertained the class.

Class of '97 W. N. H. S. held its second annual reunion in the Congregational church vestry on Thursday evening.

Miss Abbie Stuart a teacher in the public schools at Wellesley, is at home for the holidays.

The churches of North Weymouth will hold their fairs in January.

Mr. H. F. Bates, who has for a long time been station agent at the East Weymouth N. Y., N. H. & H. station, yesterday assumed his new duties as general superintendent of baggage at the new South Terminal, Boston.

The Epworth league of the Methodist church, East Weymouth, will meet with Mr. L. W. Bates, Monday evening, Jan. 2.

The annual ball of the Weymouth Firemen's Relief association will be held at the skating rink, East Weymouth, on Feb. 10.

Leo XIII. in Every-Day Life.

Several hundred Catholic clergymen gathered at the Bijou Opera House last Thursday afternoon at the invitation of B. F. Keith to witness a private exhibition of the biograph pictures of Pope Leo XIII, and other scenes at the Vatican in Rome. The series is one of the most remarkable that has ever been reproduced in the screen, and were of absorbing interest to the clergymen who attended. The first of the new series showed Cardinal Gibbons escorted by President Magnien, passing between the divided lines of seminarians of St. Mary's College, Baltimore. This was followed by a Corpus Christi procession, a procession of the Brotherhood of the Miserie gordia, a solemn procession of Armenian monks and another of Capuchin monks. A representation of the pope in his chair in the gardens was followed by another showing him carried in his closed sedan chair. The pictures will be presented for a limited time in Boston, and will not be shown in connection with any theatrical exhibition.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

CIRCUMCISION SUNDAY.

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UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by William Everett. Sunday school at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting at chapel Friday evening, conducted by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "A watchword for the New Year." Celebration of the Lord's Supper at 11.30. Bible School at 12 M. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening services in the church auditorium at 7.30. The week of prayer will be observed with services every evening excepting Saturday at 7.45. Every one welcome.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, 86 Washington street—Lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "Why did Christ die?" All welcome, seats free. No collections.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Edgar Watson Preble, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "New Year's service." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Forward and not backward." Monday evening at 7.45, Rev. Dr. Roblin of Boston will lecture. Subject: "Modern Heroism." Begin the new year by going to church. All welcome.

SWEDISH METHODIST CHURCH,—Fort street, Rev. H. Larson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. This evening at 10 o'clock there will be a watch night service. Every evening next week except Monday and Saturday, week of prayer meetings.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield Street—Rev. C. A. Bjornbom, pastor. There will be the "vak wau" service tonight from 9.30 to 12 P. M. New Year's day service on Sunday at 10.30 A. M. Communion at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7.30. Subject: "The prayer." There will be prayer meetings every night next week at 7.30 o'clock. Scandinavians are invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service at 10.30., followed by the administration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School at 11.45. Evening service at 7 o'clock. The special Christmas music for both services will be repeated. Prayer meetings Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7.30 o'clock.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street.—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "A good New Year's promise." Lord's Supper at the close. Bible School at 12 M. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M. Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "How to make 1899 happy and prosperous? Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45., with reception of members. Subject: "New Years—the retrospect." Communion at close of service. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "Holy ground."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M., followed by Holy Communion. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by pastor. Services of the week of prayer: Tuesday cottage meeting at J. D. Nutting's, Douglass street; Wednesday, cottage meeting at Josiah Welch's, Crescent street; Thursday, cottage meeting at E. H. Gedde's, 13 1-2 Cross street; Friday, prayer meeting at church vestry. Meetings to begin at 7.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON M. E. CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Waterhouse, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Worship with Holy Communion and brief sermon by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. People's Song Service at 7. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The old paths and the New Year." A cordial welcome to all these services.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Morning service, 10.45. Subject: "Newness of life." A sermon for the New Year, to be followed by Communion. Sabbath School at 12.15 P. M. Children's Mission Band at 4 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Union prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at the Baptist church, Wednesday evening at Methodest church, and Thursday evening at the Congregational. Hour of meeting 7.45. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45 P. M.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. Pastor will preach. Sermon for New Year. Sunday School at 12 M.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. Morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 3 45 P. M. Children's service at 4.15 P. M. The evening service will be omitted.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "New Year Resolutions." Sabbath School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Lecture by the pastor. Subject: "Facial Expression." Friday evening prayer service at 7.30. You are cordially invited.

TODAY'S COURT.

Robert Foy of West Quincy was fined $5 for drunkenness.

William Tirrell was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth. He was also arraigned for threatening assault and was discharged.

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